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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## Municipal Officers

OF THE TOWN OF

# Kingfield, Maine

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FOR THE FISCAL

## Year Ending February 20, 1943

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# TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

G. ARTHUR WOODCOCK

SELECTMEN

EARL L. WING

E. LINNE STRICKLAND

CECIL A. KNAPP

TOWN CLERK

WILMA A. WOODARD

TREASURER

HAROLD HUTCHINS

COLLECTOR

ANGIE B. DUDLEY

AUDITOR

FRANK A. FROST

CONSTABLES

HARVEY W. BOYNTON

FRED L. MORRISON

ANGIE B. DUDLEY

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

T. A. DeCOSTA

SCHOOL BOARD

DR. C. J. DUNLAP

CARROLL L. KNAPP

CECIL S. FRENCH

HEALTH OFFICER

DR. C. J. DUNLAP

SURVEYORS

ORREN TUFTS

CHARLES E. CHAMBERLAIN

ELMER E. TUFTS    ERNEST E. DUNTON    EARL L. WING

HAROLD S. WINTER    HOWARD O. LIBBY    LAURICE HORN

HERBERT S. WING

ROBERT L. KIMBALL

OLIVER B. HUTCHINS

CHESTER G. ATWOOD

HARRY KNAPP

GEORGE P. WILLIAMSON

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

E. LINNE STRICKLAND

FIRE CHIEF

JASPER M. BEANE

FIRE INSPECTOR

JASPER M. BEANE

SEXTONS

OSCAR RAY HUTCHINS

LYMAN JOHNSON

BUDGET COMMITTEE

LESTER L. MITCHELL

RAY D. KNAPP

ORREN C. TUFTS

# Selectmen's Report

## VALUATION AND ASSESSMENTS — 1942

	REAL ESTATE	PERSONAL ESTATE	TOTAL
Resident	\$296,837 00	\$45,537 00	\$342,374 00
Non-resident	29,595 00	5,475 00	35,070 00
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	\$326,432 00	\$51,012 00	\$377,444 00

Appropriations made at Town Meeting .....	\$19,458 82
State Tax .....	3,411 96
County Tax .....	1,199 09
Overlay .....	138 62
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Amount assessed .....	\$24,208 49

### ASSESSED (Rate, \$6.20 per \$100)

On real and personal property .....	\$23,401 49
269 polls at \$3.00 (No. of polls not taxed, 37) .....	807 00
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Original Commitment .....	\$24,208 49
Supplemental Taxes .....	39 00
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Total Committed to Collector .....	\$24,247 49

### REAL ESTATE, CLASSIFIED

Land .....	\$115,234 00
Buildings .....	211,198 00
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Total .....	\$326,432 00

## PERSONAL PROPERTY, CLASSIFIED

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	NO.	APPRO. AV. VAL.	TOTAL VALUE
Horses .....	59	\$78 50	\$4,635 00
Colts .....			
Cows .....	120	35 64	4,277 00
Oxen .....	2	45 00	90 00
Three years old .....	37	33 11	1,225 00
Two years old .....	45	19 00	858 00
Sheep (over 35 in number) ..			
Swine (over 10 in number) ..			
Poultry (over 50 in number) ..	405	50	202 00
Total .....			\$11,287 00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	NO.	APPRO. AV. VAL.	TOTAL VALUE
One year old .....	62	\$13 00	\$810 00
Sheep (to 35 in number) .....	59	2 76	163 00
Swine (to 10 in number) .....	50	10 24	512 00
Poultry (to 50 in number) .....	998	50	501 00
Total .....			\$1,986 00

	NO.	TOTAL VALUE
Radios .....	194	\$ 1,455 00
Musical Instruments .....	2	125 00
Furniture .....		1,850 00
Finished Product in Mills .....		320 00
Lumber .....		18,000 00
Stock in trade .....		16,300 00
Gasoline pump and attachments .....	19	1,675 00
Total .....		\$39,725 00

## 2 - STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

The last year's account showed due from the State	
in 1942 .....	\$911 89

This was transferred to Accounts Receivable, and has been paid during the year.

It also showed available for further construction, . . . . \$278 35  
 As the State assumed the tar bill of \$309.76, and paid it from another appropriation, the amount available to us for further construction is thereby increased by that amount; so that the present amount available for construction under this account is . . . . . \$588 11

**3 – THIRD CLASS CONSTRUCTION**

Over-expended in 1941, in anticipation of further apportionment . . . . . \$502 25

As no money was available to the State in 1942 for Third Class Construction, none was apportioned, and the amount of \$502.25 will be due from the State when, and if, apportionments of that amount or more are made available from the State for Third Class Construction.

