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ANNUAL REPORT

1920

TOWN OF CUMBERLAND

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Cumberland
AND THE REPORT OF
The Trustees of Greely Institute
FOR THE
Municipal Year Ending February 7
1921

PORTLAND, MAINE.
MARKS PRINTING HOUSE.
1921.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1920.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

DENNIS B. HAMILTON, PHILIP L. BLANCHARD,
ALFRED E. HAMILTON.

TOWN CLERK.

GEORGE W. JORDAN.

TREASURER.

EDMUND R. NORTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ARTHUR N. BLANCHARD, EDWARD B. OSGOOD,
ADDISON B. HAMILTON.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

DANIEL W. LUNT.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

ALFRED W. DOUGHTY, DR. H. M. MOULTON,
DR. H. E. FIFIELD.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

CHARLES W. SMALL.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS.

E. H. STROUT, F. L. ROBINSON,
MARTIN B. HAMILTON.

MEMBERS CEMETERY COMMISSION.

WILLARD WILSON, OSMAN W. LUFKIN,
WILLIS STONE, MARTIN B. HAMILTON,
LESTER B. BRAGG.

AUDITOR.

ARNO S. CHASE.

CONSTABLES.

EDWARD L. FARWELL, ADDISON B. HAMILTON.

Warrant for Town Meeting.

To Edward L. Farwell, a Constable of the Town of Cumberland, in the County of Cumberland:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Cumberland qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at the townhouse in said town on the eighth day of March, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles:

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

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

Article 3. To hear and act upon the report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

Article 4. To hear and act upon the report of Town Treasurer and Treasurer of Cumberland School Fund.

Article 5. To hear and act upon the report of the Superintending School Committee.

Article 6. To hear and act upon the report of Treasurer and Trustees of Greely Institute.

Article 7. To hear and act upon the report of the Cemetery Commission.

Article 8. To choose all other necessary town officers.

Article 9. To raise money for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

Article 10. To raise money for schoolhouse repairs.

Article 11. To raise money for text-books and supplies.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of free high school on Chebeague Island for the ensuing year. .

Article 13. To see what disposition the town will make of money received for aid of free high school.

Article 14. To see what action the town will take in regard to money coming from rent of Drown farm.

Article 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Greely Institute.

Article 16. To raise money for the support of poor.

Article 17. To raise money for highways, town ways and bridges and fix price of labor.

Article 18. To raise money for State patrol and State aid maintenance roads.

Article 19. To raise money for payment of snow bills.

Article 20. To raise money for payment of town notes and interest.

Article 21. To raise money for support of hydrants.

Article 22. To raise money for support of street lights.

Article 23. To raise money for the support of the Cemetery Commission.

Article 24. To raise money for contingent expenses.

Article 25. To hear and act upon the request of any Collector of Taxes for abatement.

Article 26. To receive bills against the town.

Article 27. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating money necessary to entitle the town to State aid as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Article 28. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of six hundred and sixty-six dollars (\$666.00)

for the improvement of the section of State aid road as outlined in report of State Highway Commissioner, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provision of Section 16 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Article 29. To see whether the town will raise a sum of money not to exceed four hundred dollars (\$400.00) and authorize the Selectmen and Board of Health to employ a physician on Chebeague Island to attend to all matters pertaining to the enforcement of the laws relating to health, and also to attend all persons requiring attendance who are charges upon the town.

Article 30. To elect one or more Fire Wardens, fix their compensation, also that of labor fighting fire, and raise money for the same.

Article 31. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to borrow money, if necessary, for payment of bills until such times as sufficient funds have been paid to the Treasurer by Collector of Taxes.

Article 32. To see if the town will vote to purchase a road machine for Chebeague, and raise money for same.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Island Constable to visit the summer cottages once every month during November, December, January, February, March and April, to see that they are properly closed and protected, and raise money for same.

Article 34. To see if the town will vote to raise or appropriate a sufficient amount of money to provide the Island voters transportation to the March town meeting.

Article 35. To see if the town will raise or appropriate a sum of money to support the centennial celebration.

Article 36. To see what action the town will take in

regard to housing the chemical truck, and raise money for same.

Article 37. To see if the town will accept the road as now laid out from the Hans M. Peterson place to the road running from Shaw Town to the M. E. Church.

Article 38. To see if the town will vote to accept the five hundred dollar bequest of the late Annie L. Prince and pledge itself to take perpetual care of the Prince lot in Moss Side Cemetery.

Article 39. To see if the town will appoint D. B. Hamilton, A. W. Doughty and Charles R. Lewis a special committee to arrange with the Grand Trunk Railway for the re-establishment of the Cumberland Station for the hauling of freight and passengers, the committee to be authorized, if they should deem it necessary, to employ an attorney at an expense not exceeding one hundred dollars, said expense to be charged to the contingent fund.

Article 40. To see if the town will vote to close the E. K. Sweetser grammar school, so-called, indefinitely, and divide the money so saved equally among the primary schools.

Article 41. To see if the town will vote to extend the street lights from near the residence of A. P. Corey to Cumberland Center Station and raise money for the same.

Article 42. To see what action the town will take in regard to the Thurston bridge.

Article 43. To see if the town will vote to raise money to widen road and bridge ten feet on the right-hand side going toward Falmouth on road between County road and O. L. Rideout's, where three lives were lost in accident of December 11, 1920.

Article 44. To see what action the town will take in regard to the Abbott bridge.

Article 45. To see if the town will raise money for cutting bushes along the highways.

Article 46. To see what action the town will take in regard to the road leading to Mountford's mill.

Article 47. To see if the town will raise \$150.00 to build the road leading from the Gray road to the Black-strap road commonly called the Skillings road.

Article 48. To see if the town will vote to increase the poll tax and how much.

D. B. HAMILTON,

P. L. BLANCHARD,

A. E. HAMILTON,

Selectmen of Cumberland.

REPORT OF Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

To the Inhabitants of Cumberland :

We, the undersigned Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, herewith submit our report for the municipal year ending February 7, 1921.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN FOR YEAR 1920.

Real estate, resident,	\$635,300 00	
Real estate, non-resident,	423,360 00	
Total real estate,		\$1,058,660 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$177,865 00	
Personal estate, non-resident,	18,900 00	
Total personal estate,		\$196,765 00
Total valuation,		\$1,255,425 00
Rate of taxation, \$25.50 per \$1,000.		
Number of polls, 357.		
Poll tax, \$2.00.		

PERSONAL AND REAL ESTATE.

Land,	\$423,880 00
Buildings,	634,780 00
Horses, 223,	26,850 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years, 3,	425 00
Colts, 2 to 3 years, 6,	675 00
Colts under 2 years, 2,	160 00
Cows, 478,	24,080 00
Oxen and bulls, 21,	1,630 00
Two-year-olds, 64,	2,520 00
Swine (over 10 in number), 4,	100 00

Bank stock, 265 shares,	\$26,500 00
Money at interest,	30,000 00
Stock in trade,	20,800 00
Shipping,	1,350 00
Small boats, 45,	4,975 00
Automobiles, 86,	45,225 00
Musical instruments, 48,	5,075 00
Furniture,	3,100 00
Other property,	3,300 00
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	\$1,255,425 00

EXEMPT LIVE STOCK.

