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OF THE

Municipal Officers

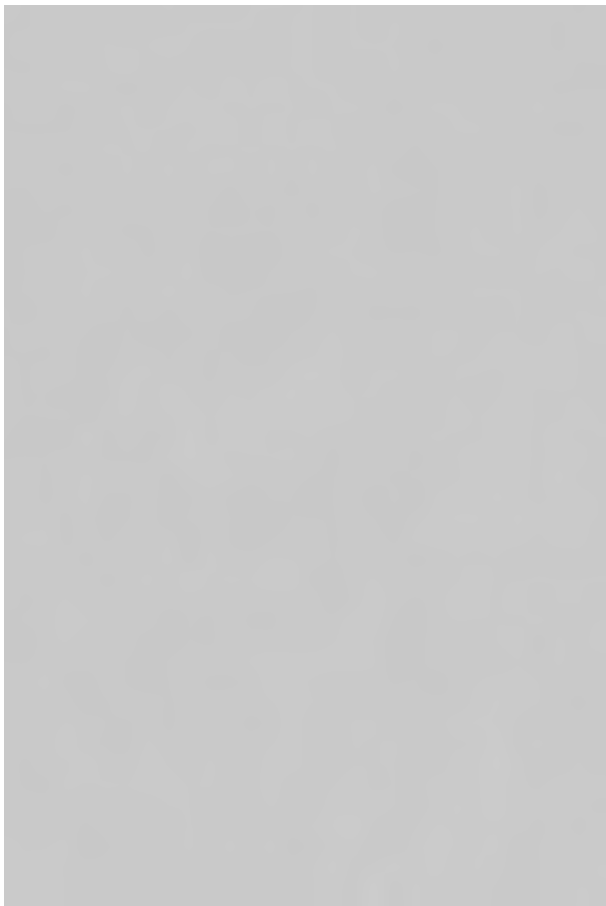
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TOWN WARRANT

SOMERSET, ss.

STATE OF MAINE

To H. 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 at the Town Hall in said town on Monday the twelfth day of March, A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. No. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. No. 2. To choose a town clerk.

Art. No. 3. To hear reports of town officers and act thereon.

Art. No. 4. To choose three or more selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor.

Art. No. 5. To choose a town treasurer.

Art. No. 6. To choose a collector of taxes and see what method the town will adopt for the collection of the same.

Art. No. 7. To choose a superintending school committee.

Art. No. 8. To choose a road commissioner, and fix his compensation.

Art. No. 9. To choose all other necessary town officers.

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Art. No. 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 service, conveyance, tuition and board of pupils, textbooks reference books and school supplies for desk and laboratory use.

Art. No. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of school buildings. .

Art. No. 12. To see if the town will authorize the school committee to employ a school physician and raise money for same.

Art. No. 13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the superintending school committee to contract for tuition of scholars of standard grade, as provided in Sec. 84, Chap. 16, of the R. S. of 1916.

Art. No. 14. To see if the town will vote to unite with Hartland and Palmyra, to employ a music teacher for the three towns, and raise money for same.

Art. No. 15. 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. No. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay school superintendent's salary.

Art. No. 17. To see if the town will vote to pay the superintending school committee for services rendered.

Art. No. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what amount to repair the Tracy school.

Art. No. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what amount for the repair of the Village school.

Art. No. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what amount, to paint the Pond school.

Art. No. 21. 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 Sec. 29, Chap. 25 of the R. S. of 1916.

Art. No. 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise in accordance with the provisions of Chap. 154 of the P. L. of 1917 as amended by Chap. 157 of the P. L. of 1919, for the construction of a State Aid highway through the towns of Palmyra, Hartland, St. Albans and Corinna, beginning at the Pittsfield-Palmyra town line, and extending in a general northerly direction over the main travelled road, through the towns of Palmyra and Hartland to Hartland village, thence in a general easterly direction over the present designated State Aid road, through the towns of Hartland, St. Albans and Corinna, to the Corinna-Exeter town line, a distance of approximately twenty miles.

Art. No. 23. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise in accordance with the provisions of Chap. 154 of the P. L. of 1917, as amended by Chap. 157 of the P. L. of 1919, for the construction of a State Aid highway beginning at the Palmyra-St. Albans town line, and extending through St. Albans village, West Ripley, and Cambridge village to the Cambridge-Wellington town line, on the Burden Corner road.

Art. No. 24. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$533.00 for the improvement of the section of the State Aid highway 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 Chap. 25, Sec. 18, of the R. S. of 1916.

Art. No. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair the road in swamp west of Harry Snell's, and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200.00 to repair the road from T. M. Peakes' to E. L. Harris', and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair and build roads in summer.

Art. No. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to care for winter roads.

Art. No. 29. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair and build bridges.

Art. No. 30. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for board fences.

Art. No. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for cutting bushes.

Art. No. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for patrol maintenance.

Art. No. 33. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Road Commissioner to use the ledge-rock on the Porter farm, for repairing roads.

Art. No. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200.00 to repair the road between Charles Balley's and S. S. Seekins, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 to repair the road from Nelson's corner to V. H. Bragg's, and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$100.00 to repair the road from Harry W. Ricker's to Alfred Hilton's, and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what amount, to fence the Pond school yard.

Art. No. 38. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 from Mrs. Eva Turner and C. C. Hanson for the perpetual care of the Hanson-Turner lot in the village cemetery.

Art. No. 39. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 from Mrs. Rose Robertson, for the perpetual care of the Osgood Robertson lot in the village cemetery.

Art. No. 40. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$125.00 from the executor of the estate of M. L. Merrill, for the perpetual care of the M. L. Merrill lot in the village cemetery.

Art. No. 41. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what amount, to fence the Lyford cemetery.

Art. No. 42. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the services of public health nurse, and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 43. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.

Art. No. 44. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the "Fifth Road," so-called, running easterly from Five Corners.

Art. No. 45. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 for one lot, or \$50.00 for one-half lot, for the perpetual care of any cemetery lot within the town limits, and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. No. 46. To act on any other matter or matters, not relating to the raising of money, that may legally come before any town meeting.

Art. No. 47. To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as selected by the selectmen.

Art. No. 48. 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.

The selectmen will be in session at their office at 9 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 first day of March A. D. 1928.

A. P. BIGELOW,

O. E. COLE,

E. M. THORNE,

Selectmen of St. Albans, Maine.

Selectmen's Report

The selectmen of the town of St. Albans respectfully submit their report for the year 1927-28.

Value real estate, resident	\$329,235.00
Value real estate, non-resident	54,985.00
Value personal estate, resident	104,983.00
Value personal estate, non-resident	2,750.00
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	\$491,953.00
Amount exempted	\$1,800.00
Number of polls	276 @ \$3.00
Number of polls not taxed	10
Rate of taxation045

APPROPRIATIONS

For:

Elementary and secondary schools	\$7,000.00
Repairs of school buildings	150.00
School physician	50.00
Interest on school fund order	61.40
School superintendent's salary	400.00
Lang school yard and fence	50.00
Village school yard and fence	100.00
Repairs to Five Corners school	300.00
Repairs to Brick school	300.00
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	\$8,411.40
Summer roads	\$2,000.00
Winter roads	1,800.00
Bridges	200.00
Board fences	100.00
Cutting bushes	100.00
Patrol maintenance	500.00
Repair of road from M. T. Bubar's to Johnson's Corner	100.00
Repair of road from A. L. Martin's to Hartland-St. Albans road	100.00
Improvement state aid highway	665.00
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	\$5,565.00

