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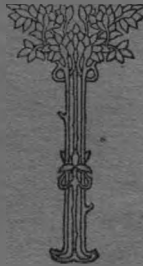
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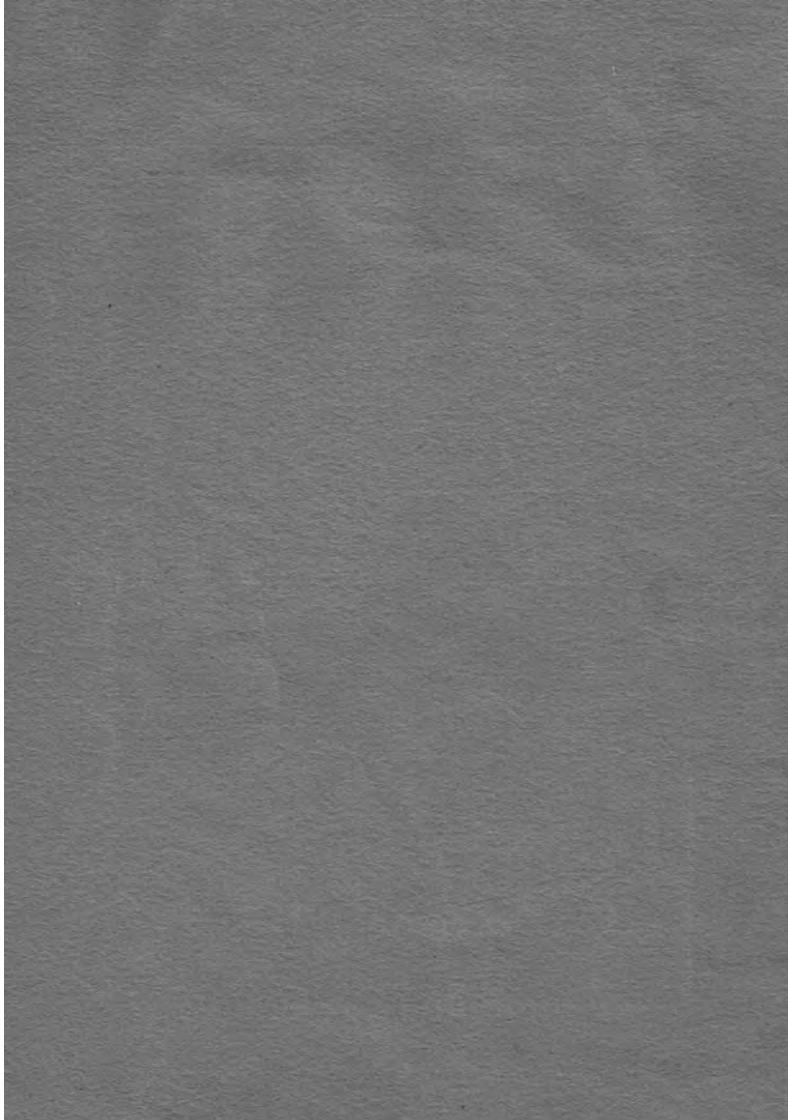
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OF THE TOWN OF

St. Albans, Maine



For The Year of 1924-1925



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Press of
THE INDEPENDENT-REPORTER
SKOWHEGAN, MAINE

TOWN WARRANT

SOMERSET, ss.

STATE OF MAINE

To Herbert M. Foss, Constable, Town of St. Albans, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of St. Albans qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the town hall in said town, on Monday the ninth day of March, A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose a town clerk.
- Art. 3. To hear reports of town officials, and act thereon.
- Art. 4. To choose three or more selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor.
- Art. 5. To choose a town treasurer.
- Art. 6. To choose a collector of taxes, and see what method the town will adopt for the collection of the same.
- Art. 7. To choose a superintending school committee.
- Art. 8. To choose a road commissioner.
- Art. 9. To choose all other necessary town officers.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for elementary and secondary schools, including teachers' wages and board, fuel, janitor's service, conveyance, tuition and board of pupils, textbooks, reference books and school supplies for desk and laboratory use.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of school buildings.
- Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to authorize the school committee to employ a school physician, and raise money for same.

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Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the school committee to contract for tuition of scholars of standard grade, as provided in Section 84, Chapter 16, of the Public Laws of 1915.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of (\$61.40), the amount necessary to pay interest on school fund order.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay school superintendent's salary.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to pay the school committee for services rendered.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to raise \$166.67, the amount due school superintendent, as per arrangement made by the joint school committees.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair and build roads in summer.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the care of winter roads.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for bridges.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for board fences.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair the ledge hill near Ben Miller's.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise under Chapter 84, Section 11 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to trees and shrubs.

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

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to state aid as provided in Chapter 25, Section 19, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 26. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$533.00 for the improvement of the section of the state aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 25, Section 18, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for town charges and town poor.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for memorial services.

Art. 29. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for electric lights.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire a sum of money not exceeding \$2,000.00, in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise ^{money} to pay overdrafts as shown in town reports.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to raise \$200.00, the same to be used together with any moneys that may be paid to the town as cemetery trust funds, to buy bonds as required by law.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as presented by the selectmen.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise money and what sum for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the state of Maine, under the provisions of Chapter 4, Section 59 of the Revised Statutes, the same to be expended by the Maine Development Association.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise \$100.00 to repair the road from Ripley town line to the corner near Harlan Wilkins'.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to continue the school at the brick schoolhouse, for the ensuing school year.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to fence the brick schoolhouse and raise money for same.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to instruct the school board and school superintendent, to have the ninth grade taught in the town schools.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to buy land, and make repairs to the village school buildings, and raise money for the same.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to repair the Hopkins school buildings, and raise money for the same.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00, from Mrs. Florence Chisholm, for the perpetual care of the Chisholm-Vining lot in the village cemetery.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00, from Mrs. E. A. Longley, for the perpetual care of the D. R. Longley lot, in the village cemetery.

Art. 43. To see what action the town will vote to take regarding the letting of the town hall for dances during the summer months of 1925.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to repair the road near Horace Varney's and raise money for same.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 from Mrs. Ann Hilton, for the perpetual care of the J. F. Hilton lot in the village cemetery.

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$50.00 from Eunice Getchell for the perpetual care of the Getchell lot in the village cemetery.

Art. 47. To act on any other matter not relating to the raising of money, that may legally come before any town meeting.

The selectmen will be in session at the town hall at 8 o'clock a. m., on the day of said meeting, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands this 25th day of February, A. D., 1925.

FREEMAN MILLS

W. O. HILTON

M. H. MARTIN

Selectmen of St. Albans

Selectmen's Report

The selectmen of the town of St. Albans respectfully submit their report for the year 1924-25.