1-year-old, 129,	\$3,360 00
Sheep (to 35 in number), 35,	375 00
Swine (to 10 in number), 94,	2,135 00
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	\$5,870 00

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1920.

For State tax,	\$8,852 96
County tax,	2,081 72
Support of schools,	2,500 00
Schoolhouse repairs,	400 00
Text-books and supplies,	300 00
Chebeague Island high school,	400 00
Greely Institute,	3,000 00
Support of poor,	200 00
Highways,	4,000 00
State patrol and maintenance,	700 00
Snow bills,	2,500 00
Interest,	780 00
Hydrants,	870 00
Street lights,	540 00
Cemetery Commission,	200 00
Contingent,	2,000 00
State aid road,	666 00
Island doctor,	400 00
Tuttle road lights,	45 00
Road machines,	1,000 00

SUMS RECOMMENDED TO BE RAISED.

For Highways and bridges,	\$4,000 00
Contingent,	2,500 00
Town notes and interest,	2,480 00
Snow bills,	500 00
Hydrant rentals,	1,305 00
Poor,	300 00
Street lights,	700 00
State aid road,	666 00
Support of schools,	3,000 00
Text-books and supplies,	300 00
Repairs on schoolhouses,	300 00
Island high school,	400 00
Greely Institute,	
State patrol and maintenance,	700 00
Cemetery Commission,	200 00

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

To the Citizens of the Town of Cumberland :

Your Overseers submit the following report.

The total expense of the poor for the year for Cumberland was as follows:

Paid Mrs. Mabel Hamilton, mothers' aid,	\$ 60 00
Mrs. Mildred Bennett, mothers' aid,	275 00
J. L. Dunn, supplies for Earl Lowery,	6 92
E. N. Herrick, ticket to Rockland for Earl Lowery,	2 92
P. L. Blanchard, board of tramps,	3 00
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	\$347 84
Appropriation,	\$200 00
Received from State, mothers' aid,	45 00
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	\$245 00
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Balance against town,	\$102 84

D. B. HAMILTON, } *Selectmen*
P. L. BLANCHARD, } *of*
A. E. HAMILTON, } *Cumberland.*

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ARNO S. CHASE, *Auditor.*

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,	\$4,000 00
Paid Doughty & Jones,	\$15 76
Rufus Deering Co.,	94 64
Isaac Dow,	32 98
F. L. Robinson,	2 80
A. C. LeGrow,	6 30
P. E. Brackett,	10 35
W. E. Morrill,	31 22
J. E. Lund,	49 80
Richardson, Dana & Co.,	67 32
Geo. W. Emery,	2 48
Willard Wilson,	6 30
E. H. Strout,	2 50
Alton Strout,	5 40
Thad. McLaughlin,	25 20
I. W. Dow,	3 38
Alton Strout,	79 20
E. H. Strout,	57 50
J. L. Dunn,	40 50
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	21 15
F. L. Robinson,	99 94
E. A. Vaughan,	23 40
Ivan Doyle,	1 80
Christian Peterson,	18 50
Frank Whalen,	3 60
Bertwell W. Hamilton,	21 60
M. B. Hamilton,	54 40
C. M. Hamilton,	10 80
W. R. Hamilton,	23 40
Howard A. Files,	32 40
John Tame,	28 20

Paid F. L. Robinson,	\$ 2 80
C. E. Merrill,	14 40
Kendall & Whitney,	36 50
Herman Hulit,	1 35
John Tame,	20 70
A. L. Black,	9 90
F. L. Robinson,	116 40
Joseph Doucet,	8 10
Chas. L. Shaw,	2 50
Christian Peterson,	67 50
Norman Hulit,	7 45
W. N. Hulit,	15 52
P. E. Brackett,	7 20
Lester Scott,	3 60
C. E. Merrill,	72 00
A. C. LeGrow,	23 40
Richardson, Dana & Co.,	16 57
Howard A. Files,	31 50
C. M. Hamilton,	19 80
W. R. Hamilton,	18 00
A. L. Bowen,	14 69
Howard Curit,	17 50
Walter Calder,	3 15
Walter Curit,	6 30
Bertwell Hamilton,	46 80
A. L. Bowen,	35 94
Reuel Hamilton,	10 00
C. E. Bowen,	23 40
M. B. Hamilton,	77 60
E. H. Strout,	95 00
Alton Strout,	43 20
Leland Brown,	67 50
Philip Fifield,	18 00
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	50 40
J. L. Dunn,	122 40
Fred Winslow,	46 80

Paid A. L. Black,	\$ 16 20
J. L. Dunn,	116 20
T. McLaughlin,	43 20
John Tame,	14 40
Joseph Doucet,	8 10
Lyman Lawrence,	1 80
Norman Hult,	11 25
Fred Winslow,	1 80
Frank Whalen,	3 60
F. L. Robinson,	114 90
John Peterson,	9 90
P. E. Brackett,	10 80
Frank Peterson,	3 60
Christian Peterson,	42 60
F. H. Morrill,	5 40
C. E. Merrill,	111 60
Austin Winslow,	7 20
Peters Peterson,	3 60
Richardson, Dana & Co.,	80 60
Warren Brown,	3 60
C. M. Hamilton,	3 60
B. W. Hamilton,	10 80
W. E. Dunham,	8 00
Howard Curit,	12 50
R. D. Hamilton,	15 00
M. B. Hamilton,	23 80
A. L. Bowen,	14 38
Alton Strout,	7 20
E. H. Strout,	82 50
L. S. Brown,	112 50
A. B. Wyman,	1 80
A. P. Corey,	7 20
Isaac Dow,	6 15
Harold M. Bragg,	5 85
C. M. Hamilton,	7 20
J. L. Dunn,	10 80
E. H. Strout,	10 00

Paid Alton Strout,	\$ 16 20
L. H. Brown,	10 80
M. B. Hamilton,	23 00
Christian Peterson,	10 80
F. L. Robinson,	31 80
A. C. LeGrow,	7 20
C. R. Mountfort,	31 21
Geo. D. Sweetser,	2 70
M. B. Hamilton,	34 50
Walter Calder,	18 00
A. D. Black,	6 00
Christian Peterson,	7 20
P. E. Brackett,	9 00
F. L. Robinson,	115 37
C. E. Merrill,	32 40
Norman Hulit,	38 25
Town of North Yarmouth,	10 50
Frank Brown,	3 00
Leland Brown,	7 20
Alton Strout,	32 40
E. H. Strout,	17 00
Thad. McLaughlin,	3 60
J. L. Dunn,	47 80
Winfield Hamilton,	12 60
Walter Calder,	28 80
F. L. Robinson,	21 10
C. E. Merrill,	7 20
P. E. Brackett,	7 20
E. H. Strout,	12 22
Alton Strout,	11 70
L. S. Brown,	8 10
J. L. Dunn,	1 20
H. W. Skillin,	90
E. A. Vaughan,	4 05
E. H. Strout,	37 82
Leland Brown,	5 90