Town charge and town poor	\$2,000.00	
Memorial services	50.00	
Street lights	130.00	
Overdrawn accounts	851.96	
Cemetery trust fund	200.00	
Town debt	620.00	
Repairs to Sleeper Cemetery	50.00	
Repairs to Mountain Cemetery	25.00	
Fireproof safe for selectmen's office	200.00	
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		\$4,126.96
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Total amount appropriated	\$18,103.36	
State tax	3,177.02	
County tax	830.20	
Overlay in assessing	855.31	
Supplementary tax	99.80	
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		\$23,065.69

TOWN CHARGES AND TOWN POOR ACCOUNTS

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$2,000.00
To overlay in assessing	855.31
To supplementary tax	99.80
To amount appropriated for Memorial service	50.00
To amount appropriated for street lights ..	130.00
To amount appropriated for cemetery fund	200.00
To amount appropriated for town debt	620.00
To amount appropriated for repairs to Sleeper Cemetery	50.00
To amount appropriated for Mountain Cemetery	25.00
To amount appropriated for fireproof safe	200.00
To amount appropriated for school superintendent's salary	400.00
To amount appropriated for school physician's salary	50.00

To received Mrs. Hartwell, account F. Butler	40.00
To received from state, account state paupers	372.81
To received from W. O. Hilton, account Mrs. Luca	30.00
To received from A. P. Bigelow, account town hall	16.00
To received interest on trust funds	106.25
To received from Springfield Gas & Light Co.	3.00
To received from Chelsea Morris Plan	3.00
To received from J. F. Butler, account F. Butler	80.00
To received from state for sheep killed by dogs	105.00
To received from state, interest on bank stock	6.94
To received from state, R. R. & Tel. tax	73.66
To received from A. P. Bigelow, account Whiting	15.00
To received from town of Hartland for supplies to H. M. Lord	26.40
To received from town of Garland for supplies to P. Goodale	80.00
To received from Mrs. Rose Robertson for the perpetual care of the Robertson lot in the Village Cemetery	100.00
To received from C. C. Hanson and Mrs. Eva Turner for the perpetual care of the Hanson-Turner lot in the Village Cemetery	100.00
To received from H. E. Varney on account of Floyd Varney's hospital bill	6.58
To received from M. I. Smith on gravel account	4.50
To received from C. S. Hichborn, account M. L. Merrill	6.00
To amount appropriated for repairs to Lang school yard and fence	50.00
To amount appropriated for Village school yard and fence	100.00

 \$6,004.35

TOWN CHARGES ACCOUNT

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By Order No.		
4	Loring, Short & Harmon, town books	\$ 12.85
5	John W. Higgins, recording deeds	1.50
7	Hartland & St. Albans Telephone Co.	38.30
8	F. M. Nickerson, salary	100.00
10	Dr. C. A. Moulton, school physician 1926	50.00
11	Ernest Hart, sawing wood town hall	4.50
14	Hartland Drug Store, office supplies	1.00
15	Pittsfield National Bank, interest	75.00
16	Friend & Friend, repairs town truck	116.85
17	Gerry L. Brooks, services Butler case	27.35
18	Charles W. Mills, repairs to truck	10.05
20	Pittsfield National Bank, interest	28.61
21	W. H. Carson, watering tub, 1926	5.00
22	Furbush & Cole, wood town hall	44.00
25	H. M. Foss, services as constable 1927	4.50
26	O. E. Cole, Memorial services	42.20
27	A. P. Bigelow, auditor	6.00
29	J. N. Welch, labor town hall	5.00
31	Central Maine Power Co., lights town hall	9.40
32	Central Maine Power Co., street lights	54.15
33	North St. Albans Cemetery Assn., care of lots	9.25
51	Pittsfield National Bank, interest	37.50
54	G. A. Merrill, sheep killed by dogs	15.00
56	Hartland & St. Albans Telephone Co.	5.60
57	M. K. Parkman, labor on hall	20.50
58	W. H. Moore & Son, lumber for hall	27.25
60	C. C. Hanson, trip to Pittsfield	3.00
61	Maine State Bookbinding Co.	15.49
62	Marston & Wells, flags for Memorial Day	7.88
61	Alfred Hilton, labor Mountain Ceme- tery	25.00
65	Hartland Wilkins, labor Lang school yard	15.00
66	H. P. Phinney, Lang school yard land	25.00
94	Independent-Reporter Co., town re- ports	132.15

116	Hartland Hardware Co., stove for town hall	12.10
118	Central Maine Power Co., street lights	47.32
119	A. P. Bigelow, expenses assessors' convention	9.00
120	H. M. Foss, services as ballot clerk and constable	5.00
121	M. K. Parkman, repairs to town hall chairs	2.50
122	Hartland & St. Albans Telephone Co.	1.55
123	A. R. Burton & Son, fence for Lang school	10.93
124	A. R. Burton & Son, repairs town hall	2.50
125	Pittsfield National Bank, interest	100.00
126	Gower & Shumway, legal services 1924	10.00
127	American Express Co., express on ballots40
128	Stanley Hanson, watering tub 1927	3.00
129	J. S. Martin, care of village cemetery lots	62.00
130	Alfred Hilton, repairs to Sleeper Cemetery	34.65
131	Loring, Short & Harmon, safe for selectmen's office	200.00
132	Alfred Hilton, repairs to Mountain Cemetery	6.00
152	Dr. J. J. McVetty, reporting births and deaths	1.75
176	A. P. Bigelow, miscellaneous expenses	19.54
177	F. J. Hersey, labor on town hall	4.40
178	F. J. Hersey, ballot clerk, 1927	3.00
184	M. K. Parkman, cleaning village school, as ordered by health officer	11.50
185	C. E. Mower, lumber town hall	3.60
186	Central Maine Power Co., street lights and town hall lights	35.49
195	Parks Bros. Insurance Co., insurance on village school	52.50
204	E. N. Grant, care Maloon Cemetery and making deed	14.00

213	Dr. N. R. Cook, reporting births and deaths	1.00
214	W. H. Moore & Son, lumber for benches, town hall	25.19
237	O. E. Cole, services as selectman	75.00
238	Crocker Cemetery Association, interest on trust fund	63.48
240	F. M. Nickerson, salary as school superintendent	313.79
241	E. L. Baird, services, school committee	10.00
242	C. C. Hanson, services as health officer and expenses for fumigating school	10.95
243	C. C. Hanson, services as fire ward ...	2.00
245	Dr. C. A. Moulton, school physician, 1927	50.00
246	Dr. C. A. Moulton, reporting births and deaths	6.75
256	G. H. Hanson, repairs to town hall ..	4.07
257	G. H. Hanson, supplies to state aid road	13.10
264	O. E. Cole, services as selectman ...	75.00
265	O. E. Cole, use of automobile	25.00
267	E. M. Thorne, services as selectman ..	75.00
268	E. M. Thorne, services on school committee	10.00
270	G. A. Libby, payment of tax on Mrs. Harrison Worthing's property	20.25
273	W. O. Hilton, services as moderator, 1927	3.00
274	W. O. Hilton, care of village cemetery	20.00
276	A. P. Bigelow, services as selectman ..	150.00
324	G. A. Libby, services as town clerk ...	60.00
325	G. A. Libby, services as tax collector	576.64
326	G. A. Libby, services as town treasurer	100.00
327	G. A. Libby, bounty on hedgehogs	30.00
328	Pittsfield National Bank, interest	40.00
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		\$3,387.93
269	G. A. Libby, tax abatements	106.84
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		\$3,494.77

TOWN POOR ACCOUNT

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By Order No.