**4 – STATE AID MAINTENANCE**

Appropriation . . . . . \$381 00  
 Paid to State Treasurer (Town's proportion for maintenance) . . . . . 381 00

**5 – THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE**

Appropriation for 1942 . . . . . \$165 00

Expended by Town:

Cost of tar, delivered and spread . . . . . \$200 78  
 Payrolls . . . . . 121 00

321 78

Overdrawn . . . . . \$156 78

**7 – TOWN ROADS – SUMMER**

Appropriation . . . . . \$1,200 00  
 Work of Truck (Not on Summer Roads) . . . . . 477 23

\$1,677 23

## Expended:

Payrolls — General road work .....	\$592 09
Cutting Bushes .....	104 14
Curtis Brook .....	61 95
Rapid Stream Bridge .....	292 16
Supplies, materials — Rapid Stream Bridge ..	166 01
Supplies, materials — General road work ..	73 57
Gas, oil, repairs on trucks .....	410 67
Tar .....	98 01
Dynamite — Curtis Brook .....	9 25
Gravel .....	21 00
Storage .....	18 00

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\$1,846 85

Overdrawn ..... \$169 62

## 9 — TOWN ROADS — WINTER

### RECEIPTS

Appropriation .....	\$1,500 00
Treasurer of State, Snow Removal .....	621 98
Ralph M. Simmons, Towing Truck .....	1 50
H. S. Wing, Breaking Roads .....	4 00
A. R. Brindley .....	15 00
Credits for Plow and Sander .....	186 75

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\$2,329 23

## Expended:

Payrolls, reimbursement .....	\$1,769 94
Other Payrolls for Plowing and Sanding ....	80 37
Expense on Roads not Plowed .....	18 81
Hauling Snow from Business District .....	182 10
Putting Up and Taking Down Snow Fence .....	164 12
Equipment and Upkeep .....	171 82
Sand and Salt .....	37 86
Federal Victory Tax on Payrolls .....	8 32

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\$2,433 34

Overdrawn ..... \$104 11

**11 – SEWERS**

Appropriation .....		\$200 00
Expended:		
Cleaning Stanley Brook .....	\$5 80	
Cleaning Catch Basins and Flushing Sewers .....	14 65	
	<hr/>	\$20 45
Unexpended balance .....		<hr/> \$179 55

**12 – AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN**

Appropriation .....		\$300 00
Expended:		
Paid to State Treasurer, Impi H. Sillanpaa Account .....		\$300 00

**14 – TOWN POOR**

Raised by Town .....	\$1,500 00	
Received from Mark Elo Estate .....	67 20	
Received from Guy Phillips .....	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,572 20
Amount expended in 1942 .....	\$156 93	
Transferred to Old Age Assistance, (Town Account) .....	206 00	
	<hr/>	\$362 93
Unexpended .....		<hr/> \$1,209 27

**SURPLUS MARKETING ADMINISTRATION –****14 (a) Food Stamp Account**

Received from Food Stamps Sold, Feb. 28, 1942 to Sept. 21, 1942 .....	\$1,813 00	
Refund from State Treasurer .....	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,833 00
Paid State Treasurer for Food Stamps .....		\$1,833 00



**16 – STATE POOR**

Amount due from State in 1941 .....	\$89 68
Received from State Treasurer .....	89 68
Paid C. J. Dunlap, M. D., on acct. of Earlin Howes, Highland Plt. ....	\$12 00
Received from State Treasurer .....	12 00

**22 – CEMETERIES**

Raised by the Town .....	\$50 00
Paid R. M. Simmons, Treas., Kingfield Cemetery Association .....	50 00

**23 – TOWN CHARGES**

## RECEIPTS

Overlay in Assessing .....	\$ 138 62	
Supplementary Taxes .....	39 00	
Automobile Excise Tax .....	1,290 71	
Collection Charges, Lien Accounts .....	6 00	
Licenses, Fireworks and Pool Room .....	11 00	
Bank Stock Tax, 1941 .....	26 94	
Bank Stock Tax, 1942 .....	28 08	
Dog License Refund .....	131 56	
R. R. and Tel. Tax .....	18 82	
		\$1,690 73

## EXPENDITURES

Knowlton & McLeary Co., printing town reports	\$ 86 40
Webb-Smith Printing Co. ....	4 52
Marks Printing House .....	4 15
Loring, Short & Harmon .....	21 25
H. S. Wing, bonds for Collector & Treasurer..	48 00
Maine Municipal Association, membership dues	30 00
Earl L. Wing, services as Selectman .....	500 00
E. Linne Strickland, services as Selectman ....	107 50
Cecil A. Knapp, services as Selectman .....	36 00
Harold Hutchins, services as Treasurer .....	125 00
Inez G. Wing, services as Stenographer and book- keeper .....	100 00