Paid Alton Strout,	\$45 45
Frank Whalen,	4 05
Norman Hulit,	3 60
Raymond Peterson,	2 45
Lucian Morrison,	8 00
F. L. Robinson,	7 50
Waldo Hawkes,	5 00
Walter Calder,	26 60
John A. Hamilton,	24 60
Reuel Hamilton,	27 50
Benj. F. Hamilton,	4 60
M. B. Hamilton,	95 49
A. L. Bowen,	25 00
Hollis Doughty,	3 00
E. H. Strout,	8 60
Doughty & Jones,	24
P. E. Brackett,	8 16
W. H. Scott,	80
F. L. Robinson,	16 25
H. M. Rowe,	3 00
C. E. Merrill,	7 20
N. P. Olsen,	12 15
F. L. Adams,	21 40
M. B. Hamilton,	73 29
A. L. Bowen,	8 13
Reuel Hamilton,	10 00
Walter Calder,	28 80
Merton Curit,	7 20
Walter Curit,	14 40
John A. Hamilton,	11 40
Howard M. Curit,	27 50
Bertwell Hamilton,	14 40
R. F. Burnell,	12 15
Frank Whalen,	3 60
C. E. Merrill,	4 95
P. E. Brackett,	5 40
F. L. Robinson,	13 50

Paid J. L. Dunn,	\$8 10	
T. J. Brown,	7 20	
I. W. Down,	4 95	
F. L. Robinson,	2 50	
F. H. Flint,	7 65	
Chas. L. Shaw,	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$4,299 30
Balance against town,		\$299 30

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ARNO S. CHASE, *Auditor.*

SNOW BILLS.

Appropriation,		\$2,500 00
Paid C. E. Merrill,	\$ 85 11	
Christian Peterson,	103 93	
Timothy O'Brien,	27 85	
H. M. Rowe,	67 14	
Ivan Doyle,	20 49	
Arthur L. Farwell,	23 42	
Rufus LeGrow,	8 25	
H. M. Hulit,	64 58	
F. L. Robinson,	14 08	
Howard A. Files,	22 59	
A. C. LeGrow,	30 19	
F. H. Flint,	51 53	
W. N. Hulit,	25 77	
N. W. Hulit,	12 90	
U. G. Gordon,	75	
Lewis Peacock,	25 50	
U. E. Carter,	56 57	
P. E. Brackett,	68 85	
R. W. Ross,	28 88	
L. W. Ross,	6 88	
S. H. Ross,	12 38	
M. W. Leighton,	1 20	

Paid Casper Anderson,	\$ 30 63
S. W. Hamilton,	126 12
Austin Winslow,	35 58
Fred Winslow,	44 96
Arthur Winslow,	32 82
W. C. Warren,	14 40
Donald Jewett,	2 75
Parker Starrett,	2 40
W. T. Laughton,	10 17
W. S. Shaw,	24 55
O. W. Lufkin,	8 55
Chas. L. Shaw,	27 13
Kenneth Chase,	13 65
P. H. Hamilton,	68 98
F. H. Morrill,	22 92
Ervin Morrill,	12 53
W. L. Merrill,	5 75
H. F. Nelson,	2 75
Walter Nelson,	13 26
H. M. Nelson,	4 13
Martin C. Christiansen,	8 25
F. E. Scott,	17 69
H. W. Peterson,	17 55
F. M. Peterson,	6 90
F. M. Hulit,	17 81
Frank Whalen,	38 88
F. W. Seavey,	33 11
E. H. Strout,	23 05
Alton H. Strout,	33 00
J. L. Dunn,	143 17
L. N. Kitridge,	5 93
L. P. Larsen,	63 00
N. P. Larsen,	63 00
Andus Larsen,	16 00
John Larsen,	16 00
Warren Fogg,	16 00
Elton Peterson,	14 00

Paid M. B. Hamilton,	\$338 50
I. W. Dow,	22 51
Roland Webber,	13 73
Harland Webber,	3 60
E. W. Johnson,	7 87
W. R. Hamilton,	16 65
H. L. Mansfield,	5 18
Walter Calder,	3 38
L. R. Fenderson,	10 80
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	136 56
H. M. Bragg,	50
G. L. Farwell,	25 00
Ivan Doyle,	6 41
V. E. Wilson,	9 46
G. N. Wilson,	2 44
G. W. Emery,	7 40
C. P. and H. W. Russell,	4 88
Willard Wilson,	34 60
L. N. Kitridge,	5 50
C. H. Prince,	24 82
C. R. and W. H. Mountfort,	2 44
R. H. Doughty,	16 77
Donald Blanchard,	18 00
C. H. Jones,	1 80
W. P. Russell,	101 30
B. F. Doughty,	10 41
D. B. Hamilton,	7 20
W. O. Porter,	80 68
N. P. Larsen,	18 45
L. P. Larsen,	47 20
F. L. Robinson,	60 00
L. B. Bragg,	12 57
H. M. Bragg,	15 29
E. L. Farwell,	23 60
G. L. Farwell,	52 42
S. K. Vaughan,	6 98
A. N. Vaughan,	9 13

Paid L. L. Lawrence,	\$ 5 96
Philip Hill,	7 20
C. M. Hamilton,	3 15
M. B. Hamilton,	16 40
Roland Webber,	4 72
V. H. Bowen,	1 80
A. B. Hamilton,	4 95
R. H. Bennett,	1 35
L. H. Hill,	3 83
J. W. Seabury,	3 60
A. E. Hamilton,	1 35
W. R. Hamilton,	9 45
M. W. Pearson,	1 58
F. M. Peterson,	6 65
A. C. LeGrow,	1 80
John Tame,	9 00
P. E. Brackett,	8 56
H. M. Hulit,	11 25
C. E. Merrill,	16 20
Parker Starrett,	3 20
Christian Peterson,	3 60
S. H. Ross,	6 30
C. L. Shaw,	4 95
R. W. Ross,	10 80
Casper Anderson,	19 85
L. W. Ross,	2 70
W. N. Hulit,	4 60
N. W. Hulit,	12 40
Melville Wilson,	4 87
H. M. Wilson,	5 17
Frank Whalen,	9 00
A. L. Black,	14 06
F. W. Seavey,	4 05
Fred Winslow,	10 13
F. M. Hulit,	4 05
W. T. Laughton,	10 13
C. H. Prince,	3 15

Paid C. R. & W. H. Mountfort,	\$ 7 20
Willard Wilson,	7 15
F. H. Flint,	28 58
Geo. D. Sweetser,	7 20
G. L. Strout,	13 55
L. S. Brown,	5 62
Warren Brown,	3 82
E. H. Strout,	38 75
Alton Strout,	4 95
H. A. Files,	32 62
V. E. Wilson,	10 35
F. S. Merrill,	22 57
P. B. Corey,	20 95
Elton Peterson,	10 80
Thad. McLaughlin,	13 55
M. W. Burnell,	9 76
I. W. Dow,	25 20
J. L. Dunn,	4 50
O. R. Sturdivant,	5 00
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	43 20
E. C. Morrill,	4 37
Timothy O'Brien,	2 25
E. N. Jenks,	8 10
F. M. Rines,	3 38
C. D. Hamilton,	2 25
R. L. Burnell,	12 50
R. F. Burnell,	12 95
C. L. Verrill,	22 06
N. A. Gram,	10 48
D. B. Hamilton,	3 60
F. E. Doughty,	4 00
A. S. Kneeland,	3 60
F. W. Blanchard & Son,	3 63
A. L. Farwell,	2 25
D. E. Loring,	11 00
F. H. Morrill,	8 33
W. L. Merrill,	5 85

Paid M. W. Leighton,	\$ 2 25	
Tony Goodrich,	1 80	
H. B. Allen,	18 37	
Walter Nelson,	6 30	
P. L. Blanchard,	22 50	
O. W. Lufkin,	5 18	
H. M. Wilson,	9 00	
Melville Wilson,	2 93	
Carl E. Doughty,	60	
C. W. Olsen,	10 80	
W. D. Scott,	2 44	
F. E. Scott,	1 22	
F. H. Chase,	2 03	
	<hr/>	\$3,733 39
Balance against town,		<hr/> \$1,233 39

STATE AID MAINTENANCE AND PATROL.