1	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	\$ 74.45
2	Mrs. Sadie Green, supplies to Frank Whiting	44.42
3	G. A. Libby, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	14.65
6	Rose Robertson, board of F. Butler ..	140.00
12	G. H. Hanson, supplies to Wesley Frost	48.28
13	O. E. Cole, supplies to Wesley Frost ..	3.00
23	Rose Robertson, board of F. Butler ..	17.16
24	Alice Brown, clothing for Carrie Smart	6.35
28	Mrs. Angie Lewis, supplies to Wesley Frost	5.90
30	T. W. Smith, supplies to Frank Whiting	12.41
43	Hanson & Patten, supplies to Wesley Frost	19.50
44	G. H. Hanson, supplies to Wesley Frost	113.56
45	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	88.70
46	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to F. Whiting	47.79
47	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	34.56
48	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to Frank Whiting	44.75
49	G. H. Hanson, supplies to Wesley Frost	83.95
50	Hanson & Patten, supplies to Wesley Frost	14.40
63	Eldon Wing, rent for F. Whiting	37.48
76	Arthur Moore, moving F. Whiting	20.00
95	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	79.31
96	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to F. Whiting	8.90
98	G. H. Hanson, supplies to Wesley Frost	99.12
100	G. A. Libby, supplies to P. P. Vecneire, state account	9.00
101	Frank Elderkin, account F. Whiting ..	1.10
102	C. C. Hanson, rent for F. Whiting	25.00

103	Mrs. Ellen Tilton, board of Mrs. Whiting	25.00
104	Mrs. Ada Mower, care of vagrants	4.00
106	William Cain, wood for F. Whiting	9.00
106	Hanson & Patten, supplies to F. Whiting	1.00
107	A. P. Bigelow, expenses committing Edward Crooker to Bangor State Hospital	12.25
153	Dr. J. J. McVetty, hospital expenses Mrs. Frost	25.00
180	Edward Southard, supplies to Wesley Frost	3.00
181	Dr. O. R. Emerson, hospital expenses Mrs. Frost	40.00
182	Herbert Seekins, supplies for F. Whiting	11.70
183	C. E. Mower, wood for F. Whiting	16.00
198	Dr. C. A. Moulton, services to Edward Crooker	12.00
199	Dr. C. A. Moulton, services to F. Whiting	21.50
200	Dr. C. A. Moulton, services to Wesley Frost	2.00
201	Dr. C. A. Moulton, services to Mrs. Chambers	4.00
215	A. R. Burton & Son, burial of F. Whiting	95.50
216	Mrs. Sadie Greene, supplies to H. M. Lord, Hartland account	26.40
254	G. H. Hanson, supplies to Wesley Frost	55.39
259	Hanson & Patten, supplies to Wesley Frost	30.65
260	Mrs. Ella Tilton, board of Mrs. Whiting	45.00
261	Lionel Parker, board of P. Goodale, Garland account	80.00
276	W. O. Hilton, funeral expenses F. Whiting	10.00
317	G. A. Libby, board of Carrie Smart	186.00

 \$1,809.13

Paid state treasurer, support of dependent child	105.69
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	\$1,914.82
Town charges account brought over ..	3,494.77
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	\$5,409.59
Amount unexpended	594.76
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	\$6,004.35

COMMON AND HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

DR.

To amount unexpended, 1926-27	\$543.54
To amount appropriated	\$7,000.00
To amount appropriated for interest on school fund order	61.40
To amount from state treasurer	2,813.11
To amount from state treasurer, equalization fund	216.00
To amount from F. M. Nickerson, refund on books45
To amount received from town of Palmyra for tuition	51.00
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	\$10,141.96
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	\$10,685.50
Amount overdrawn	203.33
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	\$10,888.83

SCHOOL TEACHERS

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By Order No.		
83	Alice M. Elliquist	\$260.00
84	Gertrude Mersereau	247.00
85	Ada L. Randlett	224.00
86	Doris Mattatall	243.20
87	Marjorie Young	221.00
88	Ruth B. McNeill	162.00
89	Viola McLaren	247.00
90	Velma C. Pratt	221.00

91	Velma M. Parker	80.00
92	Frederica S. Lamphier	90.00
93	Elva C. Meservie	201.40
207	Town of Corinna, tuition	20.00
208	Town of Palmyra, tuition	18.00
225	Town of Hartland, tuition	189.00
292	Edna W. Tracy	247.00
293	Alice M. Elliott	260.00
294	Marion E. Smith	133.00
295	Phyllis E. Harris	176.00
296	Frances B. French	252.00
297	Blanche M. Ogden	114.00
298	Grace D. Wessenger	171.00
299	Rebecca Pennell	255.00
300	Vertine E. Ellis	378.00
301	Annie I. Merrick	352.00
302	Bertha W. Corliss	300.00
303	Luelle M. Burlock	374.00
321	Frances B. French	144.00
322	Edna W. Tracy	152.00
323	Alice M. Elliott	160.00
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		\$5,891.60

SCHOOL FUEL

By Order No.

9	Ernest Hart	\$10.00
37	Harold Furbush	75.00
41	Norman Hart	6.50
55	Earle Badger	130.00
137	C. O. Brown	7.00
141	N. L. Huff	6.00
146	Bowman Brothers	54.00
154	John P. Parker	3.00
155	Rae Randlett	2.50
217	Alton Emery	31.50
218	C. E. Mower	34.50
219	J. L. Nichols	6.00
220	Ernest Hart	7.50
271	Bowman Brothers	96.00
278	Miles White	25.00
319	E. E. Wood	40.00
320	Charles Leach	2.50
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		\$527.00

CONVEYANCE

By Order No.

78	Leland Randall	\$140.00
79	Howard Sinclair	98.00
80	John P. Parker	112.00
81	J. L. Nichols	146.00
82	L. B. Neal	130.00
138	Chester Carson	7.60
157	Elmer Baird	30.00
158	E. H. Smith	30.00
159	Elmer Baird	45.00
160	E. H. Smith	30.00
221	J. L. Nichols	2.25
280	J. L. Nichols	132.00
281	John P. Parker	99.30
282	Howard Sinclair	93.80
283	C. M. Hubar	124.00
284	Leland Randall	134.00
285	P. P. Vecnelre	134.00
286	Dan Merrill	80.00
287	Howard Sinclair	56.00
288	P. P. Vecnelre	80.00
289	Leland Randall	80.00
290	C. M. Hubar	80.00
291	John P. Parker	64.00

 \$1,927.85

JANITORS

By Order No.

34	Alice M. Elliott	\$ 4.00
36	Charlotte Burgess	5.08
39	Mrs. M. B. Weaver	2.00
40	Gertrude Mersereau	15.40
42	Alice M. Elliott	14.35
53	Mrs. M. B. Weaver	5.50
59	Gertrude Mersereau	9.00
77	G. A. Libby	38.50
140	Lizzie Carson	3.00
142	Mrs. Alton Emery	3.00
143	Jennie Cooley	3.00
144	Bernice Weaver	4.00
145	Mrs. Frank Heath	14.00
156	A. B. Deering	1.50
231	Joel Neal	8.00

232	Alton Emery	2.00
233	J. L. Nichols	1.50
234	Phyllis E. Harris	5.50
235	Bernice Weaver75
238	Alberta Elderkin	4.00
304	Grace Wessenger	1.00
305	Rebecca Pennell	3.50
306	Marion E. Smith	3.50
307	Annie I. Merrick	7.00
308	Bertha W. Corliss	7.00
309	Bernice Weaver	3.00
310	Delmont Springer	7.00
311	Vertine E. Ellis	6.50
312	Edna W. Tracy	16.25
313	Alice M. Elliott	16.25
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		\$215.08

TEXTBOOKS

By Order No.

165	World Book Co.	\$ 17.82
166	Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	16.07
167	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	6.73
168	D. C. Heath & Co.	5.01
189	Lyons & Cranshan	58.10
190	Ginn & Co.	83.78
191	Silver Burdett & Co.	103.62
212	Ginn & Co.	11.05
222	Ginn & Co.	35.66
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		\$337.84

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

By Order No.