Value real estate, resident	\$322,335.00	
Value real estate, non-resident	49,870.00	
		<u>\$372,205.00</u>
Value personal estate, resident	\$104,895.00	
Value personal estate, non-resident	2,000.00	
		<u>\$106,895.00</u>
		<u>\$479,100.00</u>

Amount exempted \$4,950.00
Number of polls, 265 at \$3.00
Number of polls not taxed, 20
Rate of taxation, \$.038

APPROPRIATIONS

Elementary and secondary schools	\$5900.00	
Repairs of school buildings	200.00	
School physician	50.00	
Interest on school fund orders	61.40	
School superintendent's salary	400.00	
Repairs to Lang schoolhouse	150.00	
		<u>\$8761.40</u>
Summer roads	1500.00	
Winter roads	2000.00	
Board fences	100.00	
Patrol maintenance	500.00	
Repairs John Libby road	100.00	
State aid improvement	533.00	
		<u>\$4733.00</u>
Town charges and town poor	1800.00	
Memorial services	30.00	
Street lights	130.00	

Overdrawn accounts	440.78	
Cemetery fund	200.00	
		<u>2600.78</u>
		\$14,095.18
State tax	3385.41	
County tax	851.40	
Overlay in assessing	668.81	
		<u>\$19,000.80</u>
Supplemental tax		213.22
		<u>\$19,214.02</u>

TOWN CHARGES AND TOWN POOR ACCOUNTS

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$1800.00
To amount appropriated for memorial services	30.00
To amount appropriated for street lights ..	130.00
To amount appropriated for cemetery bond	200.00
Overlay in assessing	668.81
Railroad and telegraph tax	136.22
Received from state for support of paupers	293.89
Received from state, mothers' aid	80.00
Received from Mrs. Hartwell, support of F. Butler	240.00
Received from Mrs. Mebane, support of F. Butler	60.00
Received from J. F. Butler, support of F. Butler	200.00
Received from Crocker cemetery fund	185.00
Received from Mrs. Florence Chisholm for perpetual care of Vining and Chisholm cemetery lot	100.00
Received from Eunice Getchell for perpetual care of Getchell lot in village cemetery	50.00
Received from Mrs. E. A. Longley for perpetual care of D. R. Longley lot in village cemetery	100.00

Received from Mrs. Rebecca Martin for perpetual care of Martin and Osborne lots in village cemetery	200.00	
Received from Mrs. Ann Hilton for perpetual care of J. F. Hilton lot in village cemetery	100.00	
Received from U. S. Government, interest on Crocker cemetery bond	42.50	
Received from Springfield Gas & Light Co., interest, Crocker Cemetery Association	1.50	
Received from town of Greenville, hospital expenses of Ruth Given	217.50	
Received from H. P. Phinney, rebate on singles	8.75	
Received from Charles L. Patten, for use of town hall	213.13	
Received from town of Canaan, mothers' aid	80.00	
Received from Albert Ward, loan	500.00	
Received from state, school superintendent's salary	166.00	
Amount appropriated for salary school superintendent	400.00	
Supplemental tax	213.22	
School physician	50.00	
Received for use of town truck	134.00	
		\$6600.52
Amount unexpended 1923-24		2678.19
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		\$9278.71

TOWN POOR ACCOUNT

CR.

Order No.		
1	S. W. Greene Est., supplies P. P. Vecnaire	\$42.74
114	S. W. Greene Est., supplies P. P. Vecnaire	64.95
115	S. W. Greene Est., supplies P. P. Vecnaire	66.71
116	Wesley Frost, expense H. D. Getchell ..	2.50
117	H. E. Parkman, expense H. D. Getchell ..	.67

118	G. A. Libby, supplies P. P. Vecnaire ..	20.05
128	Town of Hartland, supplies John Luce	30.00
131	C. C. Hanson, expenses of Joe Delaney	12.48
135	H. A. Eaton, supplies to Carrie Smart	9.03
141	Ann Ladd, wood to John Luce	2.50
142	G. A. Libby, paid hospital bills of Floyd Varney	136.50
145	Rose Robertson, board of F. Butler ..	372.84
146	T. W. Smith, supplies to F. H. Whiting	29.98
147	Dr. J. H. Murphy, medical attendance to F. H. Whiting	31.50
148	J. O. Page, supplies to F. H. Whiting	2.07
149	A. & P. Tea Co., supplies to F. H. Whiting	68.14
150	Sterns Dept. Store, supplies John Luce	53.80
151	S. W. Greene Est., supplies P. P. Vec- naire	68.66
152	G. A. Libby, supplies P. P. Vecnaire ..	10.75
153	Eldon Wing, rent for F. H. Whiting ..	33.35
154	A. & P. Tea Co., supplies to F. H. Whiting	12.57
162	Stella Brown, expense Carrie Smart ..	3.25
227	Dr. J. J. McVety, medical attendance to P. P. Vecnaire	11.00
229	Dr. C. A. Moulton, medical attendance to F. Butler	12.50
230	M. H. Martin, labor and cash to F. Butler	16.50
231	Rose Robertson, board of F. Butler ..	34.00
270	A. & P. Tea Co., supplies to F. H. Whiting	7.52
276	William Cain, supplies to F. H. Whiting	8.00
277	S. W. Greene Est., supplies to Joseph O'Brien	4.60
279	Philo Steward, expense F. Butler75
281	Carrol Patten, expense Joseph O'Brien	.95
288	G. H. Hanson, supplies Getchell family	9.20
295	F. W. Martin, expense F. Butler	1.25
330	Rose Robertson, board F. Butler	20.00
331	A. & P. Tea Co., supplies Whiting	5.84
333	M. H. Martin, supplies to Whitney ..	9.00
335	S. W. Greene Est., supplies Getchell ..	3.10
338	S. W. Greene Est., supplies to Rich- ard Whitney	14.00

343	Town of Hartland, rent for John Luce family	10.00
353	G. A. Libby, board Carrie Smart	127.00
356	G. H. Hanson, supplies Whitney	4.63

 \$1426.86

TOWN CHARGES ACCOUNT

CR.

Order No.

113	American Express Co., express on ballots	\$2.34
119	Loring, Short & Harmon, town books	15.95
120	Carl Randlett, expense Libby fire, 1921	15.82
121	T. W. Burr Printing Co., stationery ..	8.60
122	White & Horne Co., town reports	131.14
125	Hartland & St. Albans Tel. Co.	10.55
126	S. W. Seekins, ballot clerk	6.00
127	J. S. Martin, care lots in cemetery ..	33.50
129	Newell White, town blanks	4.50
130	Parks Bros. Ins. Co., insurance	52.50
132	M. H. Martin, memorial services	21.00
133	E. M. Raymond, fencing Lang cemetery	26.22
134	C. M. Page, interest Crocker cemetery bond	42.50
136	D. S. Emerson, care Lyford cemetery	7.50
138	Stanley Hanson, watering tub	5.00
139	Pittsfield National Bank, interest ..	185.00
140	Edna W. Tracy, postage	4.60
143	Central Maine Power Co., street lights	97.47
144	Clara B. Lewis, mother's aid	100.00
155	Loring, Short & Harmon, town books ..	6.00
159	A. P. Bigelow, ballot clerk	9.00
160	Hartland & St. Albans Tel. Co.	12.85
163	H. M. Foss, ballot clerk and constable fees	10.50
164	F. Mills, expense to Skowbegan, two trips	9.00
165	F. Mills, expenses to Augusta	5.18
166	F. Mills, expenses of F. Mills and W. O. Hilton to Augusta	10.00
184	R. E. Nichols, lumber for Lyford cemetery	6.58

