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ANNUAL REPORT

**South Paris Village
Corporation**



1940

Annual Report
of the
Assessors, Treasurer, Collector,
Chief Engineer,
Water Commission and
Superintendent of Water Works
of the
South Paris Village Corporation
for the
Year Ending December 31, 1940

Ernest F. Shaw, Printer
South Paris, Maine
1941

Corporation Officers

Assessors

L. F. DAVIS

D. H. BEAN

D. P. CHAPMAN

Clerk

EARLE R. CLIFFORD

Treasurer

ROBERT T. SMITH

Collector

A. FRENCH STEVENS (Deceased)

ROBERT T. SMITH (Appointed)

Water Commissioners

C. O. BARROWS

STANLEY M. WHEELER

A. F. GOLDSMITH

Engineers

WILLIAM G. CUSHMAN

HIRAM R. GATCHELL

LLOYD J. WEBSTER

Report of Corporation

To the Citizens of South Paris Village Corporation:

Your corporation assessors hereby submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1940.

Real Estate April 1, 1940

Resident	\$ 861,380 00	
Non-resident	134,040 00	
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Total real estate		\$ 995,420 00
Resident personal	\$ 211,855 00	
Non-resident personal	28,725 00	
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Total personal estate		240,580 00
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Total valuation		\$1,236,000 00
Number of polls assessed, 588.		
Gain in valuation, 845,020.00.		
Rate of taxation, eight and four-tenths (.0084) mills on a dollar.		

Appropriated and Assessed

Street lights	\$ 2,057 96
Parks	200 00
Library	600 00
Fire Department	1,500 00
Hydrant rentals	1,680 00
Police	1,150 00
Miscellaneous	1,150 00
Fire alarm maintenance	250 00
Clock	12 00
Compensation insurance	285 00
Fire Station repairs	400 00
Janitor and fuel, fire station	275 00
Fire Truck	893 75
Sewer maintenance	200 00
Fair Street park	300 00
Overlay	18 31
Supplementary	14 49
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	\$ 10,986 51
Excise tax collected in 1940	\$ 401 17

Expenditures

A. Protection**1. Fire Department**

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 1,500 00
Balance January 1, 1940	183 30
Town of Poland, attending fire	39 00
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Amount available	\$ 1,722 30

EXPENDITURES	
Orders drawn	\$ 1,631 93
Balance transferred to Summary	\$ 90 37
ORDERS DRAWN	
W. G. Cushman, chimney and grass fires	\$ 232 00
Clarence Bumpus, Hose Co. No. 1	173 00
Frank Hammond, Hose Co. No. 2	9 00
O. E. Blossom, Hose Co. No. 4	34 00
Alfred Tyler, Hose Co. No. 5	20 00
G. Harold Abbott, Hook & Ladder Co.	71 00
W. G. Cushman, certificate of title on truck	2 00
W. G. Cushman, travelling expenses	10 55
George F. Eastman Co., rubber coats	50 00
N. D. Bolster Co., supplies	1 88
Ralph R. Butts, supplies	5 59
O. K. Clifford Co., Inc., supplies	6 70
Smith's Service Station, gas and oil	62 68
Paris Mfg. Co., supplies	24 33
Paris Hardware Co., supplies	12 88
J. B. Cole & Son, supplies	2 00
E. W. Hanks, six units fire K. O.	12 00
Paris Farmers' Union, supplies	15 43
Ripley & Fletcher Co., inspection and supplies	13 90
W. H. Brown, lumber	26 31
Maxim Motor Co., hose, ladder and supplies	540 27
Henry T. Amey, supplies	54 01
B. H. Lothrop, labor and supplies	11 32
W. G. Pratt, labor and material	23 50
A. W. Walker & Son, sewer pipe and cement	4 60
W. J. Wheeler & Co., Inc., fire, theft and liability and property damage insurance	142 57
Charles H. Howard Co., supplies	1 13
Eastern Fire Equipment, Inc., supplies	29 78
South Paris Fire Department, payroll, attending fire at Poland	39 00
	\$ 1,631 93

2. Fire Station Janitor and Fuel

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 275 00
South Paris Village Corporation Water Works, rent of office, 1939 and 1940	100 00
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Amount available	\$ 375 00

EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 260 00
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Balance December 31, 1940	\$ 115 00

ORDERS DRAWN

C. W. Verrill, coal	\$ 132 00
A. W. Walker & Son, coal	50 00
D. H. Bean, janitor	78 00
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	\$ 260 00

3. Fire Alarm System Maintenance

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 250 00
Hector J. Cyr Co., damage to fire alarm	1 50
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Amount available	\$ 251 50

EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 279 63
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Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 28 13

ORDERS DRAWN

B. H. Lothrop, care of fire alarm	\$ 70 83
Frank Paekard, care of fire alarm	29 17
L. F. Davis, ringing alarm	50 00
Central Maine Power Co., compressor and repairs	119 17
B. H. Lothrop, repairs	2 55
Howard B. Young, work at central office	7 91
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	\$ 279 63

4. Watchman and Police

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 1,150 00
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 1,178 38
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Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 28 38
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ORDERS DRAWN

Detex Watch Clock Corporation, exchange of clock and dials	47 88
Clarence Jackson	1,093 00
Thomas Clegg	3 00
Francis Martin	3 00
Freeman Morse	3 00
Bernard Jackson	3 00
Harry Gordon	3 00
Ralph Cole	3 00
Alton Swan	3 00
Fred Cushman	3 00
Charles Hammond	3 00
Alton Andrews	3 00
W. G. Cushman	3 00
D. P. Chapman	3 00
Howard A. Lowe	1 50
	\$ 1,178 38

5. Hydrant Rental

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 1,680 00
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EXPENDITURES

Order drawn, South Paris Village Corporation Water Works	\$ 1,680 00
Account balanced.	