Appropriation,		\$700 00
Paid Alton Strout,	\$ 10 80	
E. H. Strout,	7 50	
J. L. Dunn,	3 60	
J. L. Dunn,	7 20	
Alton Strout,	27 00	
E. H. Strout,	15 00	
N. P. Larsen,	187 20	
L. P. Larsen,	169 20	
Andrew Due,	6 40	
Arthur Hansen,	21 60	
Frank Brown,	15 60	
O. L. Huston,	14 17	
C. E. Merrill,	16 20	
J. L. Dunn,	18 85	
E. H. Strout,	22 44	
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	17 90	
Alton Strout,	32 40	

Paid E. A. Vaughan,	\$12 15	
Leland Brown,	16 20	
	<u> </u>	\$621 41
Paid State for patrol,		190 20
		<u> </u>
		\$811 61

GREELY INSTITUTE.

Paid Interest on town notes,	\$ 780 00	
As per vote of town,	3,000 00	
Rent from Drown farm,	200 00	
	<u> </u>	\$3,980 00

ROAD MACHINE.

Appropriation,		\$1,000 00
Paid New England Road Machinery Co.,	\$879 16	
P. L. Blanchard, freight,	20 84	
	<u> </u>	\$900 00
Balance in favor of town,		\$100 00

ISLAND DOCTOR.

Appropriation,		\$400 00
Paid Dr. H. E. Fifield,		400 08
		<u> </u>
Balance against town,		\$ 08

RENT OF HYDRANT.

Appropriation,		\$870 00
Paid Portland Water District,		435 00
		<u> </u>
Balance in favor of town,		\$435 00

FIRE WARDENS AND FIGHTING FIRE.

Paid Leroy H. Hill,	\$15 15	
L. B. Bragg,	11 36	
	<u> </u>	\$26 51

LIGHTS AT TUTTLE ROAD.

Appropriation,	\$45 00
Unexpended,	\$45 00

STREET LIGHTS.

Appropriation,	\$540 00
Paid Cumberland County Power and Light Co.,	269 02
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Balance in favor of town,	\$270 98

CEMETERY COMMISSION.

Appropriation,		\$200 00
Paid L. B. Bragg,	\$ 5 92	
M. B. Hamilton,	25 00	
Thad. McLaughlin,	67 60	
W. L. Stone,	48 00	
G. L. Farwell,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$148 52
Balance in favor of town,		\$51 48

STATE AID ROAD.

Appropriation,	\$666 00	
From the State,		
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Paid Northeast Metal Culvert Co.,	\$ 69 22	
Leland Brown,	207 45	
Alton Strout,	235 82	
E. H. Strout,	166 86	
H. W. Skillin,	72 85	
Thad. McLaughlin,	58 05	
E. A. Vaughan,	49 42	
Sunnyside Greenhouses,	45 90	
O. L. Huston,	40 50	
Ripley Burnell,	42 30	
G. D. Sweetser,	64 80	
J. L. Dunn,	241 39	
Theodore Brown,	102 45	
P. L. Blanchard,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,402 01

CONTINGENT BILLS.

Appropriation,		\$2,000 00
Paid Marks Printing House, town reports,	\$214 26	
W. F. Bennett, reporting births and deaths,	1 65	
M. B. Hamilton, driving hearse,	15 00	
A. W. Doughty, account Board of Health,	10 62	
Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies,	12 25	
A. B. Hamilton, rent of hall,	2 00	
L. L. Hale, recording births and deaths,	75	
Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies,	5 10	
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., service,	90	
E. R. Norton, office supplies,	7 00	
L. B. Bragg,	2 00	
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., service,	1 15	
A. S. Chase, ballot clerk and Auditor,	14 00	
Henry A. Bailey, island float,	37 75	
M. B. Hamilton, ballot clerk,	8 00	
L. B. Bragg, auto hire,	9 50	
A. B. Hamilton, services as Constable,	12 50	
Geo. W. Jordan, expense ballots to island,	6 72	
Dirigo Mutual Fire Ins. Co., insurance,	4 50	
Narragansett Mutual Fire Ins. Co., insurance,	4 50	
Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies,	5 50	

Paid S. I. Hill, labor on island float,	\$ 3 20
L. B. Bragg, housing chemical,	40 00
B. F. Hamilton, ballot clerk,	5 00
A. H. Hamilton, carrying election returns,	5 00
M. B. Hamilton, driving hearse,	6 00
York & Boothby Co., wiring town house,	35 00
L. B. Bragg, election returns,	5 50
H. B. Curit, ward clerk and election returns,	28 00
Grace F. Jenkins, registration clerk,	5 00
Nellie B. Jordan, registration clerk,	9 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies,	3 50
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., service,	2 40
A. B. Hamilton, Constable,	13 50
M. B. Hamilton, ballot clerk and driving hearse,	8 00
Grace F. Jenkins, registration clerk,	4 50
Nellie B. Jordan, registration clerk,	4 50
A. H. Hamilton, election returns,	5 00
A. A. Quimby, labor on float,	12 00
Ernest C. Ross, ballot clerk,	8 00
R. H. Bennett, ballot clerk,	12 00
M. B. Hamilton, ballot clerk,	4 00
A. B. Hamilton, Constable,	12 00
L. B. Bragg, auto hire,	2 00
G. L. Farwell, ballot clerk, etc.,	24 75
E. L. Bodge, legal services two years,	43 50
A. S. Chase, ballot clerk,	9 00

Paid F. H. Chase, moderator,	\$ 5 00
E. L. Farwell, Constable,	45 50
W. F. Bennett, recording births and deaths,	1 05
G. L. Farwell, repairs at Drown farm,	5 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., services,	90
H. M. Moulton, M. D., Board of Health,	61 00
P. L. Blanchard, auto hire,	10 60
S. W. Hamilton, driving hearse,	24 00
D. W. Lunt, Superintendent of Schools,	209 08
E. B. Osgood, School Committee and expenses (2 years),	38 00
A. N. Blanchard, School Com- mittee,	18 00
G. W. Jordan, Town Clerk,	100 88
E. R. Norton, Town Treasurer,	125 00
D. B. Hamilton, Selectman,	300 00
P. L. Blanchard, Selectman,	300 00
A. E. Hamilton, Selectman,	235 00
C. W. Small, Collector of Taxes,	620 00
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	\$2,785 01
Balance against town,	<hr/> \$785 01

ASSETS.