216	H. B. Clifford, services as school superintendent	400.00	
228	Dr. J. J. McVety, reporting births and deaths50	
263	Clara B. Lewis, mother's aid	60.00	
272	Fred Lucas, services as auditor	3.00	
273	Fred Lucas, care of Watson cemetery	2.00	
274	Minot Lucas, watching Spooner fire	3.00	
289	F. Mills, use of auto	15.00	
290	F. Mills, services as selectman	135.00	
291	M. H. Martin, services as selectman ..	125.00	
292	W. O. Hilton, services as selectman ..	120.00	
293	W. O. Hilton, care of village cemetery ..	20.00	
294	W. O. Hilton, services as moderator ..	3.50	
302	W. H. Carson, truant officer	6.50	
305	E. M. Thorne, services on school board ..	10.00	
306	W. H. Carson, services on school board ..	14.00	
307	W. H. Carson, watering tub	5.00	
308	E. N. Grant, care Maloon cemetery ..	10.00	
311	Lona Varney, services on school board ..	14.00	
314	Bangor Pub. Co., ad. for teachers ..	4.11	
332	F. J. Hersey, ballot clerk	9.00	
336	S. W. Greene Est., town hall account ..	5.10	
339	Central Maine Power Co., street lights ..	32.49	
340	H. J. Hilton, tax abatements	164.53	
341	Pittsfield National Bank, cemetery bond ..	1041.20	
344	H. J. Hilton, services as collector ..	384.23	
352	G. A. Libby, services as treasurer and clerk; postage and supplies	170.00	
	Paid Pittsfield National Bank	2000.00	
	Paid state for support of Carroll Ellis ..	156.00	
			5752.51
			\$7179.37
	Amount unexpended		2099.34
			\$9278.71

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$5900.00
To amount appropriated for Lang school ..	150.00

To amount appropriated for interest on school fund order	61.40
To received from state treasurer, equaliza- tion fund	207.00
To received from state treasurer	2653.26

 \$8971.66

CR.

Teachers

Order No.

44 Erma Johnson	\$378.00
45 Alice Elliott	467.00
46 Theresa Lawrie	399.00
47 Irene Libby	467.00
48 William French	209.00
49 Ada McCrillis	45.00
50 Vertine Ellis	247.00
51 Katherine Griffith	209.00
52 Gertrude Mersereau	228.00
53 Harriet Ham	227.50
54 Effie Workman	159.60
55 Audrey Raymond	228.00
56 Marlon McCabe	68.40
57 Gertrude Elliott	180.00
58 Ruby Gibson	192.00
59 Edna Lenfest	247.00
60 Villa Perkins	247.00
61 Ruby Gibson	180.00
211 Town of Palmyra	69.00
212 Town of Hartland	56.25
242 Gertrude Elliott	75.00
243 Irene Libby	120.00
244 Alice Elliott	120.00
245 Erma Johnson	82.50
246 Gertrude Merserau	91.20
247 Theresa Lawrie	85.00
248 Katherine Griffith	114.00
249 Effie Workman	47.50
250 Ruby Gibson	76.80
251 Audrey Raymond	95.00
252 Town of Hartland	59.25
253 Town of Palmyra	18.00

 \$5488.00

Order No.	Fuel	
2	F. A. Varney	\$25.00
3	Frank W. Seekins	4.50
4	R. W. Seekins	93.50
5	R. W. Philbrick	40.00
6	H. P. Phinney	12.00
7	Guy C. Weymouth	32.00
8	Hartland Crating Co.	7.00
9	Harold Bishop	8.00
10	Ernest Raymond75
11	Irene Libby	6.00
193	E. O. Hopkins	35.00
194	E. E. Badger	30.00
195	E. M. Thorne	30.00
196	Ruby Gibson	1.00
197	Maud Raymond	1.00
254	Theresa Lawrie	2.00
260	Hartland Crating Co.	1.75
269	Charles F. Moore	8.00
		<hr/> \$337.50

Order No.	Conveyance	
12	Elmer Spooner	\$44.75
13	Elmer Spooner	37.50
14	Carrie Cole	90.00
15	Elmer Spooner	62.50
16	Elmer Spooner	52.50
17	Elmer Spooner	37.50
18	H. E. Henderson	45.00
19	E. M. Raymond	45.00
20	Joseph Vecnaire	10.00
21	Frank Bryant	15.00
22	Carrie Cole	97.50
210	M. C. R. R.	1.85
265	Elmer Spooner	62.50
296	Carrie Cole	45.00
297	H. E. Henderson	18.00
		<hr/> \$664.60

Janitors

Order No.		
63	Theresa Lawrie	\$6.50
64	Hattie Leavitt	3.10
65	Jennie Cooley	4.00
66	Edna McLean	3.00
67	Harriet Ham	6.50
68	George Bowman	6.50
69	Gertrude Merseran	6.00
70	Mrs. W. H. Carson	3.00
71	Villa Perkins	6.50
72	G. F. Neal	3.00
73	Ruel Neal	4.00
74	Edna Lenfest	3.75
75	Harriet Lowell	1.90
76	Gertrude Elliott	6.00
77	Audrey Raymond	6.00
78	Lenora Brooks	7.70
79	Irene Libby	6.50
80	Erma Johnson	6.50
81	Albert McDonald	2.80
82	Alice Elliott	11.75
83	Ruby Gibson	12.00
84	R. C. Raymond	16.50
85	Vertine Ellis	9.50
198	Effe Workman	6.00
199	Theresa Lawrie	6.00
200	Erma Johnson	6.00
201	Irene Libby	6.00
232	Theresa Lawrie	4.50
233	Irene Libby	2.50
234	Erma Johnson	2.50
235	Arthur Bowman	2.50
236	Alice Elliott	3.00
237	Gertrude Elliott	2.50
238	Harriet Lowell	3.00
239	Audrey Raymond	2.50
240	Clayton Garrison	1.50
241	Ruby Gibson	2.50
278	R. C. Raymond	9.00

 \$213.00

HIGH SCHOOL

CR.

Order No.		
62	Maine Central Institute	\$60.00
213	City of Oldtown	60.00
214	Town of Dexter	60.00
215	Hartland Academy	1390.00
		<hr/> \$1570.00

TEXTBOOKS

CR.

Order No.		
86	Current Events	\$27.65
87	Ginn & Company	9.74
88	Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	5.90
89	Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	8.50
90	World Book Company	11.99
91	E. E. Babb Co.	9.03
92	Houghton Mifflin Co.	59.33
93	Scott, Foresman Co.	34.56
94	Rowe Patterson Co.	7.32
95	D. C. Heath & Co.	4.09
96	Ginn & Co.	21.65
		<hr/> \$199.76

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

CR.

Order No.		
30	Starkey & Toner	\$79.23
31	J. L. Hammett & Co.	12.18
32	A. R. Burton & Son	12.76
33	Newell White	2.75
34	E. E. Babb & Co.	4.13
35	Loring, Short & Harmon	4.78
36	E. A. Linn50
37	Ryan & Buker	6.08
38	M. P. H. A.	3.22

39	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	89.55	
40	Hartland Print Shop	31.62	
41	Roy J. Buxton	2.75	
42	Carroll Patten75	
43	L. W. Gerrish	2.60	
161	H. L. Tilson Co.	29.00	
183	L. B. Wheeler60	
209	H. B. Clifford	6.72	
262	H. B. Clifford	15.21	
315	G. H. Hanson	5.65	
342	H. B. Clifford	9.19	
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			\$318.27
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			\$8791.13
	Amount unexpended		180.53
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			\$8971.66

SCHOOL REPAIRS

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$200.00
Amount overdrawn	6.48
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	\$206.48

CR.