6. Street Lights

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 2,057 96
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn, Central Maine Power Co.	\$ 1,905 96
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Balance December 31, 1940	\$ 152 00
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7. Fire Truck

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 893 25
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South Paris Savings Bank, loan	3,000 00
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Amount available	\$ 3,893 25
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 3,923 75
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Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 30 00
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ORDERS DRAWN

Henry T. Amey, D-35 chassis	\$ 1,225 00
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Maxim Motor Co., fire truck body	2,668 75
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South Paris Savings Bank, interest on note	30 00
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	\$ 3,923 75
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8. Fire Station Repairs

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 400 00
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 498 03
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Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 98 03
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ORDERS DRAWN

Paris Hardware Co., three sets doors	\$	195 00
Paris Hardware Co., supplies		9 90
F. S. Chapman, labor		29 40
J. B. Cole & Son, supplies		8 51
W. G. Pratt, lumber		9 15
D. H. Bean, labor		29 28
Marshall Brown, labor		2 10
Robert Tuttle, labor		3 00
B. H. Lothrop, labor and material		4 30
Ralph R. Butts, labor and material installing toilets		207 39
	\$	<u>498 03</u>

B. Health and Sanitation**1. Sewer Construction**

RECEIPTS

Amount raised by notes	\$	30,000 00
I. G. Moore, wood from Briggs and Morton lot		5 00
Refund on sewer plans		80 00
Amount available	\$	<u>30,085 00</u>

EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$	29,797 16
Balance transferred to Summary	\$	<u>287 84</u>

ORDERS DRAWN

Harry E. Green, engineer	\$	1,122 96
South Paris Savings Bank, interest on notes		186 97
Wm. H. Grant, inspector		565 63
South Paris Savings Bank, payment of note		2,000 00
Lucien F. Davis, postage and telephone		7 27
Ernest F. Shaw, printing		5 40

George F. Eastman, lumber	\$ 4 20
Hector J. Cyr & Co., Inc., construction	24,215 96
Land and land damage for right of way	950 30
Harry E. Green, specifications	330 00
Harry E. Green, surveying	58 70
Advertising for bids	12 20
Refund on sewer plans	80 00
Paris Hardware Co., iron posts	1 76
Lucien F. Davis, services on construction	50 00
D. P. Chapman, services on construction	50 00
D. H. Bean, services on construction	10 00
Earle R. Clifford, expense in 1939	78 21
Robert T. Smith, legal services	24 00
Albert J. Stearns, legal services	5 00
Walter L. Gray, legal services	38 60
	\$ 29,797 16

2. Sewer Maintenance

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 200 00
No expenditures	
Balance December 31, 1940	\$ 200 00

C. Library

1. Public Library

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 600 00
State of Maine	47 00
	\$ 647 00

EXPENDITURES

ORDERS DRAWN

South Paris Public Library	\$ 642 00
West Paris Public Library	5 00
	\$ 647 00

Account balanced.

D. Recreation**1. Public Park**

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 200 00
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 204 35
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Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 4 35
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ORDERS DRAWN

C. W. Verrill, trucking	\$ 1 25
Paris Hardware Co., supplies	4 95
D. H. Bean, painting fountain	5 00
Walter H. Grover, trimming trees	10 00
Town of Paris, spraying trees	7 50
Barnes & LaBay, repairing lawn mower	1 75
D. H. Bean, care of Park	160 00
Paris Farmers' Union, fertilizer and grass seed	11 90
I. G. Moore, loan	2 00
	\$ 204 35

2. Fair Street Park

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$ 300 00
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EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$ 129 88
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Balance December 31, 1940	\$ 170 12
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ORDERS DRAWN

Strand Nurseries, one-half of nursery stock	\$ 68 92
George P. Boyce, labor	27 68
A. W. Walker & Son, colored mortar	4 90
J. B. Cole & Son, supplies	17 63
Guy Mc Pherson, trucking	3 25
D. H. Bean, care	7 50
	\$ 129 88

3. Moore Park Ass'n., Holmes Fund

Income to be used for care of Moore Park.

South Paris Saving Bank	\$	99 19
Interest added		2 49
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Balance in South Paris Savings Bank	\$	101 68

E. Unclassified

1. Miscellaneous

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$	1,150 00
Rent of hall		20 00
W. G. Cushman, use of fire truck		11 00
Town of Poland, use of fire truck		70 00
Hose houses		19 00
Interest on taxes		2 08
Cost and interest on tax liens and deed		35 12
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Amount available	\$	1,307 20

EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn	\$	1,252 49
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Balance Transferred to Summary	\$	54 71

ORDERS DRAWN

Central Maine Power Co., lights	\$	39 65
Casco Bank & Trust Co., check book and checking charge		3 95
Charles H. Howard Co., valuation books, tax receipts and other supplies		37 35
A. French Stevens, commission for year 1939		93 17
Robert T. Smith, commission on 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935 and 1936 taxes		19 38
State Department of Audit, 1939 audit		53 85
Helen L. Briggs, clerical work		5 00
Ernest F. Shaw, 725 reports		149 00

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D. H. Bean, delivering reports	\$	7 00
Ernest F. Shaw, letter heads and envelopes		11 50
W. J. Wheeler & Co., Inc., collector's and treasurer's bonds		30 00
Andrew J. Eastman, moderator		5 00
Elsie B. Chapman, clerical work		8 00
Harvey E. Powers, recording liens		12 50
A. F. Stevens, filing 25 liens		25 00
Town of Paris, office supplies and telephone		4 23
Emil Strobeck, signs		1 00
Paris Hardware Co., supplies		3 58
W. J. Wheeler & Co., Inc., insurance on fire department equipment		70 00
A. French Stevens, commission on 1940 collections		49 68
A. French Stevens, costs collected		39
Harry M. Shaw, serving summons		1 95
W. G. Cushman, chief		100 00
Hiram Gatchell, first assistant		50 00
Lloyd Webster, second assistant		50 00
Earle R. Clifford, clerk		10 00
Robert T. Smith, treasurer		75 00
Lucien F. Davis, first assessor		78 80
D. H. Bean, second assessor		42 80
D. P. Chapman, third assessor		78 80
D. P. Chapman, bookkeeping		35 00
Robert T. Smith, commission on 1940 collections		50 91
Town of Paris, rent of office and use of safe		50 00
		\$ 1,252 49

2. Town Clock

RECEIPTS

Amount appropriated	\$	12 00
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EXPENDITURES

Order drawn, Helen C. Briggs	\$	12 00
Account balanced.		