Balance due from Treasurer as per his report,	\$3,376 43
Town house and lot,	800 00
Schoolhouses,	7,500 00
Drown farm,	2,000 00

LIABILITIES.

Notes due Greely Institute,	\$13,000 00
Note due First National Bank,	2,200 00
D. B. HAMILTON, } P. L. BLANCHARD, } A. E. HAMILTON, }	<i>Selectmen of Cumberland.</i>

ABATEMENTS.

Herman L. Doughty,	\$32 86
Joseph Horr,	2 00
W. S. Miller,	2 00
Louise Ross,	1 91
Benj. Seabury,	2 00
Eben York,	2 00
R. C. Ross,	2 00
Henry Hanson,	2 00
L. H. Merrill heirs,	2 55
John H. Peterson,	2 00
M. E. Goss,	2 55
Wilbur Buxton,	2 00
Maynard S. Bird,	25 50
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	\$81 37

UNCOLLECTED TAXES.

1919.

Frank Carney,	\$2 00
E. E. Darling,	2 00
Philip Prince,	2 00
Mads Peterson,	2 00
E. M. Lord,	2 00
Joseph Thompson,	2 00
Ernest Hamilton,	2 00
Ernest Farr,	7 51
Anton Lawson,	4 25
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	\$25 76

1920.

Morris Brown,	58 65
T. O. Fisk,	2 00
Frank Johnson,	2 00
Floyd Norton,	2 26
Raymond Hines,	15 30
C. R. Williams,	10 20

Sydney Doughty,	\$ 2 55
Fred Komlosky,	2 00
Hugh Newcomb,	2 00
Herbert Thompson,	2 00
Joseph Thompson,	2 00
Eben York,	1 28
Lewis Hamilton,	2 00
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	\$104 24

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

CR.

Balance in treasury, February, 1920,	\$ 3,376 43
Assessors' commitment,	32,074 98
State Treasurer:	
Highway fund,	110 40
Free high school,	480 00
Improvement roads,	730 41
School and mill fund,	695 22
Common school fund,	1,695 49
R. R. and tel. tax,	56 43
Aid dependent mothers,	45 00
Town of Yarmouth, tuition,	62 00
Dog licenses,	117 00
E. H. Shaw, auctioneer's license,	2 00
Dr. Moulton, rent of Drown farm,	200 00
Rental, Drown farmhouse,	10 00
Wood sold on Drown farm,	39 00
O. Pollard, rent of Drown farm- house, three months,	15 00
Use of hearse and team,	2 00
Interest on sinking fund,	123 26
Interest on deposits,	50 39
Wood sold on Drown farm, F. S. Merrill,	8 00
Treasurer Cumberland school fund,	72 58
Borrowed from First National Bank,	2,200 00

Received on tax, 1919,	\$16 88	
Albert Mansfield, victualer,	1 00	
One-half lot Island Cemetery,	2 00	
Eight lots Moss Side Cemetery,	31 00	
Sold snow roller,	12 00	
	—————	\$42,228 47

DR.

Paid town orders,	\$38,131 06	
State Treasurer, dog licenses,	117 00	
Interest on borrowed funds,	479 50	
	—————	\$38,727 56
		<u>\$3,500 91</u>

VIZ.:

Due from Charles W. Small, tax 1919,	\$ 37 23	
Charles W. Small, tax 1920,	123 14	
Maine Savings Bank, sinking fund,	1,581 26	
Portland Savings Bank, sinking fund,	1,594 09	
Cash on hand,	165 19	
	—————	\$3,500 91

(Signed) EDMUND R. NORTON,
Treasurer.

**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT,
CUMBERLAND SCHOOL FUND.**

DR.

To two shares Casco Bank stock,	\$200 00	
Cash in Mercantile Bank,	300 00	
One year's interest,	12 12	
Eight shares Canal Bank stock,	800 00	
Cash in Maine Savings Bank,	61 00	
Interest in Maine Savings Bank,	2 46	
Dividend Casco Mercantile Bank stock,	10 00	
Dividend Canal Bank stock,	48 00	
	—————	\$1,433 58

CR.

By two shares Casco Mercantile Bank,	\$200 00
Eight shares Canal Bank,	800 00
Cash in Maine Savings Bank,	61 00
Cash in Mercantile Bank,	300 00
Cash to Town Treasurer,	72 58
	<hr/> \$1,433 58

(Signed) EDMUND R. NORTON,
Treasurer.

**TREASURER'S REPORT,
CUMBERLAND CEMETERY COMMISSION.**

DR.

To Interest on book No. 61589,	\$ 6 71
Interest on book No. 60053,	4 20
Interest on book No. 40715,	4 52
Interest on book No. 42967,	4 52
Interest on book No. 50401,	8 76
Interest on book No. 62665,	33
Interest on book No. 61801,	2 67
Interest on book No. 62664,	33
Care of lot Mrs. Emma Y. Hall,	200 00
Care of lot Mrs. Helen W. Davis,	104 04
Care of lot Alexander Whitney,	112 27
Care of lot James Whitney,	112 27
Care of lot Lydia Babbidge,	100 00
Care of lot H. D. Babbidge,	100 00
Care of lot Phinea Whitney,	100 00
Care of lot Joey P. Hall,	100 00
Interest on book No. 50401,	217 64
	<hr/> \$1,178 26

CR.

By Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 61589,	\$206 71
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 60053,	108 24
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 40715,	116 79
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 42967,	116 79
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 50401,	226 40
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 62665,	100 33
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 63110.	100 00
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 61801,	102 67
Cash in Maine Savings Bank, book No. 62664,	100 33
	<hr/> \$1,178 26

(Signed) EDMUND R. NORTON,
Treasurer.

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing ac-
counts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ARNO S. CHASE, *Auditor.*

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 7, 1921.

Number of marriages recorded,	14
Number of births recorded,	20
Number of deaths recorded,	36
Number of deaths from other towns,	10

Births.

DATE.	NAME.	NAME OF PARENTS.	
1920.			
Feb. 7.	——— Peterson,	Howard W. and Hulda M. Peterson.	32
27.	Ernest Wilfred Doucet,	Joseph P. and Nora B. Doucet.	
Mar. 2.	Ruth Eleanor Blanchard,	Fred S. and Eleanor M. Blanchard.	
7.	Sofus Martin Christensen,	Martin and Christina Christensen.	
Apr. 2.	Roy Maxfield Whelden, Jr.,	Roy M. and Leonora R. Whelden.	
29.	Helen Chapman,	Paul G. and Mabel S. Chapman.	
May 1.	William Martin Hamilton,	Bertwell W. and Eva E. Hamilton.	
31.	Carolyn Sawyer,	Randall A. and Helen P. Sawyer.	
June 25.	Clarence Edmund O'Connor,	George E. and Lydia M. O'Connor.	
July 4.	Beverly Ross,	Harold M. and Beatrice Ross.	
19.	Jeanette Farwell,	Arthur L. and Myra B. Farwell.	