Order No.		
23	H. E. Varney	\$18.50
24	H. P. Phinney	55.00
25	F. L. Griffith	10.00
26	Noyes & Nutter Mfg. Co.	2.54
27	W. H. Moore & Son	3.00
28	Mrs. Anna Vining	1.50
29	W. H. Carson	32.75
123	H. E. Randlett	17.25
202	W. H. Carson	5.15
203	Ruby Gibson	7.00
204	John Foster	3.00
205	F. A. Varney	6.00
206	J. L. Nichols	3.00
207	E. Q. Emery	15.30

208	E. O. Hopkins	3.00
258	F. W. Heath	2.00
259	Fred Jones	2.00
261	W. O. Hilton	2.00
303	H. E. Henderson	1.00
304	E. N. Grant	1.45
312	G. A. Libby	2.50
313	W. H. Carson	1.00
337	S. W. Greene Est.	10.54
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		\$206.48

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

DR.

To amount unexpended 1923-24	\$74.10
Received from H. B. Clifford	26.21
Received from Alice Elliott	39.38
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	\$139.69

CR.

Order No.		
97	J. L. Hammett Co.	\$19.29
98	Ginn & Co.	8.01
99	D. A. Fraser	12.42
100	Silver, Burdette Co.	3.70
101	Milton Bradley Co.	35.44
102	Starkey & Toner	9.24
103	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	8.76
104	E. E. Babb & Co.	2.99
105	Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	3.43
255	M. P. H. A.	10.00
256	John C. Winston & Co.	9.36
257	MacMillan Co.	9.60
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		\$132.24
Amount unexpended		7.45
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		\$139.69

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

DR.

To amount appropriated for summer roads	\$1500.00
To amount appropriated for winter roads	2000.00

To amount appropriated for board fences .	100.00	
To amount appropriated for patrol main- tenance	500.00	
To amount appropriated for repairs to Libby road	100.00	
Received from state, truck	30.00	
Hire of truck	100.00	
		<u>\$4330.00</u>
Amount overdrawn		882.63
		<u>\$5212.63</u>

CR.

Amount overdrawn on highway account 1923	\$1502.76	
Amount overdrawn on state aid and third class roads	1.23	
		<u>\$1503.99</u>

SUMMER ROADS

CR.

Order No.		
106	G. A. Libby, road orders	1500.03
107	G. A. Libby, road orders	100.10
109	G. A. Libby, road orders	146.50
124	H. E. Randlett	7.00
137	Stanley Hanson	9.00
167	Martha Boynton	10.00
168	O. K. Fuller, truck repairs	2.30
169	M. H. Martin, truck repairs	6.00
172	F. E. Buker	33.00
173	Gordon Nelson	16.75
174	George Woodman	14.00
176	F. W. Seekins	17.75
178	Fred Butler	5.00
180	R. W. Philbrick	11.53
186	C. M. Conant Co.	11.65
188	D. S. Emerson	4.66
192	New England Road Machinery Co. . .	10.50
217	G. A. Libby, road orders	217.44
218	G. A. Libby, road orders	40.50

219	G. A. Libby, road orders	56.56
223	Cecil Peasley	15.75
224	P. E. Mower	3.72
225	H. E. Varney	8.85
268	R. E. Nichols	3.60
271	Fred Lucas	2.45
280	H. H. Harris	4.00
298	E. N. Grant	18.50
299	H. L. Cole	14.85
300	E. E. Badger	15.00
301	W. W. Hartwell	5.12
345	Roy Chase	2.50
346	G. H. Hanson	29.16
351	G. A. Libby	20.92
357	Percy Baine	30.00
359	Percy Baine	59.00
	Paid state for patrol	480.00

 \$2933.19

WINTER ROADS

CR.

Order No.		
108	G. A. Libby, road orders	\$226.26
170	E. M. Raymond	5.10
171	Charles Bailey	4.62
175	Antoine Vecnaire	5.28
177	George W. Emery	16.98
179	Warren Frost	15.00
181	N. A. Brawn	4.62
182	Charles H. Brawn	4.79
185	R. E. Nichols	10.80
187	J. N. Nichols	4.95
189	Hermon Nichols	2.10
190	Ambrose Fogg	13.53
191	J. L. Lewis & Son	8.00
220	G. A. Libby	63.34
226	Albion Neal	12.32
264	F. A. Varney	23.92
266	S. L. Fellows	1.00
267	H. B. Hilton	8.25
275	Chas. F. Moore	4.40

282	Maynard Goodwin	1.32
283	William Braley	7.00
284	Clayton Braley	4.90
285	Earl E. Robertson, 1923	7.81
286	Earl E. Robertson, 1924	23.61
309	E. M. Thorne	5.00
310	Earl Perry	2.00
316	Harry Peasley	2.17
317	Leland Welch	1.32
318	Leland Welch	1.98
319	H. W. Ricker	17.60
320	Webb & Baird	13.50
321	S. S. Hunt	11.39
322	Roy Chase	9.52
323	Alfred Hilton	27.37
324	Charles E. Cole	10.00
325	E. J. Crocker	15.95
326	A. E. Tracy	16.50
327	E. Q. Emery	10.00
328	F. W. Heath	13.00
329	C. M. Ellis	12.50
334	A. C. Hayward	3.00
347	E. H. Bishop	28.25
348	A. L. Neal	2.20
349	O. E. Cole	7.50
350	N. W. Richards	23.59
354	W. A. Rediker	17.36
356	B. I. Miller	31.35
358	Albert Ward	14.00
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		\$776.45
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		\$5,212.63

STATE AID HIGHWAY

DR.

To amount appropriated by town	\$533.00	
To amount apportioned by state	708.89	
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Amount overdrawn		\$1,241.89
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		89.77
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		\$1,331.66

CR.

Order No.		
110 G. A. Libby	\$903.87	
222 G. A. Libby	264.33	
287 Berger Manfg. Co.	44.46	
		<u>\$1,212.16</u>
Use of town truck		104.00
Cost of inspection		15.50
		<u>\$1,331.66</u>

THIRD CLASS HIGHWAY

DR.

To amount apportioned by state	\$2,124.45	
		<u>\$2,124.45</u>
To amount overdrawn		218.99
		<u>\$2,343.44</u>

CR.

Order No.		
111 G. A. Libby	\$1,333.61	
112 G. A. Libby	271.21	
156 Purinton Brick Co.	41.53	
157 Cyr Bros. Co.	12.90	
158 W. C. Washburn	81.42	
221 G. A. Libby	442.52	
		<u>\$2,183.19</u>
Use of town truck		130.00
Cost of inspection		30.25
		<u>\$2,343.44</u>

OVERDRAWN ACCOUNTS

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$440.78	
To amount credited to highway account....	1503.99	
		<u>\$1,944.77</u>

CR.