3. Workmen's Compensation

RECEIPTS	
Amount appropriated	\$ 285 00
EXPENDITURES	
Order drawn, W. J. Wheeler & Co., Inc.	\$ 294 71
Overdraft transferred to Summary	\$ 9 71

F. Special Assessments

1. Overlay and Supplemental Taxes

RECEIPTS	
Overlay	\$ 18 31
Supplemental taxes	14 49
	<u>32 80</u>
EXPENDITURES	
Abatements allowed	\$ 18 83
Balance transferred to Summary	\$ 13 97
ABATEMENTS ALLOWED	
Preston Cummings, paid in another town	\$ 1 00
Walter L. Gray, Jr., no radio	13
John J. Hayden, exempt due to blindness	14 28
Albert Kalweit, deceased	1 13
Oliver Swett, did not live in Corporation	1 00
Alta Wise, over-assessment on real estate	1 26
Catherine Barker, error	03
	<u>18 83</u>

2. Excise Tax

RECEIPTS	
Town of Paris	\$ 401 17
No expenditures	
Balance transferred to Summary	\$ 401 17

Summary of Overdraft and Unexpended Balances

	Overdraft	Unexpended
Fire Department		\$ 90 37
Fire Alarm System	\$ 28 13	
Watchman and Police	28 38	
Fire Truck	30 00	
Fire Station Repairs	98 03	
Sewer Construction		287 84
Public Park	4 35	
Miscellaneous		54 71
Workmen's Compensation	9 71	
Overlay and Supplemental Taxes		13 97
Excise Tax		401 17
Net Unexpended Balance to Net Debt	649 46	
	\$ 848 06	\$ 848 06

Respectfully submitted,

L. F. DAVIS	}	Assessors of
D. H. BEAN		South Paris
D. P. CHAPMAN		Village Corporation

Annual Report of the
WATER COMMISSION
For 1940

The following is the annual report of the Water Commission for the past year:

During 1940 we have installed a new 8 inch water main from the hydrant near the residence of Robert Wheeler across the new Billings Bridge to a point opposite the Shurtleff grain mill, a distance of 322 feet, suspending the pipe under the bridge and carefully insulating same to prevent freezing. This replaces the old 6 inch line which crosses the river above the dam. The new installation, besides eliminating the danger of breakage which would disrupt our service across the river, increases the capacity of our Main Street line 100%. The above job was completed at a cost of \$1,177.21.

We have also laid a 6 inch line from the corner of Oxford Street and Highland Avenue, 456 feet connecting same to the 4 inch line near the residence of O. K. Clifford, which completes the circuit on Highland Avenue. This was done at a cost of \$214.17 as we used 6 inch pipe from our old supply line.

We have also replaced three old hydrants with new ones at a cost of \$180.51.

We have no special recommendation for the coming year, except to call attention of the citizens of the Corporation to the constant increase in the consumption of water, as it will be noted from the reports that our electric power bill has increased from \$1,805.66 in 1937 to \$4,287.27 in 1940, and during the last month or two we are using electric current at the rate of about \$4,800.00

per year. If our demand for water increases much further or is even maintained at the present rate, we will have too little margin of safety to insure a constant supply in case of a breakdown of either of our present pumping units.

As to the finances of the Water Company, as our report shows, we made a net profit of \$6,221.17 in 1940, and had on hand as of January 1, 1941, \$6,891.75.

Respectfully submitted,

C. O. BARROWS
STANLEY M. WHEELER
A. F. GOLDSMITH

} Water
Commission

ORDERS DRAWN

Advertiser-Democrat, notices in paper	\$	11 70
Amey, Henry T., gasoline		5 00
Bean, Aubrey, labor		42 88
Blake, W. L. & Co., supplies		73 89
Bolster, N. D. Co., supplies		9 23
Brown-Wales Co., supplies and bridge insulation		1,064 16
Butts, Ralph R., supplies		28 66
Caldwell, Geo. A., supplies		10 39
Canadian National Railroad, freight		45 67
Central Maine Power Co., power		4,063 68
Clifford, O. K. Co., supplies		7 82
Carlson, John, labor		2 00
Coburn, Carl, labor		5 25
Cole, J. B. & Son, supplies		25 50
Cushman, W. G., labor		659 99
Damon, H. L., labor		167 94
Daugherty, Walter, supplies		10 30
Doran, George, Agt., freight		12 82

Dudley, Ernest, labor	\$	4 55
Durrell, A. D., labor		45 94
Eddy Valve Co., gate valve		37 40
Etheridge Foundry, supplies		59 39
Gates, Raymond, labor		2 60
Goldsmith, A. F., salary	780	00
Goldsmith, A. F., expense		17 92
Goldsmith, Bessie, clerical		36 10
Gauthier, Albert, labor		14 88
Gauthier, Hector, labor		17 43
Green & Wilson, supplies		9 00
Haley, Gerald, labor		2 10
Hill, O. F., labor		3 15
Huotari, Abel, labor		16 45
Huotari, Elmer, labor		21 35
Hydraulic Dev. Co., hydrotite		40 00
King, Albert, labor		3 15
Knightly, Norman, labor		20 80
Lambert, Frank, labor		3 15
Longley & Son, supplies		1 25
Lowe, Howard, labor		3 15
Maine Water Utilities, dues		10 00
Millett, Fish, Dresser & Adam, audit		75 00
Millett, Derwood, labor		4 20
Morse, Freeman, labor		1 05
New England Tel. & Tel., phone service		46 39
Noble & Noble, repairs		4 00
Norway Auto Co., supplies		4 20
Paris Farmers' Union, supplies		3 72
Paris Hardware Co., supplies		39 69
Paris Mfg. Co., supplies		40
Record, C. C., labor		17 68
Record, Lawrence, labor		8 23
Richardson, Alva, labor		3 60
Richardson, Clifford, labor		24 99
Ripley & Fletcher Co., truck expense	146	74
Sanborns Motor Express, trucking		1 41
Shaw, Clyde, labor		40 86

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Shaw, Ernest, printing	\$	14 70
South Paris Savings Bank, note		4,000 00
South Paris Savings Bank, interest		48 21
South Paris Village Corp., rent of office		100 00
Strother, Marcus, labor		3 60
Swan, Ned, labor		3 60
Twitchell, C. W., labor		730 33
Town of Paris, repairing street		5 55
Warren Pipe Co., pipe		133 06
Walker, A. W. & Son, supplies		27 81
Wilson, Bernice B., clerical		400 90
Wheeler, W. J., insurance		20 00
Zanoni, Joseph, labor		3 15
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	\$	13,309 71