July 30. Thornton Henry Ross,
 Aug. 15. Emery Roland Ross,
 Sept. 3. Grace King Blanchard,
 16. Helen Waneta Jones,
 Nov. 7. Richard Howard Verrill,
 10. Harold Wallace Bigelow,
 19. Mary Louise Calder,
 29. Winifred Elaine Fifield,

Merle B. and Ethel R. Ross.
 James W. and Etta E. Ross.
 S. Morris and Frances Blanchard.
 Frank H. and Nellie Jones..
 Chester R. and Veatrice Verrill.
 Earl W. and Erma Bigelow.
 Walter H. and Helen A. Calder.
 Henry E. and Imogene H. Fifield.

GEORGE W. JORDAN, *Town Clerk.*

Deaths.

DATE.	NAME.	PLACE OF DEATH.	YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
1920.					
Feb. 1.	Martha J. Curit,	Chebeague,	80	1	6
	7.. Margaret M. Davis,	Cumberland,	33	5	29
	9. Howard Peterson, Jr.,	Cumberland,	—	—	2
	14. Justus A. Ross,	Boston, Mass.,	8	4	18
	16. Frank D. Bennett,	Chebeague,	41	8	22
	19. Rodney E. Bennett,	Chebeague,	4	10	23
	25. Joey P. Hall,	Cumberland,	83	2	13
	26. Maria Curit,	Chebeague,	85	2	21

Mar.	3.	Richard Roberts,	Falmouth,	70	11	16
	31.	Davis Collamore,	Portland,	43	—	—
Apr.	10.	Nathaniel Jesse Mason,	Cumberland,	77	7	—
May	21.	Mary E. Libby,	Portland,	64	4	8
	25.	Alfretta Lancaster,	Cumberland,	73	1	21
June	2.	Carolyn Sawyer,	Cumberland,	—	—	2
	23.	Roswell E. Hamilton,	Chebeague,	82	8	7
July	10.	Llewellyn O. Hamilton,	Portland,	62	—	—
Aug.	11.	Nathaniel L. Wilson,	Cumberland,	88	4	—
	26.	James Gly York, Jr.,	Haverhill, Mass.,	—	6	18
Sept.	5.	Carroll D. Prince,	Portland,	61	7	3
	11.	James H. Ricker,	Chebeague,	62	—	—
	17.	Sarah F. Doughty,	Cumberland,	83	6	8
	19.	Aaron Cleaves,	Chebeague,	77	8	17
	20.	Caroline Blanchard Jordan,	Tunbridge, Vt.,	81	—	26
	27.	Mabel A. Doughty,	Chebeague,	24	10	17
Oct.	10.	Annie Lincoln Prince,	Portland,	60	—	—
	20.	Lavinia Ross,	Chebeague,	75	7	7
Nov.	7.	Iver T. Thorsen,	Falmouth,	62	8	22
	12.	Timothy Berry,	Cumberland,	87	5	22
	21.	Clarence H. Prince,	Cumberland,	62	8	18

Nov. 29.	Winifred Elaine Fifield,	Chebeague,	—	—	$\frac{1}{2}$
Dec. 12.	Wilfred E. Leighton,	Cumberland,	23	6	25
12.	Philena M. Ross,	Cumberland,	16	7	23
12.	Lawrence W. Ross,	Cumberland,	18	9	18
13.	Mary E. Harris,	Cumberland,	81	7	8
30.	George R. Leighton,	Cumberland,	68	4	28

GEORGE W. JORDAN, *Town Clerk.*

School Report.

To the School Committee and Citizens of the Town of Cumberland:

Again I am called upon to present the annual report relative to the progress of our public schools. At no time since my connection with the schools of Cumberland have I been able to give a more satisfactory outline of what we have been accustomed to present to the town for consideration. When the tax payers of the town meet in March to appropriate money to pay the legal expenses of running the town, it is their desire and right to know what has become of the funds appropriated and raised the preceding year. The expense of running our public schools has nearly doubled since 1917. The pay roll for our common school teachers in 1917 was \$85 each week. In 1920 it was \$160. The janitor service has doubled; conveyance, increased 25 per cent.; fuel, 290 per cent.; supplies, more than double; text-books, 75 per cent.

The extra money raised last year has been well expended. We feel quite sure that the interested citizens of the town will bear us out in this statement, for in the majority of our schools we have teachers second to none. We haven't as many trained teachers as last year, but they are teachers of experience, or those thoroughly interested and alive to the welfare of their schools.

Since the opening of the schools in September no changes have been made, and it is the desire of the School Board, backed by the citizens of the several districts, to retain for another year those teachers who have given general satisfaction. The greatest detriment to the progress of any school, large or small, is the frequent

change of teachers. The recently organized Parent-Teacher Association will bring the mothers and the teachers closer together, and the longer they co-operate together in school and community life, the greater will be the progress in raising the standards of education in the town.

In making our recommendations we have still kept in mind the facts and principles printed in last year's report, which we hope you have not forgotten. We refer you to page 27 instead of taking the space to have them re-printed.

Attendance.

Owing to the delightful weather we have had during the fall and winter, the attendance—barring the advent of measles, which came during the fall vacation and delayed the opening of the winter term—has been unusually good. The cardinal virtues of the school are regular attendance and punctuality, and it is the duty of the parents to help form these habits in the children while young. Let us work for a 90 per cent. average attendance next year. Our average this year is 84 per cent. The smaller schools have the highest average.

Progress

At the commencement of the fall term the work in grammar was made a specialty. I urged upon the teachers the necessity for extra effort in this study, commencing with the sixth grade. The teaching of more technical grammar must be taken up with that grade in order to have the work in English what it should be when the pupils enter high school. The new History and Civil Government of Maine, by our Deputy Superintendent, Glenn W. Starkey, will be taken up by the seventh and eighth grades at the opening of the spring term. The pupils of Cumberland have done fine work in United States' history, but the eighth grade needed the rest of the winter

term to complete the work outlined for the first semester, therefore thought it best not to put in the Maine history as a text-book until that time.

Repairs and Improvements.

Outside of the general repairs but little has been done. A building for the storage of fuel at the high school building on Chebeague is a crying necessity, calling louder and louder each year. The new floors mentioned in last year's report are still needed, the extra year's wear not having improved them in the least. The high cost of material kept the committee from taking action this year. The installation of chemical toilets at No. 7, the Tuttle road school and the East End and West End schools on Chebeague should be considered by the town and acted upon in the near future.

A bill will be brought before the present legislature asking for the passage of a law compelling towns to have their school buildings properly lighted, heated and ventilated, and toilets that are sanitary and connected with the school room, said improvements to be completed before the year 1925. Let us commence now and make one building each year meet these requirements.

Chebeague High School.

The same teacher, Miss Nevens, was retained for another year. No graduating class in June, 1920. The interest manifested and work accomplished have been quite satisfactory. It must be taken into consideration that the work in this school is very hard for one teacher, she having charge of the four classes in all the studies. The work in French and in English has been excellent.

Music.

When the schools opened in September your committee felt that the time had arrived when we could have music taught in our public schools. Miss Snow, after taking a

special course in music during the summer, was willing and anxious to take up this work in all the Cumberland schools. The results have been very satisfactory, as Miss Snow has been very enthusiastic in doing the most that she could in the time given to this lesson. The experimental stage is now past, and we depend upon the opinion of the people to help us decide upon the expediency of continuing this progressive movement in our schools. The art of music is one that should be cultivated, and as the "singing school" is practically a thing of the past, the public school seems to be the only place outside the home where our children can get any special training. When God has given us this talent it ought not to lie dormant.