169	Herbert L. Palmer	\$12.00
170	L. W. Gerrish	2.64
171	A. N. Palmer Co.	9.45
172	Milton, Bradley Co.	1.93
173	Maine Public Health Assn.	1.23
174	Kenney Bros. and Wolkins	4.27
194	Edward E. Babb & Co.	39.50
196	J. L. Hammett Co.	28.49
197	Milton Bradley Co.	4.36
209	F. M. Nickerson	9.04
210	Edward E. Babb & Co.	3.73

227	F. M. Nickerson	4.66	
228	Milton Bradley & Co.	11.83	
229	H. L. Palmer	6.34	
230	Mrs. Sadie Greene	7.16	
277	G. H. Hanson	12.83	
			<u>\$159.46</u>

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

By Order No.

52	Jesse Ray	\$ 60.00	
192	Maine Central Institute	40.00	
205	City of Oldtown	60.00	
206	Corinna Union Academy	120.00	
226	Town of Dexter	90.00	
272	Hartland Academy	1,460.00	
			<u>\$1,830.00</u>

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

Total amount paid to teachers	\$5,891.60	
Total amount paid for school fuel	527.00	
Total amount paid for conveyance	1,927.85	
Total amount paid for janitors	215.08	
Total amount paid for textbooks	337.84	
Total amount paid for school supplies	159.46	
Total amount paid for high school	1,830.00	
		<u>\$10,888.83</u>

LIBRARY ACCOUNT

To amount unexpended from 1926-27	\$43.94	
		<u>\$43.94</u>

SCHOOL REPAIRS ACCOUNT

DR.

To amount unexpended from 1926-27		\$276.00
To amount appropriated	\$150.00	
To amount appropriated for repairs to Five Corners school	300.00	
To amount appropriated for repairs to Brick school	300.00	
		<u>\$750.00</u>
		<u>\$1,026.00</u>

CR.

By Order No.		
35	W. H. Moore & Son	\$ 3.65
38	M. B. Weaver	1.00
133	A. R. Burton & Son	77.70
134	C. S. Hilton	191.98
135	F. A. Varney	97.66
136	Fred W. Palmer	89.50
139	C. S. Hilton	3.00
161	Hartland Hardware Co.	27.46
162	E. L. Seavey	75.12
163	F. L. Griffith	54.00
164	Hartland Hardware Co.	23.90
179	F. J. Hersey	5.50
193	W. H. Moore & Son	162.80
202	E. N. Grant	8.72
211	A. R. Burton & Son	83.90
223	F. L. Griffith	8.90
224	E. M. Thorne	42.00
279	D. S. Emerson	32.85
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		\$989.64
	Amount unexpended	36.36
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		\$1,026.00

HIGHWAY ACCOUNTS
SUMMER AND WINTER ROADS

DR.

To amount unexpended from 1926-27	41.27
To amounts appropriated for:	
Summer roads	\$2,000.00
Winter roads	1,800.00
Bridges	200.00
Board fences	100.00
Cutting Bushes	100.00
Repairs to road from M. T. Bubar's to John- son's Corner	100.00
Repairs to road from A. L. Martin's to Hart- land-St. Albans road	100.00
Patrol maintenance	500.00
Received from state treasurer for use of truck on third class highway	137.54

Received from state treasurer for money expended on patrolled road	111.36	
		\$5,190.17
Amount overdrawn		14.89
		<u>\$5,205.06</u>

SUMMER ROADS

By Order No.	CR.	
68	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	\$743.66
69	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	232.40
70	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	121.00
71	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	78.78
72	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	481.00
73	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	95.73
74	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	72.66
97	Mrs. Sadie Greene	10.69
108	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	9.00
109	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	102.10
110	E. N. Grant	9.00
111	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	129.00
113	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	89.50
114	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	123.75
116	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	145.00
117	Hartland Hardware Co.....	12.75
149	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	21.00
150	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	123.48
151	O. K. Fuller	21.03
187	C. E. Mower	39.18
188	C. E. Mower	83.82
236	W. E. Parker	21.00
247	R. M. Chapman	9.00
248	George W. Emery	368.00
249	George W. Emery	20.00
250	George W. Emery	6.00
251	George W. Emery	10.00
252	George W. Emery	24.00
253	George W. Emery	40.00
255	G. H. Hanson	147.35
258	R. W. Hanson	6.00
314	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders	97.19
316	A. R. Burton & Son	101.26
318	P. E. Mower	4.50
		<u>\$3,598.83</u>

WINTER ROADS

By Order No.	
67	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders 224.14
75	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders 37.24
112	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders 77.61
147	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders 401.83
148	E. L. Baird 19.65
175	George W. Emery 55.79
203	E. N. Grant 1.75
244	Chester C. Cooley 13.60
266	G. E. Cole 13.91
315	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders 343.41
	<hr/> \$1,188.93
	Amount of summer roads account
	brought over 3,598.83
	<hr/> \$4,787.76
	Paid state treasurer for patrol 417.30
	<hr/> \$5,205.06

THIRD CLASS HIGHWAY

DR.

To amount apportioned by state	\$2,707.12
Less state inspection	17.55
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Amount received from state treasurer	\$2,689.57
Amount overdrawn	50.74
	<hr/> \$2,740.31

CR.

By Order No.	
262	G. A. Libby, road commissioner's orders \$2,735.58
263	A. R. Burton & Son 4.73
	<hr/> \$2,740.31

Amount of road built, 3,200 feet.

STATE AID HIGHWAY

DR.

To amount appropriated by town	\$ 665.00	
To amount borrowed from Pittsfield National Bank	2,000.00	
To amount apportioned by state	9,594.00	
		<u>\$12,259.00</u>

CR.

North Road

By paid for culverts	\$368.60	
By paid for labor on culverts	93.33	
By paid for labor, stone base	1,488.18	
By paid for labor, sub base	1,434.52	
By paid for labor, surfacing	889.12	
By paid for labor, grading	1,173.63	
By clearing right of way	79.10	
By paid for gravel	341.75	
By paid Ervin Martin for supervision	112.74	
By paid for State inspection	13.73	
		<u>\$5,994.70</u>

Amount of road built 5,900 feet.

Mill Hill Road

By paid for culverts	\$ 324.14	
By paid for labor on culverts	85.00	
By paid for guard rails	217.10	
By paid for labor on guard rails	104.49	
By paid for labor, stone base	1,488.18	
By paid for labor, sub base	1,434.53	
By paid for labor, surfacing	889.12	
By paid for labor, grading	1,173.64	
By paid for labor, clearing right of way ..	79.62	
By paid for gravel	341.75	
By paid Ervin Martin for supervision	112.75	
By paid for State inspection	13.74	
		<u>\$6,264.06</u>

\$12,258.76

Amount unexpended

.24

\$12,259.00

Amount of road built 6,240 feet.

SPECIAL ROAD RESOLVE

DR.

To amount from Pittsfield National Bank	\$1,000.00	
		<u>\$1,000.00</u>

CR.

By Order No.		
99 G. A. Libby	\$982.67	
		<u>\$982.67</u>
Amount unexpended		17.33
		<u>\$1,000.00</u>

Pay-roll for Order No. 99

Clyde Martin, truck	\$165.00	
Ervin Martin, truck	165.00	
Linwood Hart	49.50	
Levere Hart	49.50	
Abner Brooks	49.50	
Harry Springer	28.50	
H. J. Hilton	40.00	
H. J. Hilton, truck	70.00	
Frank Fellows, truck	65.00	
Ernest Hart, truck	70.00	
Dana Martin, truck	60.00	
Ervin Martin, truck	40.00	
Mose Wilkins	21.00	
Joel Neal	21.00	
Stewart Baird	15.00	
Harry Bell	15.00	
Evan French	18.00	
Robert Nichols	1.67	
Dellie Welch, truck	30.00	
Earl Perry	3.00	
Charles Dore	3.00	
Mervin Dore	3.00	
		<u>\$982.67</u>

OVERDRAWN ACCOUNTS

DR.