Balance Sheet--Water Works**As at December 31, 1940**

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash (Corporation Treas.)	\$ 4,504 93	
Cash in Office	2,386 82	
Cash Impounded in Closed		
Bank	\$ 4,483 14	
Less: Reserve for esti-		
mated loss	3,735 95	
	<u>747 19</u>	
Accounts Receivable—Customers	1,869 19	
Materials and Supplies on hand	1,151 84	
	<u> </u>	\$ 10,659 97

Fixed Assets:

Fixed Capital, June 30, 1915	\$ 77,352 25	
Subsequent Additions:		
Land	\$ 650 00	
Reservoirs and standpipes	558 56	
Purification system	685 93	
Distribution mains	23,837 63	
Services	738 80	
Hydrants and fire cisterns	449 92	
Meters	344 73	
Law expense	32 75	
Engineering	13 63	
Other equipment	2,160 24	
General office equipment	182 62	
Dams and wells	12,512 02	
Electric power pumping		
equipment	6,655 94	
Pumping station structures	1,400 00	
	<u>50,222 77</u>	
	\$127,575 02	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	25,571 86	
	<u> </u>	102,003 16
Total Assets		<u>\$112,663 13</u>

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

Current Liabilities:

Advance payment of water rentals	\$ 1,070 75
Total Liabilities	1,070 75
Contributions for construction	580 00
Earned Surplus	111,012 38
Total Liabilities and Capital	<u>112,663 13</u>

Statement of Profit and Loss

Water Service Revenues:

Flat-rate Residential Sales	\$ 6,281 26
Flat-rate Commercial Sales	1,356 21
Metered Industrial Sales	664 32
Flat-rate Industrial Sales	5,169 82
Public Fire Protection	1,680 00
Sales to Other Distributors	72 80
	<u>\$ 15,224 41</u>

Operating Expenses:

Source of Supply—Operation:

Operating Labor	\$ 57 77
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense	8 75
	<u>\$ 66 52</u>

Pumping System Expense, Operation:

Pumping Labor	\$ 150 83
Other Labor	6 24
Power Purchased	4,063 68
	<u>4,220 75</u>

Distribution Expense, Operation:

Distribution Operating Labor	550 62
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Pumping Expense, Maintenance:

Repairs to Pumping Station Buildings	\$ 22 69
Repairs to Pumping Equipment	31 60
	<u>54 29</u>

Distribution Expense, Maintenance:	
Repairs to Storage Reservoirs	\$ 67 93
Repairs to Services	17 97
Repairs to Hydrants	110 52
	196 42
General and Miscellaneous Expenses:	
Salaries and Expenses of General Officers	\$ 818 00
Salaries and Expenses of General Office Employees	438 37
General Office Supplies and Expense	243 73
Miscellaneous General Expense	327 71
Insurance	20 00
Transportation Expense	174 34
	2,022 15
Total Operation and Miscellaneous Expense	\$ 7,110 75
Depreciation	1,855 11
Uncollectible Revenues	149 58
	9,115 44
Total Operating Expense	\$ 9,115 44
Net Operating Revenues	\$ 6,108 97
Other Revenues:	
Income from Merchandise and Jobbing	122 30
	\$ 6,231 27
Other Deductions:	
Miscellaneous Interest Deductions	10 10
	\$ 6,221 17
Net Income Transferred to Surplus	\$ 6,221 17

Office of
State Department of Audit

Augusta, Maine, January 24, 1941.

To the Inhabitants of South Paris Village Corporation:

In accordance with your request, this department, represented by Mr. G. C. Lewis, has completed an examination of the accounts of your village corporation officials for the municipal year ended December 31, 1940.

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

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT,

Harold E. Crawford, Municipal Auditor.

Comparative Balance Sheet

Subsidiary Schedules.	ASSETS	
	Dec. 31, 1939	Dec. 31, 1940
1 Cash:		
Village Corpora- tion	\$ 2,233 89	\$ 2,940 38
Water Commission	2,972 90	4,504 93
	\$ 5,206 79	\$ 7,445 31
2 Uncollected Taxes:		
1940		\$ 1,032 92
1939	\$ 722 03	79 41
1938	41 24	33 48
1937	9 24	6 53
	772 51	1,152 34
3 Tax Liens:		
1939		\$ 152 63
1938	\$ 136 97	43 65
1937	32 66	32 66
1936	30 37	30 37
	200 00	259 31
4 Tax Deeds:		
1935	\$ 119 60	\$ 110 44
1934	183 85	183 85
1933	60 09	60 09
1932	53 85	53 85
	417 39	408 23
5 Trust Fund Investment:		
Savings Bank	99 19	101 68
Total Assets	\$ 6,695 88	\$ 9,366 87
6 Net Debt		26,917 13
Combined Assets and Net Debt	\$ 6,695 88	\$ 36,284 00

LIABILITIES

Subsidiary Schedules:	Dec. 31, 1939	Dec. 31, 1940
7 Accounts Payable	\$ 7 79	\$ 40 27
8 Notes Payable		31,000 00
Water Commission—Contra cash	2,972 90	4,504 93
5 Trust Fund Reserve:		
Moore Park Association	99 19	101 68
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Total Liabilities	\$ 3,079 88	\$ 35,646 88
Unexpended Balances:		
Fire Department	\$ 183 30	\$ 115 00
Street Lights		152 00
Sewer Maintenance		200 00
Fair Street Park		170 12
		<u> </u>
		\$ 637 12
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$ 3,263 18	\$ 36,284 00
6 Surplus	3,432 70	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Combined Liabilities, Unexpended Balances and Surplus	\$ 6,695 88	\$ 36,284 00

Report of Treasurer

Cash Balance, December 31, 1939 \$ 5,206 79

RECEIPTS**Taxes:**

Current Year	\$ 9,975 03	
Prior Years	413 04	
Tax Liens	181 45	
Tax Deeds	9 16	
Excise Tax, 1940	401 17	
Total from Taxes		\$ 10,979 85

Departmental Receipts:

From State—Library		47 00
From Other Sources—Protection	\$ 140 50	
Health and		
Sanitation	85 00	
Miscellaneous	157 20	
Total from Other Sources		382 70

Notes Payable 33,000 00

Unclassified:

Water Commission 14,841 74

Total Receipts, all sources 59,251 29

Total Available 64,458 08

Town Orders Paid 57,012 77

Cash Balance, December 31, 1940 \$ 7,445 31

DIVISION OF CASH BALANCE

	Dec. 31, 1939	Dec. 31, 1940
Village Corporation	\$ 2,233 89	\$ 2,940 38
Water Commission	2,972 90	4,504 93
Total Cash Balance	\$ 5,206 79	\$ 7,445 31

Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance

Balance per bank statement \$ 7,543 66

Less: Outstanding Checks 98 35

Cash Book Balance, Dec. 31, 1940 \$ 7,445 31

1940 Valuation and Commitment

A. French Stevens, Collector:

Valuation:

Real Estate—Resident	\$861,380 00
--Non-resident	134,040 00

Total real estate	\$995,420 00
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Personal Estate—Resident	\$211,855 00
—Non-resident	28,725 00

Total personal estate	\$240,580 00
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Total Valuation	\$1,236,000 00
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Commitment:

Valuation x Rate

\$1,236,000.00 x .0084	\$ 10,382 40
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588 Polls at \$1.00	588 00
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Variance	1 62
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Tax Commitment	\$ 10,972 02
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Supplemental Taxes	2 73
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Total Charged to Collector	\$ 10,974 75
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Credits to Collector:

Cash to Treasurer	3,721 52
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Uncollected 1940 Taxes as of November 13,

1940 recommitted to Robert T.

Smith due to death of Mr.

Stevens	\$ 7.253 23
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Errors in Recommitment:			
Mrs. Catherine Barker Tax	\$	03	
Maxine Bennett Tax		02	
			\$ 01
Mrs. Mae B. Tuttle Tax			13
Overpayment to Treasurer, September 21, 1940			* 40 27
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Tax Recommitment	\$	7,293	64
Supplemental Taxes			11 62
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Total Charged to Collector	\$	7,305	26
Credits to Collector:			
Cash to Treasurer	\$	6,253	51
Abatements		18	83
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			6,272 34
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Uncollected 1940 Taxes, December 31, 1940	\$	1,032	92

*Tax Receipts Nos. 1103 and 1104 amounting to \$40.27 were paid on September 21, 1940 and turned into the town treasury. After death of Collector these two receipts were listed in the settlement prior to recommitment of taxes. This amount is due and payable to the deceased collector's estate.

Uncollected Taxes, 1940

RESIDENT:

Andrews, Roland D.	\$1.00	Bryant, Alice	15.12
Andrews, Alton A.	9.37	Button, Lewis C.	4.91
Atkinson, Sidney	1.00	Burnham, George I.	17.22
Allen, Russell	1.13	Buck, C. Guy	1.00
Barnes, Thomas E. R.	11.47	Buck, Devisees of	
Barnett, Anna	12.60	Mrs. Mae	12.60
Bean, Durwood C.	1.13	Briggs, Clarence	1.00
Bennett, Bernard	1.00	Cummings, John A.	.13
Benson, Roscoe	1.00	Brown, Benjamin P.	2.65
Blossom, Kenneth	1.13	Bradbury, Norman	1.00

Bryant, Guy	1.13	Hazelton, Thurlow	1.13
Buzzell, Avon	1.13	Harding, A. Jack	1.13
Brown, Maurette	1.00	Harding, Walter	1.13
Barnes & LaBay	19.91	Hodgdon, Alonzi	1.00
Brackett, Heirs of L. J.	14.28	Howe, Francis C.	1.13
Briggs, Walter	1.13	Harding, Oscar	1.00
Briggs, William	1.13	Hodgdon, Edward	1.00
Carroll, Ruby S.	10.08	Hatch, Stanley	1.13
Carne, Homer	1.00	Harding, Ralph	1.00
Coburn, Ross	1.13	Hemmingway, Irving	1.00
Cutler, Charles R.	8.06	Irvine, Walter J.	1.13
Cummings, Oliver J.	1.21	Ingersoll, Charles S.	1.13
Culbert, Guy	1.00	Johnson, Alfred T.	1.13
Culbert, Frank	1.00	Johnson, George E.	6.17
Cushman, Fred E.	1.13	Jackson, Fred	1.13
Cummings, Chester	1.00	Jones, Mrs. Iva	3.57
Cummings, Joseph B.	2.68	Korhonen, Reino	1.00
Cummings, Henry L.	1.00	Korhonen, Matti	1.00
Card, Mrs. Maxine	2.10	Kirschner, Louis	1.00
Campbell, Ivan	.13	Lane, Willie	1.00
Davis, Horace I.	1.00	Leach, Ava	10.08
Dow, Mrs. Mary I.	5.04	LeBay, Roland M.	.13
Durgin, Fred J.	15.96	Lovejoy, Fred	6.72
Durgin, Cyrus A.	1.00	Littlefield, Elijah	1.00
Durgin, Heirs of Fannie	6.72	Lock, Frank	1.13
Eyer, Harold	1.13	Littlefield, Donald	1.00
Dean, H. G.	1.00	Libby, Ernest	1.00
Dudley, Richard	1.13	Libby, Lester	1.00
Dillingham, Nelson	1.00	Luce, William L.	1.00
Decato, Norman	1.00	Martin, Walter E.	1.13
Duke, Alvin	2.10	Merrill, Clarence C.	1.00
Eastman, Andrew J.		Merrill, Irving	10.37
Estes, Leo	1.13	Morse, Freeman W.	1.13
Eastman, Oscar	1.13	Murch, Percy	1.55
Edwards, Guy	1.13	Miller, Martin K.	1.13
Frost, Ray E.	1.13	McAlister, S. Howard	1.13
Farrar, Everett H.	8.40	Merrill, Forest B.	1.00
Farnum, Alton	1.00	Mayberry, Theo	2.10
Fogg, James	1.00	McLaughlin, John	1.00
Fletcher, Clifford	1.13	Martin, Graydon	1.00
Gordon, Harry M.	1.13	Noyes, Leland W.	1.00
Gammon, Francis	1.00	Noyes, Leon E.	14.94
Griffith, Ira B.	1.21	Norris, Fred J.	1.13
Harlow, Everett	1.42	Pine Tree Water Co.	8.40