School Statistics.

Whole number of pupils in town April 1, 1920,	277
Whole number attending our common schools,	165
Average number attending our common schools,	136
Length of school year in weeks,	32
Length of Chebeague high school in weeks,	36
Number of different teachers employed,	17
Average wages of common school teachers,	\$16.50

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. LUNT,

Superintendent.

TABULATION.

No. of School.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Terms' Experience.	No of Weeks in Term.	Total Attendance.	Av. Attendance.	Wages per Week.
Spring Term.						
2	Lucille M. Hatch	1	11	25	20	\$14 00
3	Louise L. Thompson	6	10	19	16	16 00
4	N. Elene Duplisea	10	10	12	11.91	18 00
7	Alice M. Lawrence	3	10	9	6	15 00
8	Melissa W. Ricker	2	10	18	13	12 00
9	Susie E. Hamilton	5	11	15	14	14 00
9	Ernestine R. Ross	4	11	18	15	9 00
13	Margaret McIntire	4	10	13	11	15 00
E. K. S.	Grace F. Jenkins	29	10	18	15	20 00
Is. High	Joy L. Nevens	9	11	13	12	20 00
Fall Term.						
2	Leona F. Boothman	6	12	27	21.6	18 00
3	W. Adelle Snow	13	12	21	17	25 00
4	Mary R. Sellick	1	13	20	17	15 50
7	Alice M. Lawrence	4	13	9	8	15 00
8	Pearl S. Hamilton	11	12	24	19	15 00
9	Ancil M. Weymouth	7	12	15	13	18 00
9	Nina F. Mansfield	1	12	12	11	11 00
13	Isabel E. Stults	1	12	11	9.65	16 00
E. K. S.	Jeannette Macdonald	13	13	18	14.5	20 00
Is. High	Joy L. Nevens	10	13	19	16½	20 00
Winter Term.						
2	Leona F. Boothman	7	9	26	23	18 00
3	W. Adelle Snow	14	10	20	16	25 00
4	Mary R. Sellick	2	9	15	13.6	15 50
7	Alice M. Lawrence	5	9	9	8	15 00
8	Pearl S. Hamilton	12	9	22	19	15 00
9	Ancil M. Weymouth	8	9	15	12	18 00
9	Nina F. Mansfield	2	9	12	11	11 00
13	Isabel E. Stults	2	9	9	7	16 00
E. K. S.	Jeannette Macdonald	9	9	18	17	25 00
Is. High	Joy L. Nevens	11	12	19	16	20 00

TEACHERS.

Paid Lucille M. Hatch,	\$190 00
Louise L. Thompson,	202 00
Nellie E. Duplisea,	222 00
Alice M. Lawrence,	444 00
Melissa W. Ricker,	176 00
Susie E. Hamilton,	188 00
Ernestine R. Ross,	125 00
Grace F. Jenkins,	254 00
Margaret R. McIntire,	228 00
Edith V. Ricker,	16 00
Jeanette Macdonald,	350 33
Isabel Stults,	256 00
Nina F. Mansfield,	198 00
Ancil M. Weymouth,	324 00
Pearl S. Hamilton,	270 00
Mary Sellick,	248 00
W. Adelle Snow,	412 00
Leona F. Boothman,	306 00
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	\$4,409 33

JANITORS.

Paid Kenneth Chase,	\$27 75
Harold Bragg,	28 00
Henry F. Nelson,	15 40
Melissa W. Ricker,	9 60
Parker Starrett,	27 00
R. B. Ross,	28 00
Nelson Thompson,	19 50
Mary E. Webber,	18 00
Harold Ricker,	14 25
Timothy O'Brien,	11 00
Ernestine Ross,	10 00
Margaret R. McIntire,	8 00
Susie E. Hamilton,	15 00
John Merrill,	3 00

Paid Edith V. Ricker,	\$ 1 00	
Isabel Stults,	16 00	
Pearl S. Hamilton,	27 00	
Ancil M. Weymouth,	18 00	
Gerald Packard,	15 00	
Robert C. Merrill,	14 00	
C. P. Eastman,	32 00	
	<hr/>	\$357 50

TRANSPORTATION.

Paid E. H. Strout,	\$192 25	
John F. Nelson,	205 00	
Doris Shaw,	21 25	
George W. Emery,	183 92	
H. C. Aldrich,	33 00	
Cumberland County Power and Light Co.,	48 33	
	<hr/>	\$683 75

CHEBEAGUE ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL.

Paid Joy L. Nevens,	\$760 00	
Janitor service,	36 00	
Fuel,	84 00	
Repairs,	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$888 00

FUEL.

Paid F. H. Morrill,	\$ 2 00
Henry F. Nelson,	1 25
Adison B. Hamilton,	73 93
V. E. Wilson,	2 50
Timothy O'Brien,	5 40
C. R. Mountfort,	2 25
A. C. LeGrow,	46 50
B. F. Doughty,	15 40
Chas. B. Porter,	1 00
M. B. Hamilton,	32 50

Paid A. L. Bowen,	\$25 00	
F. M. Rines,	6 75	
Randall & McAllister,	84 00	
A. B. Hamilton,	10 00	
Timothy O'Brien,	3 15	
F. H. Morrill,	78 75	
Julian Bennett,	1 60	
C. W. Hamilton,	20 50	
J. L. Dunn,	6 00	
F. M. Hulit,	26 00	
Rufus LeGrow,	48 00	
Timothy O'Brien,	1 50	
C. P. Eastman,	4 50	
B. F. Doughty,	7 40	
A. N. Blanchard,	1 00	
Geo. Blanchard,	91 00	
Carl E. Doughty,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$600 88

SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

Appropriation,		\$400 00
Paid A. B. Hamilton,	\$22 80	
Margaret R. McIntire,	1 00	
J. L. Dunn,	5 00	
A. B. Hamilton,	28 50	
Timothy O'Brien,	20 00	
O. L. Huston,	1 55	
L. F. Hamilton,	1 50	
A. B. Hamilton,	13 25	
A. B. Hamilton,	16 30	
Portland Stove Foundry Co.,	9 35	
J. R. Libby,	10 20	
J. L. Dunn,	4 37	
C. P. Eastman,	15 00	
A. B. Hamilton,	5 00	
Storer Bros.,	11 17	
	<hr/>	\$164 99
Balance in favor of town,		<hr/> \$235 01

TEXT-BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Appropriation,		\$300 00
Paid Doughty and Jones,	\$ 3 20	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	2 10	
H. W. Bowen,	2 50	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	18 24	
American Book Co.,	13 80	
Ginn & Co.,	16 93	
Macmillan Co.,	7 66	
Portland Stove Foundry,	44 00	
World Book Co.,	23 66	
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	48 09	
D. McNetton & Co.,	39 50	
Milton Bradley Co.,	39 48	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	7 81	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	45 29	
American Book Co.,	8 45	
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	12 13	
Benj. H. Sanborn,	5 70	
Doughty & Jones,	3 94	
J. L. Dunn,	13 71	
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	31 98	
Newell White,	6 00	
	<hr/>	\$394 17
Balance against town,		\$94 17

**APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.**

Support of common schools,	\$3,000 00
Text-books,	175 00
Supplies,	125 00
Repairs on schoolhouses,	300 00
Island high school,	500 00
Music teacher,	200 00

Greely Institute.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL FOR 1920-1921.