To amount appropriated	\$851.96	
		<u>\$851.96</u>

CR.

By amount overdrawn on town poor and town charge accts.	\$522.02	
By amount overdrawn on third class highway acct.	59.58	
By amount overdrawn on State Aid highway acct.	270.36	
		<u>\$851.96</u>

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

Receipts

Cash on hand March 1st, 1927	\$ 52.79	
Received for:		
Town charges and town poor accounts ...	6,004.35	
Common and high schools	10,141.96	
School repairs	750.00	
Highways, summer and winter roads ...	5,148.90	
Third class highway	2,689.57	
State Aid highway	2,665.00	
Special highway resolve	1,000.00	
Overdrawn accounts	851.96	
		<u>\$29,304.53</u>

Payments

Paid:		
Town charges accounts	\$3,494.77	
Town poor accounts	1,914.82	
School teachers' accounts	5,891.60	
School fuel accounts	527.00	
School conveyance accounts	1,927.85	
School janitors' accounts	215.08	
School textbooks accounts	337.84	
School supplies accounts	159.46	
High school accounts	1,830.00	
School repairs accounts	989.64	
Summer roads accounts	3,598.83	
Winter roads accounts	1,188.93	
Patrol maintenance	417.30	
State Aid highway accounts	2,665.00	
Third class highway accounts	2,740.31	
Special road resolve	982.67	
Cash on hand March 1st, 1928	423.43	
		<u>\$29,304.53</u>

BALANCES

Amounts Unexpended	
Town charges and town poor accounts	\$594.76
School repairs account	36.36
Special resolve account	17.33
Library account	43.94
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	\$692.39
Amounts Overdrawn	
Common and high school accounts	\$203.33
Highway, summer and winter roads accounts	14.89
Third class highway account	50.74
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	\$268.96
Cash on hand March 1st, 1928	423.43
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	\$692.39

TAX ABATEMENTS

DR.

Tax abatement to:	
Edward Crooker, unable to pay	\$ 3.00
Malcolm Parkman, paid in Florida 1926 tax	16.47
Arthur Cole, can't locate	3.00
George Cunningham, paid in Patten	30.00
Clarence Giles, paid in Corinna	3.00
Oland Heath, not of age	3.00
Gordon Lamersau, can't locate	3.00
Rudolph Snow, over valuation	6.75
Joseph Vecnelre, error	9.00
B. H. Lovely, over valuation	3.37
H. M. Lord, unable to pay	3.00
Hartland Telephone Co., error	2.25
Earl Parkman, error	9.00
A. F. Hurd, over valuation	9.00
N. M. Field, unable to pay	3.00
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	\$106.84

CR.

By Order No.	
269 G. A. Libby	\$106.84
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	\$106.84

Standing of the Town

ASSETS

Grover property	\$100.00
Road machinery	500.00
Hearse	50.00
Truck	150.00
Due from M. I. Smith	11.20
Due from J. F. Butler, support F. Butler ..	840.42
Due from H. E. Varney, hospital bill of Floyd Varney	130.00
Due from Mrs. Harrison Worthing, tax 1927	20.25
Due from State, bounty on hedgehogs	30.00
Cemetery funds at Pittsfield Nat. Bank ...	3,000.00
Cash in treasury March 1st, 1928	423.43
	\$5,255.30
Due from State for special road resolve ..	1,000.00
	\$6,255.30
Estimated town debt	2,744.70
	\$9,000.00

LIABILITIES

School fund orders	\$1,190.54
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
Dearborn, cemetery fund	100.00
Benjamin Ireland, cemetery fund	100.00
Vining-Chisholm, cemetery fund	100.00
Eunice Getchell, cemetery fund	50.00
D. R. Longley, cemetery fund	100.00

George Martin, cemetery fund	100.00	
Isaac Osborne, cemetery fund	100.00	
J. F. Hilton, cemetery fund	100.00	
Everett Parkman, Lang cemetery fund	100.00	
Tyler and Mathews, cemetery fund	200.00	
Nathaniel Vining, cemetery fund	100.00	
Seth K. Gifford, cemetery fund	100.00	
Wm. W. Tracy, cemetery fund	100.00	
Welch and Tarr, cemetery fund	100.00	
Jesse S. Boston, cemetery fund	100.00	
Hanson and Turner, cemetery fund	100.00	
Osgood Robertson, cemetery fund	100.00	
Crocker, cemetery fund	1,355.00	
Due Pittsfield Nat. Bank	3,500.00	
Due H. J. Hilton,	2,000.00	
Estimated contingent liabilities	500.00	
		\$11,187.54
Less school fund order	\$1,190.54	
Less balance on cemetery funds	997.00	
		\$2,187.54
		\$9,000.00

A. P. BIGELOW,

O. E. COLE,

E. M. THORNE,

Selectmen.

Treasurer's Report

Geo. A. Libby, treasurer, in account with town of St. Albans.

DR.

To cash in treasury, March 1, 1927	\$ 52.79
Received from Mrs. Lealie Hartwell, care of Freeman Butler	40.00
Received from State Treas., support of paupers	372.81
Received from W. O. Hilton, acct. Ethel Luce	30.00
Received from A. P. Bigelow, use of hall .	16.00
Received from interest on bonds	106.25
Received from The Chelsea Morris Plan Co., interest on stock	3.00
Received from The Springfield Gas & Light Co., interest on stock	3.00
Received from J. F. Butler, care of Freeman Butler	80.00
Received from State treasurer, sheep killed by dogs	105.00
Received from State treasurer, interest on bank stock	6.04
Received from State treasurer, highway department	61.36
Received from State treasurer, highway department	50.00
Received from State treasurer, third class road	2,689.57
Received from State treasurer, State school fund	2,813.11
Received from State treasurer, R. R. and Tel. tax	73.66
Received from State treasurer, State school fund	216.00
Received from State treasurer, soldiers'	

pensions	216.00
Received from Town of Palmyra, tuition ..	51.00
Received from A. P. Bigelow, acct. Whiting	15.00
Received from dog licenses	178.00
Received from town of Hartland, account of paupers	26.40
Received from Rose Robertson, for the perpetual care of the Osgood Robertson lot in the village cemetery	100.00
Received from Hanson & Turner, for the perpetual care of the Daniel Hanson and Otis Turner lot in the village cemetery	100.00
Received from town of Garland, support of pauper	80.00
Received from State treasurer, use of town truck on third class road	137.54
Received from H. E. Varney, acct. hospital bill	6.58
Received from M. I. Smith, overdraft on gravel	4.50
Received from F. M. Nickerson, refund on book45
Received from U. S. Bond, sold	1,032.20
Received from C. S. Hichborn, for repairs on M. L. Merrill's lot in village cemetery	6.00
Received from H. J. Hilton, loan	2,000.00
Received from Pittsfield Nat. Bank, loan ..	5,000.00
Received from commitment of taxes	23,065.69
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	\$38,737.95

CR.