Porter, John A.	1.13	Smith, Archie M.	33.76
Pratt, Willard G.	11.05	Stevens, George E.	1.13
Pratt, Mrs. Flora	12.60	Swett, Henry	1.00
Pence, Maurice M.	13.18	Stone, T. H.	1.00
Pope, D. C.	1.13	Thurlow, J. A.	23.51
Picken, John	1.00	Titus, Leroy W.	57.75
Patten, Ernest	1.13	Tyler, Alfred	1.55
Record, Chester F.	1.68	Tuttle, Arthur	.13
Richardson, George W..		Tuttle, William R.	1.00
Heirs	10.92	Tuttle, Henry C.	1.00
Reggie, Fred L.	1.00	Tuttle, Mrs. Mae B.	.42
Rich, Eugene	1.13	Tuttle, Harold	1.00
Russell, Mrs. Ada M.	7.56	Tuttle, Robert	1.00
Reed, Brandon	1.13	Thayer, Winslow C.	67.20
Record, Herman H.	.91	Thayer, Gordon	1.00
Russell, Leon L.	1.00	Thomas, Winnie	2.52
Starbird, H. Walter	9.82	Thayer, Willard F.	1.13
Stearns, Austin P.	.84	Thayers Market	9.24
Stearns, William	.84	Tibbetts, George	1.13
Swan, Effie	8.40	Wight, Ronello	1.00
Saunders, Mrs. Harriett	5.04	Whittier, Fred	1.00
Smith, Walter R.	1.55	Wilson, Seth	1.13
Sawyer, H. A.	1.13	Young, Roland	1.00

NON-RESIDENT

Chute & Scribner Bros.	25.20	Schoff, Heirs of	
Redding, W. B.	6.72	Leon F.	28.56
Tubbs, James N.	15.75	Crockett, Ernest D.	6.72
Mason, Heirs of Cora	3.36	Catlin, Mrs. Joseph	50.40
Campbell, Gertrude D.	3.61	Elder, Mrs. Emma	16.80
Corey, Lennie B.	3.61	Casco Mercantile Trust	
Warren, Daisy B.	3.61	Co.	19.32
Joe Pokum Moccasin Co	2.94		

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Buzzell, Avon	2.10	Bugey, George L.	1.00
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			\$820.16
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			212.76
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			\$1,032.92

Uncollected Taxes, 1939

Roland Andrews	1.00	G. Wendall Keniston	1.11
Sidney Atkinson	1.00	Lewis Kirschner	1.56
Bernard Bennett	1.00	Freeman Morse	1.19
Kenneth Blossom	.83	B. H. Lothrop	1.31
C. Guy Buck	1.00	Herbert Lord	1.00
Clarence Briggs	1.00	Willie Lane	1.00
Norman Bradbury	1.00	Clarence Merrill	1.00
Guy Bryant	.11	Martin K. Miller	1.11
Albert D. Barker	1.00	Howard S. McAlister	1.19
Ross Coburn	1.11	Forest Merrill	1.00
Guy Culbert	1.00	Douglass Mitchell	.11
Oliver Cummings	1.00	Percy Monk	1.00
Chester Cummings	1.00	Orin Noble	1.19
Joseph Cummings	1.00	Urshal Paine	1.11
Henry Cummings	1.00	Dearborn Pope	1.19
Maxine B. Card	2.25	Maurice Prince	.56
Frank Card	1.00	Paris Beauty Salon	1.31
Horace I. Davis	1.00	Arthur Paine	1.00
Albert Drouin	1.11	Elmo Poland	1.11
Otis Douglass	1.00	Brandon Reed	1.19
Harold Dyer	1.11	Eugene A. Rich	1.11
Alton L. Farnum	1.00	Sherlock Truman	1.00
Donald Field	1.00	Lester Swallow	1.11
Harry Gordon	1.11	Oliver Swett	1.00
Joseph Gerard	1.11	John Singleton	1.19
Hormidas Gerard	1.00	Francis A. Shaw	.11
Francis M. Gammon	1.11	Ralph E. Smith	1.00
Ira B. Griffith	1.19	Alfred Tyler	.11
Everett C. Harlow	1.00	Henry C. Tuttle	1.00
Thurlow Hazelton	1.11	Harold Tuttle	1.00
Walter Harding	1.00	Robert Tuttle	1.00
Alonzo Hodgdon	1.00	Lewis Verrill	1.19
Francis Howe	1.19	Rinaldo Wight	1.00
Thomas O. Harvey	1.00	Stanley Whittemore	1.00
Chas. T. Ingersoll	1.19	Roland Young	1.00
T A. and Cora Johnson	1.11	Joe Pokum Moccasin	
Fred Jackson	1.11	Co.	3.00
Clarence Jackson	.11	Texas Oil Co.,	.38
Earl Jordan Sr.	1.11		
Earl Jordan Jr.	1.00		
			\$79.41

Uncollected Taxes, 1938

Abbott, Manley	1.17	Karnetsky, Dan	1.17
Bennett, Bernard	1.00	Kirschner, Louis	1.00
Coburn, Ross D.	1.17	Libby, Ernest	1.00
Cummings, Oliver G.	1.00	Lothrop, B. H.	.52
Card, Maxine B.	2.24	McAlister, Howard S.	1.17
Drouin, Albert	1.17	Noble, Orin A.	1.17
Ethridge, Nathan C.	1.00	Poland, Elmo	1.17
Farnham, Alton L.	1.00	Reed, Brandon	1.00
Gordon, Harry M.	1.17	Rich, Eugene A.	.17
Gerard, Joe	1.17	Stone, Truman H.	1.00
Hazelton, Thurlow C.	1.17	Smith, Charles I.	1.00
Harding, Walter	1.00	Tuttle, Ralph	1.00
Ingersoll, Charles	1.17	Tyler, Alfred	.17
Jackson, Fred	1.17	Tuttle, Henry C.	1.00
Kenniston, G. Wendall	1.17	Wight, Ronaldo	1.00
Kirkpatrick, J. E.	1.17	Whittemore, Stanley E.	1.00
			\$33.48

Uncollected Taxes, 1937

Bennett, Bernard	.17		
Cummings, Oliver G.	1.34	Record, Howard L.	1.00
Gerard, Joseph	.17	Stone, T. H.	1.17
Merrill, Forest	1.00		
Needham, Omar	1.68		\$6.53

Tax Liens, 1939

Alton A. Andrews	\$8.25		
Anna Barnett	13.50	Winslow C. Thayer	22.50
Devises of May Buck	11.25	Winslow C. Thayer	37.50
Ernest P. Crockett	13.50	Winnie Thomas	2.25
Joseph V. Cummings	3.00	Wm. H. Davis	.75
Everett H. Farrar	9.75	Heirs of Cora Mason	3.00
Everett Harlow	.38	Casco Mercantile—	
Flora Pratt	12.00	L. L. Russell Mill	5.25
Heirs of George W. Richardson	9.75		\$152.63