Greely Institute serves as the high school for the town of Cumberland and several of the surrounding towns. It is a Class A school with certification privileges with all of the Maine colleges. As those of its graduates who are now attending college are maintaining a very high standard in their work, it bids fair to retain that privilege indefinitely.

Last year a class of four was graduated with honors, all four having maintained an average rank of above ninety throughout their course. One of these will attend the University of Maine this fall, one is now in business college, the third is teaching in a neighboring town and the fourth has a position in Portland. The present senior class has eight members, five of whom are planning to continue their studies at college, and one who is considering advanced work along special lines.

This year a somewhat higher average attendance has been maintained, due largely to the fact that the entering class was three times the size of the outgoing class. The majority of this class have done good work, showing good preparation in the graded schools of the town.

Courses of Study.

The curriculum is divided into four courses of study: College Preparatory, English, Domestic Science and Agriculture. The college preparatory course is designed to meet the entrance requirements of the colleges. The work in English has been reorganized this year and new books purchased, so that all the new requirements in that

subject may be fully met from year to year. The work in composition was so good that it was decided to try and publish a school paper. The first issue appeared in December, and it is planned to publish one or two more during the year. It aroused quite a good deal of interest and the students worked hard for it. New books have been introduced in medieval and modern European history, which put the present organization of those courses in line with many of the larger schools.

Algebra has been made a required subject for all of the first year students. This step has been taken because of the fundamental nature of this subject with regard to much of the other work in high school, and also because, having the algebra, it is not as difficult for the student who decides in his second or third year that he wishes to attend college to fit himself for college entrance.

As all of the students in the school are included in the English, mathematics and history classes, regardless of their other special studies, all receive the advantage of the college standards maintained in these subjects. The individual schedules are being straightened out as fast as possible, so that each student will pursue a complete, well-rounded course of study.

The English course follows much the same lines as the college preparatory course with the modifications which the State Department specify shall form a part of such a course. A sufficiently high average of attendance is maintained in this course to make the school eligible to the State and academy aid.

Very satisfactory progress has been made in the domestic science courses. The cooking class, in addition to their regular work, have served a hot noon lunch daily during the winter term to fifteen or twenty of the students who have to eat their dinners at the school. The domestic science work is carried on on a "part-time" basis, that is, half of the teacher's time is given to the

domestic science work, while the other half is required for other subjects and for study room supervision.

This is also true of the agricultural work, as only half of the teacher's time can be given to strictly agricultural subjects, while the remainder is fully occupied in other departments of the school. As the amount of aid which is received from the State is based on the time that the teacher gives to the subject, this limits considerably the possible aid which might be received for both these courses.

In addition to their work in school, each student in the agricultural course either carries on a definite enterprise of a practical nature at home or works on a farm during the summer months. Last year several boys had very successful projects of corn and beans, and two others raised market produce and carried it to the public market in Portland.

That there is a demand and a need for this course is shown by the fact that two-thirds of the boys in the school are enrolled in the agricultural classes, and seventy-five per cent. of them are definitely planning to remain on the farm. Very few of these boys can continue their training at college, so that whatever knowledge they get of the fundamental principles of good agriculture, and whatever training they get in putting these principles into practice, they must get while still in high school. The need is there and the opportunity is there, just as the need and opportunity lie in all other lines of development, and it is Greely Institute's duty and privilege, which it is trying to fill, to see that all of the students who come to it are given the sort of training which will help them make the most of their lives.

E. H. DANFORTH,
Principal.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE TRUSTEES OF GREELY INSTITUTE.

JUNE 30, 1920.

Balance on hand January, 1920,		\$31 46
Received from the Town Treasurer,	\$2,000 00	
" for tuition,	132 00	
" " interest on deposits,	2 23	
" " interest on bonds,	265 62	
" " bricks sold,	2 00	
" " cement sold,	1 15	
" " rent (hall and lantern),	7 00	
" " E. H. Danforth, supplies,	5 43	
" from the State of Maine:		
Academy aid,	\$500 00	
Industrial education,	500 00	
	\$1,000 00	\$3,415 43
		\$3,446 89
Amounts paid out:		
For Teachers,	\$2,090 94	
Books,	168 91	
Agriculture,	159 47	
Light,	11 68	
Fuel,	143 04	
Domestic science,	37 57	
Janitor,	101 00	
Repairs,	119 17	
Supplies,	90 57	
Miscellaneous,	149 68	
Water,	20 00	
	\$3,092 03	
Balance on hand,	354 86	
	\$3,446 89	

(Signed) ALFRED W. DOUGHTY,
Treasurer.

DECEMBER 31, 1920.

Balance on hand July 1st,		\$ 354 86
Amounts received:		
From Town Treasurer,	\$2,060 00	
From State Funds:		
Federal aid,	\$400 00	
Industrial education,	267 00	
State Supt. of Schools,	500 00	
Industrial education,	453 32	
	<u> </u>	\$1,620 32
Interest:		
On deposits, Fidelity Trust,	\$ 2 13	
On county bonds,	87 50	
On City of Bath bonds,	80 00	
On liberty bonds,	5 30	
	<u> </u>	\$174 93
Tuition:		
Town of North Yarmouth,	\$168 00	
Town of Concord,	24 00	
	<u> </u>	\$192 00
Miscellaneous,	\$6 47	
Interest on library fund,	\$41 20	
Interest on philosophical fund,	\$18 36	
	<u> </u>	\$4,113 28
		<u> </u>
		\$4,468 14
Amounts paid out:		
For Teachers,	\$2,147 15	
Books,	264 81	
Agriculture,	138 79	
Light,	15 12	
Fuel,	454 90	
Domestic science,	9 87	
Janitor,	70 00	
Repairs,	82 93	

For Supplies,		\$27 23	
Miscellaneous,		64 13	
Water,		10 00	
Insurance,		75 25	
Magazines and ref- erence books,		20 25	
Refund to Town Treasurer,		80 00	
		<hr/>	
Balance:		\$3,460 43	
Library fund,	\$ 11 43		
Philosophical fund,	26 83		
General fund,	969 65		
	<hr/>	\$1,007 71	
		<hr/>	\$4,468 14

(Signed) ALFRED W. DOUGHTY,
Treasurer.

Memorandum.

Town notes,	\$13,000 00	
County bonds,	5,000 00	
City of Bath bonds,	2,000 00	
Liberty bonds,	250 00	
In Portland National Bank,	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$20,280 00
Philosophical fund,		\$300 00
Library fund,		\$500 00
Founder's fund,		\$12 00

Library Account.

On hand Jan. 1, 1920,	\$13 03	
Interest,	41 20	
	<hr/>	\$54 23
Paid for reference books and maga- zines,	\$42 80	
Balance,	11 43	
	<hr/>	\$54 23

Philosophical Fund.

On hand Jan. 1, 1920,	\$ 8 47	
Interest,	18 36	
	<hr/>	\$26 83

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ARNO S. CHASE, *Auditor.*



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