Amount overdrawn on school account 1923-24	\$281.18	
Amount overdrawn on school repairs and supplies accounts 1923-24	135.70	
Amount overdrawn on text books account	23.90	
Amount overdrawn on highway account 1923-24	\$1,503.99	
		<u>\$1,944.77</u>

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

Receipts

Cash in treasury March 1st, 1924	\$807.52	
Received from all sources for:		
Town charges and town poor accounts	6600.52	
Elementary and secondary schools	8971.66	
School repairs	200.00	
School improvement	65.59	
Highway account	4330.00	
State aid highway	1241.89	
Third class highway	2124.45	
Overdrawn accounts	440.78	
		<u>\$24,782.41</u>

Expenditures

Paid:		
Town charges accounts	\$5,752.51	
Town poor accounts	1,426.88	
School teachers accounts	5,488.00	
School fuel accounts	337.50	
School janitor accounts	213.00	
School conveyance accounts	664.60	
School text books accounts	199.76	
School repair accounts	206.48	
School supplies accounts	318.27	
School improvement accounts	132.24	
High school accounts	1,570.00	
Summer roads accounts	2453.19	
Patrol maintenance	480.00	
Winter roads accounts	775.45	
State aid highway account	1,331.66	
Third class highway account	2,343.44	
Cash in treasury Feb. 20th, 1925	1,089.45	
		<u>\$24,782.41</u>

BALANCES

Amounts Unexpended

Town charges and town poor accounts	\$2099.34	
School accounts	180.53	
School improvement account	7.45	
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		\$2287.32

Amounts overdrawn

State aid highway account	\$89.77	
Third class highway account	218.99	
Highway account	882.63	
School repairs account	6.48	
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		\$1197.87
Cash in treasury Feb. 20th, 1925		1089.45
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		\$2287.32

TAX ABATEMENTS

S. M. Raymond, over-valuation	\$6.70	
O. H. Emery, fire loss	19.00	
H. B. Snell Est., error in assessing	34.20	
C. E. Mower, fire loss	13.30	
Albert Ordway, over-valuation95	
H. H. Harris, paid in Florida	15.20	
E. G. Crocker, over-valuation	5.70	
D. M. Susi, over-valuation	7.60	
C. H. Hubar, can't locate	3.00	
Frank Burgess, over-valuation	1.90	
A. Dodge, over-valuation	1.90	
John Jenson, unable to pay	3.00	
Eugene Lawrence, paid in Parkman	6.04	
Peter Manseau, can't locate	13.26	
Peter P. Vecnaire, error in assessing	26.60	
Geo. A. Taylor, can't locate	2.28	
Edward Core, over-valuation	1.90	
Elmer Libby, paid in Florida	3.00	
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		\$164.53

Standing of the Town

Assets

Grover place	\$150.00	
Road machinery	100.00	
Hearse	50.00	
Ford Truck	250.00	
Due from M. I. Smith	46.70	
Due from bank, interest on bond	19.95	
Due from state, on patrol account	50.00	
Due from state, on pauper account	11.00	
Due from town of Kingman, Getchell acct.	15.27	
Due from town of Fairfield, Whitney acct.	27.83	
Due from Horace Varney, hospital bill	136.58	
Due from support of F. Butler	34.16	
Cemetery trust fund bonds	2000.00	
Cash in treasury	1089.45	
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		\$3,980.66
Estimated balance against the town		19.34
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		\$4,000.00

Liabilities

School fund orders	\$1190.54
E. K. Hall, cemetery fund	100.00
Mary J. Bass, cemetery fund	100.00
D. B. Clark, cemetery fund	92.00
D. D. Stewart, cemetery fund	100.00
Henry Watson, cemetery fund	200.00
Ira Atwood cemetery fund	100.00
Joseph T. Johnson, cemetery fund	100.00
Richards—Dondero, cemetery fund	100.00
Derborn, cemetery fund	100.00
Benj. Ireland, cemetery fund	100.00
Vining—Chisholm, cemetery fund	100.00
Eunice Getchell, cemetery fund	50.00
D. R. Longley, cemetery fund	100.00
Geo. Martin, cemetery fund	100.00
Isaac Osborn, cemetery fund	100.00
J. F. Hilton, cemetery fund	100.00

Crocker cemetery fund	1195.00	
Due Albert Ward	500.00	
Due Pittsfield National Bank	1000.00	
Contingent liabilities	500.00	
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	\$6027.54	
Less school fund orders and funds in trust	2027.54	
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		\$4,000.00

FREEMAN MILLS**W. O. HILTON****M. H. MARTIN****Selectmen**

Treasurer's Report

GEO. A. LIBBY, Treas., in account with Town of St. Albans

	DR.
To cash in treasury March 1, 1924	\$807.52
Received from state treas., state school fund	166.00
Received from state treas., state school fund	207.00
Received from state treas., state school fund	2653.26
Received from state treas., R. R. & Tel. tax	136.22
Received from state treas., support of paup- ers	293.89
Received from state treas., mothers aid	80.00
Received from state treas., soldiers pensions	66.00
Received from state treas., highway dept.	30.00
Received from state treas., highway dept.,	2094.20
Received from state treas., highway dept.,	693.39
Received from Mrs. Leslie Hartwell, care of Freeman Butler	240.00
Received from Mrs. Lena Mebane, care of Freeman Butler	60.00
Received from Elden E. Wing, trust fund for Crocker cemetery	25.00
Received from Florence Chisholm, for the perpetual care of the Chisholm-Vining lot	100.00
Received from H. E. Parkman, trust fund for Crocker cemetery	100.00
Received from J. L. Nichols, trust fund for Crocker cemetery	25.00
Received from Albert Ward, loan	500.00
Received from H. B. Clifford, school improve- ment fund	26.21
Received from Alice M. Elliott, school im- provement fund	39.38
Received from Eunice C. Getchell, for the perpetual care of the Getchell lot	50.00
Received from Winifred F. Bova, trust fund for the Crocker cemetery	10.00
Received from the U. S. treas., interest on the Crocker cemetery bond	42.50
Received from Town of Greenville, account of Ruth Givens	217.50

Received from H. P. Phinney, refund on shingles	8.75
Received from Chas. L. Patten, use of town hall	213.13
Received from dog licenses	117.00
Received from Springfield Gas & Light Co., for trust fund	1.50
Received from town of Canaan, mothers aid	80.00
Received from Eliza A. Longley, for the perpetual care of Longley lot	100.00
Received from Rebecca B. Martin Est., for the perpetual care of the Isaac Osborne and G. W. Martin lot	200.00
Received from A. B. Nickerson, trust fund for Crocker cemetery	25.00
Received from H. J. Hilton, taxes	19,214.02
Received from J. F. Butler, for support of Freeman Butler	200.00
Received from Mrs. Ann Hilton, for the perpetual care of the J. F. Hilton lot in village cemetery	100.00
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	\$28,922.47

CR.

By paid state tax	\$3385.41
By paid county tax	851.40
By paid state treas., dependent children ..	156.00
By paid dog licenses to state treas.	117.00
By paid soldiers pensions	66.00
By paid state treas., patrolled highways....	480.00
By paid Pittsfield National Bank, notes ...	2000.00
By paid town orders	20,777.21
By balance in treasury	1089.45
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	\$28,922.47

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. A. LIBBY, Treasurer

Auditors' Report

I have made an examination of the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer and found them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn and all money paid out for the year ending February 20th, 1925.