By paid Pittsfield Nat. Bank	\$4,000.00
By paid State tax	3,177.02
By paid County tax	830.20
By paid State treasurer, dependent child .	105.69
By paid dog licenses to State treasurer ..	178.00

By paid State treasurer, patrol road	417.30	
By paid soldiers' pensions	216.00	
By paid trust fund bond, on town of Johnson, R. I.	1,032.20	
By paid town orders	28,358.11	
To balance in treasury	423.43	
		————— \$38,737.95

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. LIBBY, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I have made an examination of the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer, and find them correct, with vouchers for all orders drawn, and all monies paid out, for the year ending February 29th, 1928.

E. N. GRANT, Auditor.

Road Commissioner's Report

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT OF 1927

Order No.

1	Roy Chase	\$18.00
2	Frank Heath	21.00
3	Frank Bishop	15.00
4	Archie Parker	28.00
6	Jack Foster	24.00
7	Goodwin Philbrick	3.65
8	Ernest Hart	9.00
9	Alton Emery	24.00
10	Jack Foster	24.00
11	Lester Jepson	10.00
12	Ernest Hart	6.00
13	Frank Bryant	100.00
14	U. S. Parker	57.00
15	Roy Chase	25.00
16	Earl Weeks	9.71
17	Ernest Hart	3.00
18	Harry Finson	12.00
19	Lester Jepson	10.00
19	George Elderkin	3.00
20	Lester Jepson	10.00
21	Bernard Weymouth	7.50
22	Jack Foster	54.00
23	Roy Chase	29.00
24	Carroll Patten	1.58
25	Horace Varney	6.00
26	Harry Finson	15.00
27	Alton Merrow	15.00
28	Jack Foster	24.00
29	Roy Chase	30.00
30	Jesse Nichols	6.00
31	Frank Bryant	38.00
32	Ernest Hart	12.00
33	U. S. Parker	42.00
34	Roy Chase	27.00
35	Jack Foster	27.00
36	Ernest Hart	7.50
37	Win Bowman	10.00

38	Jack Foster	36.00
39	Roy Chase	36.00
40	Lester Jepson	24.00
41	Harry Finson	34.50
42	Ernest Hart	12.00
43	Frank Bryant	18.00
44	Jack Foster	30.00
45	Roy Chase	30.00
46	Harry Finson	15.00
47	Lester Jepson	5.00
48	Bernard Weymouth	9.00
49	Clarence Merrow	9.00
50	Ernest Hart	3.00
51	Ernest Hart	3.00
52	Harry Finson	12.00
53	Lester Jepson	35.50
54	Harry Finson	20.00
55	Ernest Hart	3.00
56	Roy Chase	12.00
57	Harold Weymouth	30.00
58	Bernard Weymouth	4.50
59	Harry Finson	9.00
60	Jack Foster	12.00
61	Harry Finson	10.00
62	Harry Finson	15.00
63	U. S. Parker	18.00
64	Earl Weeks	7.50
65	Frank Bryant	6.00
70	Harry Finson	15.00
71	Harry Finson	6.00
72	Lester Jepson	10.00
73	U. S. Parker	6.00
74	Charles Leach	3.00
75	A. C. Butters	5.00
76	E. N. Grant, gravel	28.20
77	Foster Brooks, gravel	16.80
78	V. H. Bragg, gravel	10.50
79	Alton Leadbetter, gravel	7.05
80	Mark Smith, gravel	4.10
81	Harry Finson	24.00
82	Earl Badger	17.70
83	O. K. Fuller	57.10
84	Chester Carson	5.15
85	Frank Brooks	13.00

56	F. W. Seekins	14.48
57	Dyer Sales Co.	17.50
58	Hiram Kimball	3.00
59	R. W. Philbrick	9.25
60	A. R. Burton & Son	93.93
61	N. W. Richards	15.00
62	Bert Lovely	1.45
63	George Emery	368.00
64	Joseph Fritz	1.20
65	George Nutter, Sampson Swamp 1926	27.00
66	B. I. Miller	16.66
67	G. H. Hanson	126.25
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		\$2,145.26
	Amount raised	\$2,000.00
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	Amount overdrawn	\$145.26

SNOW OF 1926-1927

Order No.

1	Myron Wood	\$ 3.36
2	Clarence Merrow	3.36
3	Ed Magoon	6.00
4	Wilbur Leavitt	3.69
5	Ernest Wood	3.36
6	Cecil Ricker	6.77
7	Alton Emery	24.00
8	Stanley Hunt	8.04
9	Archie Parker	26.46
10	Leo Randall	8.70
11	W. C. Snow	5.66
12	Earl Weeks	5.67
13	Albert Ward	26.00
14	Allen Martin	10.25
15	U. S. Parker	18.29
16	Orville McPheters	16.05
17	George Crocker	30.77
18	Glenn Nickerson	10.71
19	A. A. Hunt	1.98
20	H. Phinney	10.10
21	Irving Robertson	8.00
22	Fred Butler	8.50

23	Win Bowman	3.50
24	Corey Bubar	3.00
25	Ben Bowman	4.08
26	Tom Peaks	1.90
27	Will Mosher	9.90
28	Wesley Frost	6.00
29	Dellie Welch	3.04
30	James Bubar	4.55
31	Hiram Kimball	6.00
32	Harry Peasley	2.66
33	E. M. Raymond	7.82
34	F. H. Bishop	34.89
35	Will Cooley	9.64
36	R. W. Philbrick	9.00
37	Charles Brewer	16.62
38	H. B. Hilton	21.87
39	B. L. Avery	3.61
40	J. P. Parker	35.56
41	Ed Smith	22.00
42	H. B. Smith	5.25
43	Charles Peasley	3.68
44	F. W. Seekins	59.97
45	A. D. Parker	6.80
46	Eugene Harris	3.63
47	U. S. Patterson	11.39
48	Percy Smart	14.78
49	John Libby	18.78
50	Lewis Skillenger	5.10
51	H. B. Fisher, 1925-26-27	17.32
52	Fred Jones	18.56
53	Harold Frost	3.00
54	Percy Baine	4.50
55	Fred Larrabee, 1925-26	21.12
56	N. W. Richards	5.56
57	George Emery	55.79
58	R. E. Sampson	29.81
59	Stanley Burgess	1.37
60	George Nutter	30.00
61	Ellis Thorne	11.05
62	Leo Randall	14.44
63	J. E. Bubar	21.26
64	Earl Robertson	22.50
65	John Weeks	21.54
66	E. M. Raymond	6.80

67 E. L. Abbott	1.65	
68 C. E. Brewer	6.50	
69 Harold Frost	1.73	
70 A. P. Lewis	21.21	
71 Randall & Kimball	17.42	
72 S. R. Mower	7.85	
73 B. I. Miller	13.00	
74 Anthony Vicinere	46.82	
75 H. E. Varney	5.23	
76 F. W. Cooley	6.70	
77 Chester Cooley	13.60	
		\$998.07
Amount raised		\$1,800.00
Amount unexpended		\$ 801.93

THIRD CLASS ROAD

George Emery	\$161.12
Jack Foster, team	145.62
Roy Chase, team	95.00
Earl Weeks	90.66
Lester Jepson	84.66
Earl Perry	58.50
Charles Leach	37.00
Ruel Neal	39.00
Hernard Weymouth	69.66
Clarence Merrow	52.50
Abner Brooks	40.50
Erwin Parker	67.50
Fern Cunningham, team	51.00
Pete Nichols	40.00
Errol Libby	31.50
Casmer Wing	37.50
Geo. Dunn	27.00
Verne Merrill, team	51.00
Harry Finson	71.16
Joe Seekins	48.66
Arthur Moore, truck	333.32
Ernest Hart, truck	232.22
Win Bowman, truck	216.04
Wesley Seekins, truck	207.22
Town, truck	149.54

Alton Merrow	63.00	
Guy Weymouth	24.00	
Geo. Fields	4.50	
Gravel	154.45	
Culvert	46.00	
		<u>\$2,732.83</u>
Received from State	\$2,707.12	
Received from State for use of town truck	149.54	
		<u>\$2,707.12</u>
Amount overdrawn		\$ 25.71

MARTIN ROAD—SPECIAL 1927

Order No.