1938:

Aldrich, Elmer	.69	Harlow, Everett	.35
Barnett, Anna	12.42	Mason, Cora Heirs	2.75
Buck, May E. Heirs	13.80	Parker, Alice R.	3.28
Casco Mercantile Trust Co.	10.35		<u>\$43.65</u>

1937:

Buck, Mary E. Heirs	13.60	Maxim, Philip	.34
Noble, Nathan	.61	Rosenberg, Rosamond	16.32
Allen, Harville E.	.17		<u>\$32.63</u>
Mason, Cora, Heirs	1.62		

1936:

Allen, Harville E.	1.67	Maxim, Philip	1.83
Buck, May, Heirs	14.70	Noble, Nathan	2.09
Jackson, Wm. E.	10.08		<u>\$30.37</u>

Tax Deeds, 1935

Harville Allen	1.17		
Anna Barnett	13.44	Nathan Noble	1.61
Willard E. Bryant	17.32	Maurice Pence	10.52
Frank E. Buck, Heirs	14.60	Fannie Pence	7.46
Ronello Edwards	7.12	Fannie Pence	1.34
Ronello Edwards	2.02	Leslie V. Spinney	3.72
Myron Farnum	14.60	F. W. Starbird	1.34
William H. Judkins,		Winnie Thomas	3.04
Heirs	2.02	Hiram Thurlow	5.03
Henry T. Knightly	2.70		<u> </u>
Philip Maxim	1.34		\$110.44

1934

Anna Barnett	12.88	Leslie V. Spinney	3.64
Frank E. Buck, Heirs	14.20	Hiram Thurlow	4.95
William H. Judkins		Theodore Thayer,	
Heirs	1.99	Heirs	34.00
James E. Kenney, Heirs	9.58	Conant Bros. Co.	20.89
Maurice Pence	10.24	Harlan L. Damon	1.90

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Harlan L. Damon	2.65	George Taylor	8.92
Lou Dougherty	5.29	Mary Thurlow	4.96
Fred DeCoster	1.50	Percy M. Walker	21.79
Florence Hicks, Heirs	8.92	Percy M. Walker	2.32
Lila McGinley	8.92		—
Fred C. Holt	4.30		183.85

1933:

Anna Barnett	12.88	Henry Dean	4.96
Myron Farnum	14.20	Myron Maxim	2.65
William L. Jackson	9.58	Fannie Pratt	1.33
Nathan Noble	1.59	Fannie Pratt	7.27
F. W. Starbird	1.33		—
Fred C. Holt	4.30		\$60.09

1932:

Frank E. Buck, Heirs	\$14.80		
Nathan Noble	1.62	Joseph V. Cummings	3.76
Conant Bros. Co.	21.70	Ivory P. Seavey, Heirs	2.38
Fred C. Holt	4.45		—
Henry Dean	5.14		\$53.85

Trust Funds, Dec. 31, 1940

Name of Fund	Investment
Moore Park Association	South Paris Savings Bank Bank Book No. 5063 \$101 68

Analysis of Change from Surplus to Net Debt

Surplus, December 31, 1939	\$ 3,432 70
Increase:	
Sewer Loan Repaid	2,000 00
1939 Tax Adjustment	71
1940 Unexpended Balance	649 46
	————— \$ 6,082 87
Decrease:	
Notes Payable (Sewer)	30,000 00
Notes Payable (Fire Truck)	3,000 00
	————— 33,000 00
Net Debt, Dec. 31, 1940	\$ 26,917 13

Accounts Payable

A. French Stevens Est., Error in Settlement of Taxes	\$ 40 27
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Notes Payable

		No.	Rate	Maturity		
3 - \$1,000 00	Fire Truck Notes		2%	1941-42-43	\$	3,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	Sewer Note	1	3-4%	1941		3,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	" "	2	1 1-4%	1942		3,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	" "	3	1 1-2%	1943		3,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	" "	4	1 3-4%	1944		3,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	" "	5	2%	1945		3,000 00
3 - 3,000 00	" "	6-7-8	2 1-2%	1946-47-48		9,000 00
1 - 3,000 00	" "	9	2 3-4%	1949		3,000 00
1 - 1,000 00	Bal. "	10	2 3-4%	1950		1,000 00
						31,000 00
Total Notes Payable					\$	31,000 00

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Report of Chief Engineer

To the Citizens of South Paris Village Corporation:

I am submitting my eighth annual report of the Fire Department.

Organization was completed April 6, 1940.

Chief Engineer--Wm. G. Cushman

1st Assistant--Hiram Gatehell

2nd Assistant--Lloyd Webster

HOSE CO. No. 1

Foreman--Carroll Edwards

Asst. Foreman--John Judkins

Clerk--Clarence Bumpus

1st Pipeman--Bernard Jackson

2nd Pipeman--Solomon Gay

Hydrantman--Harry Gordon

Police--Howard Lowe

Hosemen--Charles Hammond, Leon Stearns, Frank Rowe, Fred Durgin, Sidney Whitney, Carl Coburn, Guy Rowe, Lawrence Cushman, Gordon Wing, Francis Chapman and Bernard Cushman.

HOSE CO. No. 2

Foreman--I. G. Moore

Asst. Foreman--Chas. Cutler

Clerk--F. H. Hammond

Hydrantman--Leroy Witham

Hosemen--Lawrence Hammond, Elmer Thurlow

HOSE CO. No. 4

Foreman--Charles E. Whitney

Asst. Foreman--H. D. Pike

Clerk--Ora Blossom

Hosemen--Leon Burgess, Lester Swallow

HOSE CO. No. 5

Foreman—Donald Wing
Clerk—Alfred Tyler
Hosemen—Leslie Spinney, Francis Gammon, Cecil Tyler

HOOK & LADDER CO.