A. P. BIGELOW, Auditor

Delinquent Taxpayers

Almon L. Avery	\$3.00
Calvin Braley	49.50
B. R. Bryant	31.16
C. A. Batchelder	236.60
C. M. Cooley	15.98
Frank L. Hollister	7.91
Merle C. Johnson	15.52
E. E. Johnson	32.35
William Magoon	6.82
A. D. Parker	11.33
A. B. Parker	1.66
R. W. Philbrick	10.00
N. W. Richards	3.80
C. H. Sampson	1.13
Ralph Sampson	1.40
M. A. Sprague	60.20
Mrs. A. B. Tracy	59.13
E. J. Thompson	10.62
Elden E. Wilkins	25.62
Elden Wing	15.00
H. B. Weymouth	49.35
George Farrell	4.75
Fred C. Hanson	26.60
Lawrence Schillinger	29.20
Harry W. Snell	34.20

Road Commissioner's Report

SUMMER ROADS

Wesley Frost	\$5.00
Delly Welch	10.50
Wesley Frost	10.50
Herb Fisher	25.00
Wesley Frost	14.00
Herb Fisher	26.00
Delly Welch	14.00
Roy Chase	24.83
Percy Baine	54.00
Evan Russel	46.78
Herb Fisher	35.75
Dellie Welch	21.00
Wesley Frost	21.00
Roy Chase	21.00
Will Frost	17.50
Percy Baine (Bill for repairs of road machine)	7.90
Merle Johnson	1.75
Will Frost	14.00
Roy Chase	14.00
Wesley Frost	8.50
Dellie Welch	14.00
Herb Fisher	26.00
Charles Cooley	3.60
Elmer Spooner	2.00
Dellie Welch	15.25
Albert Ward	19.50
Frank E. Brooks	5.04
Earl Weeks	3.50
W. W. Nutter	1.65
Herb Fisher	35.75
Wesley Frost	14.00
Roy Chase	20.12
Will Frost	15.25
Wesley Frost	3.50
Percy Baine	10.00
Orville McPhetres	19.15
Harold Wing	9.00

Will Cooley	3.50
Roy Chase	21.00
Herb Fisher	26.00
Dellie Welch	21.00
Harold Frost	17.50
Less Parker	39.00
Percy Baine	25.00
Wealey Frost	14.00
Frank Seekins	7.80
Robert Nichols	13.50
Percy Baine	8.00
Dellie Welch	5.25
Wealey Frost	17.50
Herb Fisher	31.00
Roy Chase	19.25
Will Frost	17.50
Frank Fellows	12.25
Less Parker	21.00
Fred Sears	15.75
Archie Parker	13.00
Percy Baine	25.00
Less Parker	16.25
Will Frost	8.75
Herb Fisher	16.50
Roy Chase	10.50
Roy Chase	17.50
Frank Burgess	3.00
Stanley Hunt	21.06
Alton Emery	7.00
Percy Baine	25.00
F. J. Hersey	4.75
Percy Baine	25.00
Roy Chase	17.50
E. B. Libby	6.00
Corey Bubar	9.34
A. B. Parker, gravel	24.30
W. B. Watkins	27.39
N. W. Richards	9.50
Douglas Elderkin	3.50
Fred Sears	8.75
Evan Russel	44.73
Fred Sears	12.25
Fred Sears	14.00
Freeman Mc Lean	14.00

S. W. Seekins	14.97
Charles Hilton	27.63
Herb Fisher	16.50
Charles Mower	38.68
Charles Mower	30.00
Sadie Green	42.00
A. L. Neal	2.55
Roy Chase	7.00
Harold Weymouth	12.00
A. R. Burton & Son	20.25
Less Parker	6.50
Herb Fisher	16.50
Frank Bishop	8.00
Charles Sampson	18.00
F. L. Griffith	4.00
Ernest Abbott	10.76
S. H. Bragg	2.90
Elden Wilkins	73.33
H. J. Hilton	10.73
Roy Chase	2.72
S. W. Green	51.43
S. W. Green	78.07
S. W. Green	11.25
Percy Baine	65.00
Jess Nichols	3.75
Cecil Peasley	15.75
Glynn Hanson	29.16
Elwin Grant, gravel	18.50
Geo. Libby, hauling gravel P. R.	30.00

BOARD FENCES

Wesley Frost	\$7.00
Fred Sears	14.00
Will Frost	21.00
Newell Philbrick	24.50
Edgar Stevens	17.50
Will Frost	29.75
Mrs. S. W. Green	9.31
Robert Nichols	3.60
Philip Mower	3.72
Percy Baine	30.00

JOHN LIBBY ROAD

Percy Baine	\$10.00
Will Frost	7.00
Herb Fisher	13.00
Less Parker	13.00
Frank Fellows	7.00
Archie Parker	13.00
Walter Tobey	13.00
Horace Varney	7.00
Archie Parker	17.10

WINTER ROADS

Frank Brooks	\$3.35
Albert Ward	4.50
W. N. Nutter	1.65
T. W. Smith	11.80
Orville Mc Phetres	10.25
Harold Wing	3.90
Frank Seekins	12.77
B. L. Avery	6.50
Geo. Hunt	3.81
Frank Bryant	9.33
Alfred Hilton	16.91
Alton Emery	5.34
Hudson Grant	13.20
Corey M. Bubar	8.25
V. S. Parker	29.15
N. W. Richards	15.30
O. E. Cole	7.40
Chester Cooley	21.01
Fred Jones	2.50
S. W. Seekins	13.64
B. R. Bryant	10.60
Thos. M. Peakes	15.41
Fred Butler	10.56
Charles Hilton	1.63
B. Cane	4.41
Frank Bishop	17.33
Ernest Emery	4.25
Calvin Braley	34.44
Bert Hilton	8.25
George C. Crocker	7.32

Leland Welch	1.98
Edgar Crocker	15.95
Leland Welch	1.32
Alfred Hilton	27.37
A. E. Tracy	16.50

THIRD CLASS AND STATE AID

Fred Sears	17.50
Will Frost	17.50
Wesley Frost	17.50
Frank Fellows	17.50
Freeman Mc Lean	17.50
Frank Burgess	10.50
Herbert Fisher	32.50
Less Parker	32.50
Roy Chase	7.00
John Mc Luer	10.50
Will Frost	14.00
Charles Mower	100.00
Freeman Me Lean	12.25
Wesley Frost	21.00
Roy Chase	21.00
Archie Parker	16.20
Archie Parker	21.00
Percy Baine	25.00
Frank Fellows	17.50
Fred Sears	21.00
Frank Burgess	21.00
Herb Fisher	39.00
Bernard Nelson	32.50
Will Frost	7.00
Frank Elderkin	45.50
Less Parkor	32.50
Percy Baine	33.00
Roy Chase	14.00
Herb Fisher	26.00
Freeman Mc Lean	7.00
Percy Baine	20.00
Fred Sears	14.00
Will Frost	14.00
Cecil Peasley	15.25
Frank Burgess	14.00

Freeman Mc Lean	20.00
Wesley Frost	17.50
Fred Sears	32.25
Freeman Mc Lean	12.25
Walter Tobey	16.63
Cecil Peasley	23.63
Freeman Mc Lean	28.83
Roy Chase	22.75
Roy Chase	15.75
Wesley Frost	6.13
F. Mc Lean	17.00
Maynard Goodwin	7.00
Fred Sears	9.75
Fred Sears	14.00
Cecil Peasley	38.50
Roy Chase	14.00
Freeman Mc Lean	21.00
Maynard Goodwin	3.50
Fred Sears	3.50
Herb Fisher	30.00
Freeman Mc Lean	10.50
Roy Chase	28.00
Archie Parker	30.27
Will Frost	45.50
Will Frost	7.00
Herb Fisher	48.50
Charles Mower	80.00
Percy Baine	58.00
Cecil Peasley	24.50
A. R. Burton & Son, cement	68.00
H. E. Randlett, cement	51.00
Ada Mower, board	17.00
B. Cane	23.25
Freeman McLean	21.00
Wesley Frost	7.00
Fred Sears	28.00
Frank Burgess	26.25
Roy Chase	26.25
Cecil Peasley	26.25
Roy Chase	18.00
Fred Jones	21.00
Edgar Stevens	33.25
Herb Fisher	84.50
Freeman McLean	14.00