Mrs. Clyde E. Sprague, 4 doz. Flags .....	\$ 4 32
Mrs. Clyde E. Sprague, refund of fireworks license	1 00
First National Bank of Farmington, check book	2 50
E. Linne Strickland, expenses to Air Raid Warden School .....	4 90
Wing Spool & Bobbin Co., 2 cords wood for Town Office .....	20 00
Eustis Tel. Co. ....	55
Charles Chamberlain, use and care Town Dump	50 00
National Used Car Market Report .....	7 00
H. S. & E. L. Wing, legal services .....	5 50
State Treasurer, postage on food stamps .....	1 60
Angie B. Dudley, 2 liens, posting notices .....	5 50
Hazel Hutchins, services as ballot clerk .....	6 00
Angie B. Dudley, services as ballot clerk .....	6 00
Arthur E. Savage, services as ballot clerk .....	6 00
Carroll E. Knapp, services as ballot clerk .....	3 00
Earl L. Wing, use of car, Civilian Defense .....	30 00
Treasurer of State, Sanatorium fees — John M. Glidden .....	34 57
County of Franklin, Excise taxes collected from Freeman and Jerusalem Plt. ....	74 07
C. J. Dunlap, M. D., School Physician .....	100 00
C. J. Dunlap, M. D., Health Officer .....	50 00
C. J. Dunlap, M. D., Recording Births and Deaths	5 50
C. J. Dunlap, M. D., chairman School Board ....	10 00
Carroll L. Knapp, School Board .....	5 00
Cecil S. French, School Board .....	5 00
Jasper Beane, night watching July 4th .....	3 50
Harvey Boynton, night watching July 4th .....	3 50
Wilma A. Woodard, services as Town Clerk ....	25 00
Wilma A. Woodard, recording Vital Statistics ..	15 25
Wilma A. Woodard, making check lists .....	9 00
Wilma A. Woodard, postage, express and taking depositions .....	13 00
F. A. Frost, services as Auditor .....	25 00.
Harold Hutchins, collecting Excise Tax .....	39 90
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	\$1,634 98
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Unexpended .....	\$55 75

**24 – TOWN DEBT**

Appropriation .....	\$1,000 00
Paid Kingfield Savings Bank .....	1,000 00

**25 – INTEREST**

Appropriation .....	\$500 00	
Bank interest on Treasurer's Account .....	67 25	
Angie B. Dudley, interest on 1941 Tax .....	6 22	
Interest collected on tax liens .....	11 00	
Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds .....	4 34	
		\$588 81

## Expended:

Kingfield Savings Bank, interest on town notes .....	\$362 52	
R. M. Simmons, Tr. Cemetery Ass'n, interest on funded lots .....	20 00	
R. M. Simmons, Tr., Cemetery Ass'n, interest on Cemetery lot Trust Funds .....	4 34	
School Dept., int. on Ministerial Fund .....	48 60	
		\$435 46

Unexpended balance .....	\$153 35
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**26 – FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Appropriation .....	\$1,000 00
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## Expended:

Payroll .....	\$292 50	
Telephone (Franklin Farmer's Cooperative) .....	12 66	
Justin A. McCarthy Co., 500 ft. ½ in. hose, fire extinguishers, etc. ....	445 75	
Town of New Portland, fire call .....	21 00	
Miscellaneous Supplies .....	9 65	
Repairs .....	4 25	
		\$785 81

Unexpended balance .....	\$214 19
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**27 – HYDRANTS**

Raised by Town .....	\$1,100 00
Expended:	
Kingfield Water Company .....	1,100 00

**28 – INSURANCE**

Raised by Town .....	\$203 75
Expended:	
H. S. Wing .....	\$118 75
Emil E. Winter .....	85 00
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	\$203 75

**29 – STREET LIGHTS**

Raised by Town .....	\$950 04
Expended:	
Maine Consolidated Power Company .....	950 04

**30 – WEBSTER FREE LIBRARY**

Raised by Town .....	\$100 00
Received from State Library Stipend .....	10 00
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	\$110 00
Expended:	
Paid Webster Library Association .....	110 00

**32 – COLLECTION OF TAXES**

Appropriation .....	\$300 00
Expended:	
Paid Angie B. Dudley, commission on bal. collected on 1941 commitment .....	\$ 5 83
Paid Angie B. Dudley, Collector 1942 .....	293 16
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	\$298 99
Unexpended balance .....	\$1 01

**33 – DISCOUNT AND ABATEMENT**

Appropriation .....		\$600 00
To L. P. Hinds:		
Abatement 1935 Tax .....	\$ 8 60	
To Angie B. Dudley:		
Abatement, 1942 Tax .....	36 00	
Discount, 1942 Tax .....	463 25	
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Total		\$507 85
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Unexpended Balance .....		\$92 15

For more detail see Tax Collector's Report.