1 Ernest Hart	\$25.55	
2 Win Bowman	25.55	
3 Ben Bowman	7.67	
4 Clarence Merrow	7.67	
5 Lester Jepson	6.67	
6 Allen Martin	4.67	
7 Foster Brooks, gravel	22.50	
		<u>\$100.28</u>
Amount raised		\$100.00
Overdrawn28

SPECIAL MONEY FOR BUBAR SWAMP 1927

Order No.

1 Ernest Hart	\$30.00	
2 Roy Chase	6.00	
3 Jack Foster	6.00	
4 Lester Jepson	3.00	
5 Ernest Hart	70.00	
6 Earl Weeks	6.00	
7 E. N. Grant, gravel	9.00	
		<u>\$130.00</u>
Amount raised		\$100.00
Overdrawn		\$ 30.00

STATE AID 50-50 FOR 1927

Order No.

1	Lester Jepson	\$ 9.00	
2	Lester Jepson	8.00	
3	Jack Foster	33.00	
4	Roy Chase	12.00	
5	Percy Balne	33.00	
6	George Emery	6.00	
			\$101.00
	Amount raised	\$100.00	
	Received from State	50.00	
	Overdrawn		\$ 1.00

BRIDGE ACCOUNT FOR 1927

Order No.

1	Percy Balne State Aid	\$ 9.00	
2	Percy Balne	12.00	
3	Will Frost	6.00	
4	Lester Jepson, State Aid	7.50	
5	Lester Jepson	10.50	
6	George Emery, State Aid	10.00	
7	Berger Mfg. Co., State Aid	92.40	
8	Ellis Thorne, State Aid	5.32	
9	Win Bowman	9.00	
10	Cole & Furbush, plank	86.38	
11	Earl Weeks	3.00	
12	Ernest Hart	3.00	
13	O. K. Fuller, plank	21.03	
14	Harry Finson	3.00	
15	A. R. Burton & Son	2.50	
16	Ed Southards	17.76	
17	George Emery	24.00	
18	R. M. Chapman	9.00	
19	F. W. Moore	4.50	
20	G. H. Hanson	21.00	
			\$357.19
	Amount raised	\$200.00	
	Received from State	81.36	
	Overdrawn		\$261.36
	Overdrawn		\$ 95.83

BOARD FENCE 1927

Order No.

1 Ernest Hart	\$ 4.50	
2 Carrol Rice	4.50	
3 Earl Weeks	12.00	
4 Bernard Weymouth	9.00	
5 Carrol Rice	2.00	
6 Ernest Hart	5.00	
7 Carrol Rice	2.00	
8 Frank Griffith, boards	60.00	
9 Harry Finson	3.00	
10 A. R. Burton & Son	3.00	
11 Geo. Emery	20.00	
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		\$125.00
Amount raised		\$100.00
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Amount overdrawn		\$ 25.00

BUSH ACCOUNT OF 1927

Order No.

1 Bernard Weymouth	\$ 7.00	
2 Ernest Hart	9.00	
3 Lester Jepson	4.50	
4 Herman Nichols	3.00	
5 Wilbur Nichols	4.50	
6 A. Hunt	2.00	
7 U. S. Parker	6.00	
8 Leland Welch	12.00	
9 Bernard Weymouth	39.00	
10 Mervin Dore	20.00	
11 Merl Johnson	10.00	
12 Alton Merrow	9.00	
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		\$126.00
Amount raised		\$100.00

STATE ROAD BUSH ACCOUNT OF 1927

Order No.

1 Lester Jepson	\$24.66
2 Bernard Weymouth	27.00
3 Wallace Nichols	18.00

4	Lester Jepson	24.00
5	Ernest Hart	9.00
6	Carrol Rice	9.00
7	Earl Weeks	60.00
8	Erwin Parker	12.00
9	Wallace Nichols	9.00
10	Harry Finson	12.00
11	A. R. Burton & Son	1.53
12	Geo. Emery	40.00
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		\$246.19

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE EMERY,

Road Commissioner.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of the town of St. Albans:

I submit my third annual report of your schools.

Nine teaching positions were opened in the fall with teachers and enrollment as follows:

Village Upper Grades—Edna W. Tracy, with 19 pupils, at \$19.00 a week.

Village Lower Grades—Alice M. Elliott, with 32 pupils, at \$20.00 a week.

Merrill—Marion E. Smith, with 24 pupils, at \$19.00 a week.

Pond Road—Bertha W. Corliss, with 21 pupils, at \$20.00 a week.

Hopkins—Luella M. Burlock, with 31 pupils, at \$17.00 a week.

Five Corners—Frances B. French, with 27 pupils, at \$18.00 a week.

Brick—Vertine E. Ellis, with 16 pupils, at \$18.00 a week.

Lang—Phyllis E. Harris, with 15 pupils, at \$16.00 a week.

Tracy—Annie I. Merrick, with 15 pupils, at \$16.00 a week.

After seven weeks Miss Smith was obliged to leave and Miss Rebecca Pennell was engaged to take her place.

At the end of the twelfth week Miss Harris resigned and Miss Grace D. Wessenger was secured to take her place.

At the end of the fall term Mrs. Corliss was obliged to give up her school and Mrs. Blanche Ogden took her place.

The enrollment in about every school has changed since schools opened in the fall.

The school census corrected to the first of April, 1927, found 318 children from 5 to 20 years of age, inclusive, 156 boys and 162 girls. Of these, at the opening of the school year, 200 were in the above named schools, 13 in Hartland elementary schools, 25 in Hartland Academy, 3 in Dexter High school, and 1 in Maine Central Institute.

We have a larger number in secondary schools than heretofore and I predict that the number will be larger in the future.

It is highly important that all who are by nature endowed with sufficient ability to do so, should take secondary school and college work, because all departments of human endeavor are demanding people who are well equipped physically and intellectually.

The attendance has been good this year, except in a few instances where some of the older boys are detained from school for home work. While this condition is not good for general practice, in a few instances it may be as well, providing the child is learning to do work, and is working.

With very few exceptions the children are anxious to attend school and they are doing good work generally, and in many cases excellent work.

CONVEYANCE

Mr. Leland Randall and Mr. Howard Sinclair have conveyed to the Hopkins school; Mr. J. L. Nichols conveyed to Five Corners, Mr. Dan Morrill later taking his place. Mr. John Parker conveys to the Brick; Mr. Cory Bubar to the Village; and Mr. Peter Vicneire to the Tracy.

Mr. Randall, Mr. Bubar, Mr. Morrill, and Mr. Vicneire are paid \$10.00; Mr. Parker \$8.00; and Mr. Sinclair \$7.00 a week.

JANITOR WORK

Teachers take charge of the janitor work, for which, in the outside schools they are allowed 50c a week in the spring and fall, and 75c a week in the winter.

The pay in the village is \$2.00 in the spring and fall, and \$3.00 in the winter.

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

The geographies and language books have been in use since 1920 and 1921, and are out of date and badly worn. They are being replaced by new and up to date copies. This has necessitated a little extra expense.

Supplies and material consisting of paper, ink, pens, pen-stocks, chalk, board erasers, wax crayons, drawing paper, etc., are being supplied as needed.

REPAIRS

Excellent jobs of repairing have been done at the Brick and the Five Corners schools. I think these two schools pretty nearly meet the State requirements, as do the Lang and the Hopkins.

The report of the Superintending School Committee will give the details of the work.