Frank Burgess	19.25
Wesley Frost	19.25
Fred Sears	19.25
Cecil Peasley	15.75
Walter Tobey	15.75
Roy Chase	19.25
Less Parker	42.25
Don McDonald	8.75
Percy Baine	35.00
Frank Burgess	21.00
Will Frost	71.75
Chas. Mower	150.00
Roy Chase	22.75
Percy Baine	25.00
Frank Burgess	15.75
Walter Toby	17.50
Ervin Robertson	33.62
Percy Baine	12.50
Percy Baine	30.00
Roy Chase	2.50
George Libby	160.00
Percy Baine	30.00
E. G. Grant	40.40
Berger Mfg. Co., culvert	44.46
W. C. Washburn	81.42
E. G. Grant	8.50
E. G. Grant	2.70
Percy Baine	129.00
Geo. Libby	186.00
F. L. Griffith	14.50
W. C. Washburn	81.42

\$3,214.54

PERCY BAINE, Road Commissioner

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Citizens of St. Albans, Greetings:

I herewith submit my eighth annual report as Superintendent of Schools. It contains comments on the past year's work and suggestions for the new year. The School Committee's report will discuss repairs and other items.

The school census last April showed 292 young people between the ages of 5 and 21 resident in the town, as compared with 279 the preceding year. This is the largest number at any time during my work with you. The following is a statement of teachers and enrollment this fall:

Pond Road School, Irene Libby, \$20 per week, 25 pupils.

Tracy School, Erma Johnson, \$18.50, 15 pupils.

Brick School, Gertrude Mesereau, \$19—13 pupils.

Lang School, Ruby Gibson, \$16—12 pupils.

Five Corners School, Gertrude Elliott, \$15—14 pupils.

Merrill School, Audrey Raymond, \$19—16 pupils.

Hopkins School, Effie Workman, \$19—21 pupils.

Magoon School, Theresa Lawrie, \$17—11 pupils.

Primary School, Alice Elliott, \$20—30 pupils.

Grammar School, Kathryn Griffith, \$19—21 pupils.

This gives a total enrollment of 178 pupils, about the same as last year.

St. Albans has also had 29 pupils enrolled at Hartland Academy this year and 3 at Corinna Academy. Most of them are doing very good work. Elmer Ward would probably have taken highest honors in rank at Hartland last June if fire had not destroyed the records. The "Academy News" of this winter gives the following names of St. Albans pupils who are doing extra well in studies: Annie Merrick, Ina Field, Mollie Johnson, Ola Brooks, Ruth Mower, Eleanor Springer, Lloyd Cookson, Edythe Philbrick, Meredith Mower, Myrtle Lewis, Isabel Baine. Our town is also ably represented at Corinna.

We have endeavored to improve the teaching in our schools this year as in the past. While striving to maintain all school branches at a high teaching efficiency, it is our custom to give particular emphasis to some phase of the work which needs up-building. This year our special interest has been given to **HEALTH**.

The work has three divisions. The first is formal gymnas-

tics, the chief purposes of which are to correct round shoulders and similar defects and to give relaxation and exercise to muscles which have been cramped in a school desk for an hour or more.

The second division is Health instruction. This differs from the old Physiology instruction with its lists of bones and muscles because it deals with Hygiene and the laws of acquiring and maintaining good health. It will be interesting to know that our schools are following the Pennsylvania State Health Course, which is the work of Dr. Chas. H. Keene, formerly of Palmyra.

The third type of Health work is the Health Crusade, which is a plan whereby children actually do Health chores, such as brushing the teeth, drinking milk, etc. It is not enough to know what ought to be done, pupils must form the habit of doing it. We have had the cordial cooperation of parents in this work, without which we could not have attained such a satisfactory degree of success.

We have not had our usual success with new teachers this year, altho I chose them as carefully as possible with a personal interview after good recommendations in each case. In spite of all my efforts at supervision, the work has been quite unsatisfactory in some instances. Our "regular" teachers have continued their excellent work of previous years and some of the new teachers have done very well.

A serious handicap has been the fact that our school year has dropped to the bare minimum of 30 weeks allowed by the State. I realize that times have been very hard on the farm for several years; this has naturally brought about a desire to lower the tax rate. If this can be done without lowering the efficiency of such necessary institutions as good roads and good schools, all will approve the plan. If it means a serious lowering of standards, it will have the support of few.

While farm standards of living have come to include R. F. D., phone, automobile, and will soon generally include electric lights and power and radio, the school also has advanced. The standard length of year in some states is 40 weeks; in Maine it is 36 weeks.

We have estimated that it will take an increase of \$900 over last year's school maintenance appropriation, to operate our schools 34 weeks this coming year. This increase is about equally divided between the common school account and the High School tuition.

With our present valuation, this is an increase of about

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2 mills in the tax rate. Since our rate this year has been 38 mills, this means an increase of one nineteenth. To make this concrete, the man who paid \$57 tax this year must pay \$60 next year to have 34 weeks of school in St. Albans. The man who paid \$95 must pay \$100 and the man who paid \$152 must pay \$160. We believe that St. Albans' people will do this rather than continue to operate their school on a lowered plane of efficiency.

The per capita cost of schooling our 188 pupils this year has been between \$40 and \$41. The school dollar has been divided as follows: Teachers, 57 cents; fuel, 4; janitors, 2; conveyance, 8; tuition, 2; repairs, 2; supplies, 5; books, 3; High School, 17.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation of the cooperation extended to the public schools and to my work.

Respectfully submitted,

H. B. CLIFFORD, Supt.

Report of School Physician

To the Superintending School Committee, St. Albans, Me.

The following is my report of the physical examination of the pupils of St. Albans for the school year 1924 and 1925.

Whole number registered—Boys 85, girls 96.

Whole number examined—Boys 76, girls 91.

Number with 100% physical rank, 38.

Number reported for medical examination—43 as follows:

Vision, 11

Teeth, 6

Adenoids, 25

Tonsils, 26

Throat, 1

Number found defective:

Care of teeth—18

Vision—11

Teeth—54

Throat—11

Tonsil—68

Adenoids—55

Skin—2

Weight—20

Posture—22

Average physical rank—97.37.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. MOULTON, M. D., School Physician

Report of the Superintending School Committee

To the Citizens of St. Albans:

The Superintending School Committee submits its report. At a meeting of the Hartland, Palmyra and St. Albans district school committee Mr. Clifford was unanimously elected superintendent of schools and the purchase of text books and supplies was left to him as in previous years.

SCHOOLS

As voted at town meeting the Lang school was opened for the spring term making a total of nine schools, of 30 weeks each, maintained this year.

TRANSPORTATION

Pupils have been transported from the Chambers to the Five Corners, from the Lucas to the Tracy and through bad weather from the Lyford to the Hopkins.

REPAIRS

There have been no extensive repairs made on any school-house during the year; but small amounts of work have been done wherever it has been found necessary.