Foreman—Tom Tunney
Assistant Foreman—Fred Bailey
Clerk—G. H. Abbott
Police—Freeman Morse
Laddermen—Cecil Maxim, Andrew Eastman, Charles Crowell, Kenneth Blossom, Herman Barnett and Francis Noyes

Fire Calls

- Jan. 9. Mrs. Green, Church St., still alarm, fire in woodwork around chimney in kitchen.
10, Guy Rowe, Western Ave., still alarm, chimney fire.
16, Oayma Colby, Elm Hill, still alarm, chimney fire.
22. Mrs. Rawson, Myrtle St., still alarm, chimney fire.
24, N. A. Cummings, Paris Hill, still alarm, chimney fire.
26. Mrs. Rawson, Myrtle St., still alarm. chimney fire.
26. George Welch, Oxford St.. Deering place, still alarm, chimney fire.
29, Still alarm, fire in car in Market Square.
- Feb. 2. Wm. Mottram, Elm Hill, still alarm, buildings burned.
2. Ray Foster rent, Nichols St., fire in woodwork around fireplace.
4, C. L. Jackson. Hill St., still alarm, chimney fire.
7. Paris Hill store, still alarm, fire in rear of store.
11. Roy White, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
14. General alarm, box 34, chimney fire at Fannie Pratt's. Charles St.

- Feb. 15, Herman Record, E. Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 16, Wm. Damon, Alpine St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, Herman Record, E. Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- Mar. 11, General alarm, box 33, chimney fire, J. N. Tubbs tenement, Main St.
- 12, Sadie Silver, Market Square, still alarm, chimney fire.
- 14, High School, Pine St., still alarm, fire in closet.
- 20, Byron Tuttle rent, Hill St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 20, Fred Bailey, Myrtle St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, Mary Hammond rent, Nichols St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 29, Paris Mfg. Co. rent, Gothic St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- Apr. 2, J. N. Tubbs tenement, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 7, Ruth Carroll, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 21, N. O. Burns, Church St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, Leslie Hall, Hebron Road, still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, Harry Packard, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 25, Harry Packard, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 28, W. C. Thayer, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 29, Still alarm, grass fire, Tyler St.
- 30, Paris Hill, still alarm, grass fire.
- May 7, Harry Gordon, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 8, Still alarm, grass fire by railroad near Ed Haskell's barn.
- 9, Still alarm, fire at Tannery dump.
- 15, Still alarm, fire in Ripley & Fletcher's dump.
- 19, Winn Bessey, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 24, Oulette Motors, Market Square, still alarm, chimney fire.
- 25, Russell rent, Gothic St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 29, Still alarm, grass fire, Ray Foster, Nichols St.

- June 8. J. H. Stuart rent, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 11, George McKeen, East Oxford, still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, Wm. W. Lord, Hillside Ave., still alarm, rubbish fire.
- 30, A. D. Durell, Pine St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- Aug. 2. Still alarm, fire at Tannery dump.
9. Still alarm, fire at Tannery dump.
18. Call for fire at Poland Corner.
- 22, Still alarm, fire at Tannery dump.
- Sept. 4. Still alarm, rubbish fire at Brick School.
22. Mary Swett, Russell St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- Oct. 17, Jack Harding, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
18. A. D. Durrell, Pine St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 22, A. C. Davis, E. Oxford Road, still alarm, chimney fire.
24. Grass fire on Ed Haskell land, set by Grand Trunk Engine.
- 31, Howard McAlister, Pine St., still alarm, rubbish fire.
- Nov. 15. Robert Hemingway, Spring St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 17, Cyrus Durgin, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 19, Mrs. Whitman, Stony Brook Road, still alarm, chimney fire.
- 19, Whispering Pines, fire in gas pump.
23. Oliver Cummings, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 25, Elmer Shortridge, High St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 25, Jack Harding, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 25, Ross Coburn, Myrtle St., still alarm, chimney fire.
25. Still alarm, rubbish fire on Grand Trunk railroad.
- 26, Ruth Carroll, Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 30, Gene Robinson, Gothic St., still alarm, chimney fire.

- Dec. 3, C. L. Buck, Skillings Ave., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 4, Bernard Bennett, Park St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 4, Lester MacGown, E. Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 5, C. L. Buck, Skillings Ave., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 10, Still alarm, fire in oil stove, Public Library.
- 13, Bert Pike, Wheeler St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 14, Thayer House, E. Main St., still alarm, chimney fire.
- 24, J. H. Stuart, High St., still alarm, chimney fire.

74 Calls
 2 General Alarms
 3 Paris Hills
 5 Town Calls
 2 Grand Trunk Grass Fires
 1 Poland Corner
 3 Grass Fires
 8 Rubbish Fires
 46 Chimney Fires

The Fire Department appreciates very much the improvements that have been made at the Fire Station including the overhead doors and new toilets and wish to thank the Corporation for them.

We also wish to thank the Corporation for our new Fire Truck which we think is a very fine piece of equipment.

With the addition of more hose and a few small articles, we think we are as well equipped as any village of our size.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. CUSHMAN,

Chief Engineer.

Annual Corporation Meeting

To the Legal Voters of South Paris Village Corporation.

GREETING:

You are hereby notified and warned to assemble at Association Hall, South Paris Village, State of Maine, on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, A. D. 1941, at 7:30 P. M., to act on the following articles:

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

Art. 2. To see if the Corporation will accept the report of the Assessors, Collector, Treasurer, Chief Engineer and Water Commission.

Art. 3. To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for the care of public parks for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for the maintenance and support of the Paris Public Library in said village for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for the care of the clock in the Deering Memorial Church.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for lighting the streets for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for the care of the Fire Alarm System.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for night watchmen and police for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise to defray the expense of the Fire Department for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for Janitor and fuel for the Fire Station for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see if the corporation will vote to buy Workmen's Compensation Insurance for the employees of the Corporation, and raise money for the same.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for the payment of miscellaneous bills for the ensuing year.

Art. 14. To see if the corporation will vote to pay for the premium on bonds for Collector and Treasurer and raise money for same.

Art. 15. To see if the corporation will authorize the Treasurer to make temporary loans to meet current expenses.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the corporation will grant and raise for Water and Hydrant Rental for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see if the corporation will appropriate from the income of the Water System from the sale of water and other income such sums as may be necessary to defray the expense of maintenance of the water system, pay for extensions and pay interest on water loans if any.

Art. 18. To see if the corporation will vote to appropriate from the earnings of the water system such sums of money as may be available and instruct the assessors to apply the same on the outstanding sewer indebtedness or other corporation expenses.

Art. 19. To act on any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

South Paris, Maine, Feb. 26, 1941.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD,

Clerk of the South Paris Village Corporation.