I recommend that a new shed be added to the Tracy school and that toilets be installed to connect with the schoolroom.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

The town is fortunate in having a man like Dr. Moulton, who is willing to devote so much time to this phase of our school work, and it is being productive of valuable results. The results, of course, depend upon the actions of the parents, in having the cases that the physician points out, attended to. Neglect on their part to follow his advice may be productive, in some instances, of regrettable results.

COUNTY NURSE

I hope the county nurse project will be supported by the people of St. Albans. A county or district nurse usually proves to be "A friend in times of need."

SCHOOL MUSIC

I hope the town will vote to unite with the other towns of this union to employ a music teacher whose time shall be divided among the three towns. No child should be allowed to pass through his school life without instruction and drill in music.

TEACHERS

Our teachers have been very faithful and painstaking in their work, and with one exception, good order and studious attitude have been maintained.

Any teacher who is adapted to the work, and is willing to work, will make a success of her school. But a person who is not adapted to the work of teaching, or to the control of chil-

dren, cannot make a success of a school and she should change her occupation.

I am sorry that the expenditures for this year are in excess of the appropriations, but such things sometimes occur and seem to be unavoidable.

Conditions necessitated providing one conveyance team more than we had last year, which cost \$282.87.

We had to pay for secondary school tuition \$383.34 more than last year. These two extra items totaling \$666.21 we didn't plan for in making our requisitions for appropriations.

And while these two extra items total \$666.21, our total expenditure is about \$250.00 less than it was last year.

CONCLUSION

My work with the Superintending School Committee and with the schools has been very pleasant to me, and I hope profitable to the schools and to the town, and I wish to thank all for their kind and courteous sympathy and assistance in trying with me to make the conditions as comfortable and helpful to the boys and girls as it has been possible to do.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK M. NICKERSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Report of School Physician

Hartland, Maine, February 14, 1928.

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

My report as school physician for 1927-1928 is as follows:

All the schools have been visited twice, once for physical examination and examination of the buildings and play grounds, and once for general inspection.

On account of a case of scarlet fever in one of the rooms in the Village school building it was considered best to close the building for one week. After a thorough cleaning, the rooms were pronounced safe and ready for school again.

The following is a summary of my examination:

Number registered: Boys 97, girls 94. Total 191.

Number examined: Boys 95, girls 92. Total 187.

No care of teeth	29
Defective vision	14
Defective hearing	8
Defective teeth	50
Defective throat	15
Defective tonsils	47
Adenoids	37
Skin disease	2
Underweight	44
Defective pulse	2
Poor general condition	11
No. reported for treatment	68
No. with 100% rank	48
Average condition of buildings	87
Average condition of grounds	75

C. A. MOULTON, M. D.

School Physician.

Report of Superintending School Committee

To the Citizens of St. Albans:

We herewith submit our annual report for the year ending March 1, 1928.

The school committee of Hartland, Palmyra, and St. Albans met in joint session at Hartland and elected Frederick Nickerson to serve one year at a salary of twenty-two hundred dollars. The purchase of books and supplies was left to him.

SCHOOLS

Nine schools have been maintained for thirty-four weeks and the necessary conveyance been provided.

REPAIRS

Extensive repairs have been made at the Five Corners, consisting of a new floor, new lights, paint outside and in, etc. The Brick schoolhouse was remodeled and put in first class condition and a new shed with toilets built.

Repairs which seem necessary for next year are, a new shed at the Tracy; paint at the Pond; new shingles and paint at the Village.

ESTIMATES FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE FOR 1928-1929

Amount recommended to be raised under budget system for 34 weeks—\$7,500.00.

Amount recommended to be raised for repairs—\$850.00.

Respectfully submitted,

E. M. THORNE

E. N. GRANT

E. L. BAIRD

Superintending School Committee of St. Albans.

Town Clerk's Report

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

1927

- Feb. 5—(Sarah Elizabeth) to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Parker.
 Mar. 6—(Burnes W.) to Mr. and Mrs. Orman Bragg.
 Mar. 12—(Thirna Kathelin) to Mr. and Mrs. Merle Johnson.
 Mar. 29—(Lillian A.) to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hart.
 May 7—(Irene Phyllis) to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patten.
 June 1—(Morris E.) to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smart.
 June 9—(Robert M.) to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mower.
 June 17—(Wesley C.) to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyce.
 June 16—(Myrtle Ina) to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lovely.
 July 1—(Oland B.) to Mr. and Mrs. Olen Rowe.
 July 3—(Richard F.) to Mr. and Mrs. Minot Lucas.
 July 24—(Rae Robinson) to Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Bailey.
 July 26—(Harold Marshall Jr.) to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brewer.
 July 27—(Arthur M.) to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neal.
 July 28—(Heverley Leona) to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wood.
 Sept. 21—(Evangeline Marie) to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Powers.
 Sept. 30—(Jack Franklin) to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Neal.
 Nov. 10—(Shirley A.) to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sampson.
 Nov. 23—(Marilyn Jane) to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Mills.

1928

- Jan. 7—(Thelma M.) to Mr. and Mrs. Newell Philbrick.
 Jan. 11—(Joseph Eleazer) to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Nickerson.
 Feb. 14—(Rena Mae) to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith.

MARRIAGES

1927

- Apr. 2—Thomas D. Mills to Ruth M. Mower.
 May 7—Olen Rowe to Augusta Birckmaier.
 July 9—Henry M. Johnson to Dorohtier Hall.
 July 16—Joseph F. Seekins to Erma B. Sinclair.
 July 27—William H. Bralley to Lena S. Ross.
 Aug. 10—Rollins M. Chapman to Laura B. Bryant.
 Sept. 14—Edward D. Farrell to Laura N. Lucas.
 Oct. 9—Casimer E. Wing to Eleanor M. Springer.

- Oct. 15—William C. Tibbetts to Gertrude O. Copeland.
 Nov. 6—Harry W. Nelson to Bernice M. Snell.
 Nov. 16—Edward R. Brown to Ina T. Fields.
 Nov. 17—Eugene L. Harris to Pearl E. Pratt.
 Nov. 20—Thomas M. Peakes to Phillis E. Harris.

DEATHS

1927

- Mar. 23—Ethel Luce, age 45 years.
 May 22—Milton L. Merrill, age 81 years, 11 months, 12 days.
 May 23—Jesse S. Boston, age 80 years, 8 months, 17 days.
 May 29—Ella Chambers, age 81 years, 7 months, 5 days.
 June 11—Morris E. Smart, age 11 days.
 June 23—Gergie E. Snowman, age 51 years, 5 months, 23 days.
 July 15—Wendel E. Mower, age 1 month, 6 days.
 Aug. 18—Damaris Palmer, age 80 years, 4 months, 28 days.
 Aug. 20—Stephen A. Seavey, age 69 years, 3 months, 13 days.
 Aug. 23—William S. Philbrick, age 52 years, 9 months, 9 days.
 Aug. 27—Alfred P. Brawn, age 77 years, 5 months, 24 days.
 Sept. 8—Hannah Weymouth, age 86 years, 8 months, 22 days.
 Sept. 18—Harold M. Brewer Jr., age 1 month, 23 days.
 Nov. 8—Frank Whiting, age 77 years, 4 months, 25 days.
 Nov. 24—Jane L. Page, age 87 years, 3 days.
 Dec. 12—Lillian Richards, age 57 years, 1 month, 6 days.
 Dec. 18—Alfred D. Baird, age 68 years.

1928

- Jan. 1—Luella E. Martin, age 66 years, 3 months, 9 days.
 Feb. 2—Beatrice E. Frost, age 16 years, 10 months, 8 days.
 Feb. 24—Marguerite Welch, age 4 years, 5 months, 30 days.

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. LIBBY, Town Clerk.



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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.