We wish to recommend the connecting of toilets at the village school, also at the Hopkins this coming year.

After due consideration we recommend the following estimates planned for a school year of 34 weeks.

ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE FOR

1925-26

Teachers	\$5294.00
Fuel	200.00
Janitors	230.00
Conveyance	1306.00

Common school tuition	250.00	
Text books	200.00	
Supplies	200.00	
High school tuition	1980.00	
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Total estimate		\$9660.00
* Estimated income from State		\$2800.00
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To be raised by town		\$6860.00

Respectfully submitted,

E. M. THORNE

W. H. CARSON

MRS. LONA VARNEY

Superintending School Committee

Town Clerk's Report

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

1924

March 12—(Lesley W.) to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Rediker.
 Mar. 27—(Sylvia A.) to Mr. and Mrs. George Field.
 April 4—(Faye) to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richards.
 April 4—(Geraldine Gertrude) to Mr. and Mrs. Joel T. Neal.
 May 10—(David Warren) to Mr. and Mrs. David Burns.
 May 17 (Alfred Frank) to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Frost.
 June 7 (Shirley Ray) to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crocker.
 June 10—(Ruth Evelyn) to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hodsdon.
 June 13—(Doris Evelyn) to Mr. and Mrs. Leland E. Randall.
 June 27—(Pauline H.) to Mr. and Mrs. Evan Martin.
 Aug. 26—(Mary Gevena) to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coron.
 Sept. 4—(Edward Elsemore) to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Snell.
 October 15—Frederick Wins to Della M. Bubar.
 Oct. 2—(Mary Estelle) to Mr. and Mrs. Merle E. Johnson.
 Nov. 7—(Carleen Doris) to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin G. Piper.
 Nov. 8—(Margarit Evelyn) to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Nichols.
 Nov. 25—(Horace Alfred) to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Ricker.
 Nov. 29—(Freda M.) to Mr. and Mrs. Archie D. Parker.
 Dec. 9—(Bernice Faye) to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Kimball.
 Dec. 19—(Hazel Leola) to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones.
 Dec. 21—(Afton Mary) to Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Baird.
 Dec. 28—(Ruth M.) to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nichols.

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Jan. 28—(Lewis Franklin) to Mr. and Mrs. Albion Neal.
 Feb. 9—(Isabelle Flora) to Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Goodwin.

MARRIAGES

1924

March 22—O'neil D. Plummer to Ena M. Emery.
 June 28—Fred R. Jones to Gladys M. Weeks.
 July 5—Carroll J. Patten to Mildred G. Brawn.
 July 12—Ernest E. Newcombe to Virginia P. Braley.
 August 9—Homer F. Ray to Helen M. Libby.
 October 5—Ruel F. Neal to Lillian McLellan.

November 5—Donald L. Bartlett to Mary E. Calne.
Dec. 17—Charles L. Cook to Eva-M. Spencer.
December 21—Winn Bowman to Oneita Osborne.

DEATHS

1924

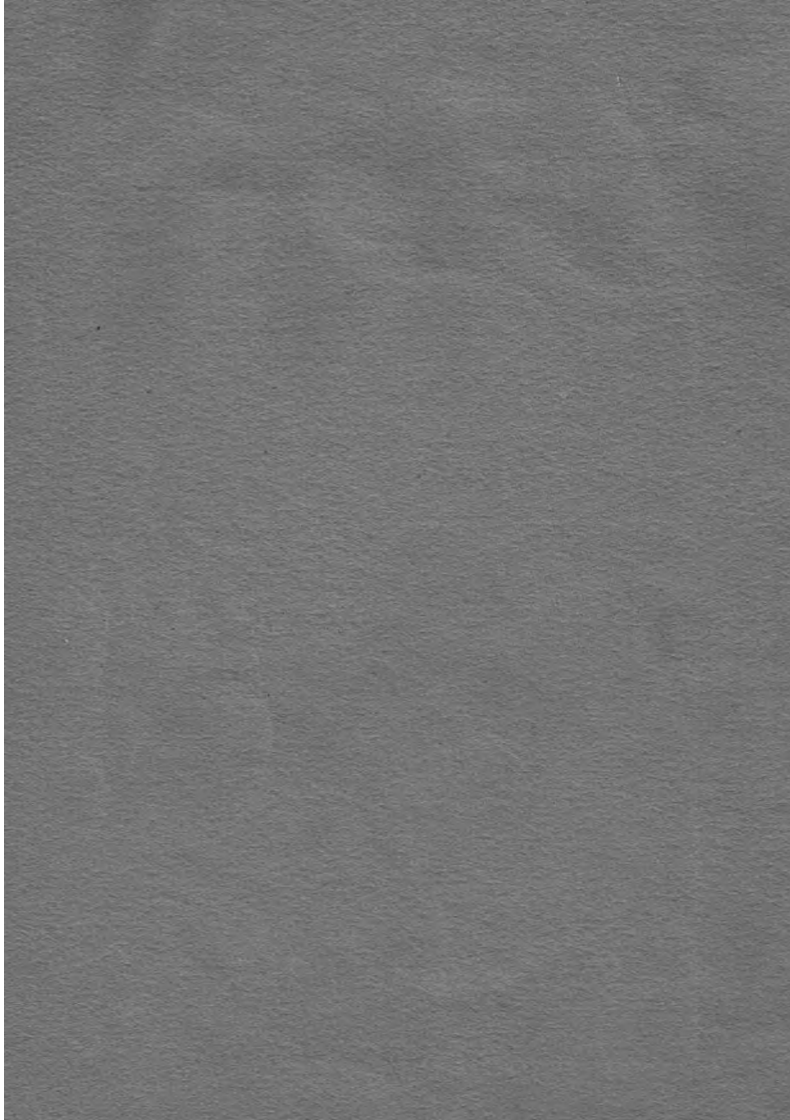
February 28—Ablatha B. Tyler, age 80 years, 8 mos., 15 days.
April 2—David R. Longley, age 88 years, 11 mos., 15 days.
May 23—Joseph T. Johnson, age 85 years, 8 mos., 5 days.
May 29—Mary A. Gilmore, age 84 years, 3 mos., 4 days.
June 8—Eunice Getchell, age 77 years, 8 mos., 23 days.
June 14—Andrew J. Parker, age 65 years, 5 mos., 13 days.
July 31—John C. Merrill, aged 78 years, 0 mos., 7 days.
Sept. 16—Osgood Robertson, age 68 years, 6 mos., 5 days.
Nov. 11—Stephen C. Lucas, age 73 years, 11 mos., 7 days.
Dec. 7—Adelade C. Avery, age 71 years, 4 mos., 26 days.
Dec. 17—Laura Lombard, age 69 years, 8 mos., 12 days.
Dec. 23—Bessie M. Hunt, age 3 years, 1 mo., 17 days.

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Jan. 8—Sarah B. Crocker, age 87 years, 6 mos., 15 days.
Jan. 9—Elden E. Wilkins, age 34 years, 7 mos., 12 days.
Jan. 20—Maxine L. Richards, age 9 mos, 23 days.
Jan. 21—Edith M. Crocker, age 43 years, 7 mos., 29 days.
Feb. 9—Emma E. Nichols, age 55 years, 10 mos., 16 days.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. A. LIBBY, Town Clerk



Preserve This Report

A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be a sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day morning.