**35A – COUNTY AND STATE TAXES**

County Assessment .....	\$1,199 09	
State Assessment .....	3,411 96	
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		\$4,611 05
Paid County Treasurer .....	\$1,199 09	
Paid State Treasurer .....	3,411 96	
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		\$4,611 05

**55 – CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

Appropriation .....		\$200 00
Refund, Assessment for maintenance Control Center at Skowhegan .....		6 00
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		\$206 00

## Expended:

Eustis Telephone Co. ....	\$ 25 15
Me. Consolidated Power Co. ....	57 99
Labor and Materials on Observ. Post ....	246 70
Hazel Hutchins, bal. expenses Nutrition train- ing Farmington .....	2 23
Albert Finnemore, assessment for maint. Control Center, Skowhegan .....	6 00
Martin Craine and Ralph McLaughlin, ex- pense to Air Raid Warden School ....	18 90

Nat'l Fire Protection Co., copy of "Fire Defense" .....	\$ 1 50	
Nat'l Fire Protection Co., 2 copies of Training Man. ....	3 00	
Ralph M. Simmons, furnishing and sawing wood for Observ. Post .....	28 00	
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Total		\$389 47
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Overdrawn .....		\$183 47

### 56 – SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Appropriation .....	\$50 00
Unexpended .....	50 00

### ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Urban Oakes, tuition .....	\$ 45 75	
Dallas Plantation, tuition .....	107 14	
Town of Strong, funeral expenses of Mrs. Warren Walker .....	75 00	
Third Class Construction .....	502 25	
State of Maine:		
Freeman Tuition .....	342 50	
Carrabasset Tuition .....	10 50	
Madrid Tuition .....	37 00	
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		\$1,120 14

### LIENS

Robert Vance, 1940 .....	\$49 45	
Orie E. Packard, 1941 .....	24 00	
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		\$73 45

### TOWN OWNED PROPERTY

Willard Jackson, (1934 to 1939 incl.) and insurance .....	\$251 50
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## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

### ASSETS

	Feb. 15, 1942	Feb. 14, 1943
Cash .....	\$3,877 56	\$4,917 18
1942 Taxes .....		295 48
1941 Taxes .....	378 32	35 20
1938 Taxes .....	9 70	9 70
1936 Taxes .....	37 90	37 90
1935 Taxes .....	8 60	
Town Owned Property .....	241 15	251 50
Liens .....	127 17	73 45
State Poor Account .....	89 68	
School Fund Overdraft .....	409 03	42 67
School Repairs, Overdraft .....	24 04	3 65
School Superintendent, Overdraft .....		22 00
S. M. A. Food Stamps .....	233 00	
Accounts Receivable .....	2,020 11	1,120 14
Webster Hall Fund .....	1,357 89	1,357 89
J. E. Voter Fund .....	150 00	150 00
Ruth Pullen Luce Fund .....		100 00
Addie M. Young Fund .....		100 00
Lavella A. Norton Fund .....		100 00
Elmer E. Davis Fund .....		100 00
	\$8,964 15	\$8,716 76
Net Town Debt .....	3,258 74	914 45
	\$12,222 89	\$9,631 21

### LIABILITIES

Webster Bequest .....	\$9,000 00	\$6,000 00
School Fund Note .....	1,215 00	1,215 00
Cemetery Trust Funds:		
H. P. Lander .....	100 00	100 00
Patrick McLoon .....	100 00	100 00
George Peterson .....	50 00	50 00
Mary G. Porter .....	150 00	150 00
C. F. Pillsbury .....	100 00	100 00
Webster Hall Fund Reserve .....	1,357 89	1,357 89
J. E. Voter Fund Reserve .....	150 00	150 00

Ruth Pullen Luce Fund Reserve .....	\$100 00
Addie M. Young Fund Reserve .....	100 00
Lavella A. Norton Fund Reserve .....	100 00
Elmer E. Davis Fund Reserve .....	100 00
Federal Victory Tax .....	8 32
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	\$12,222 89 \$9,631 21

## SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

	OVERDRAFT	UNEXPENDED
Summer Roads .....	\$ 169 62	
Winter Roads .....	104 11	
Third Class Maintenance .....	156 78	
Civilian Defense .....	183 47	
Repair of Sewers .....		\$ 179 55
Town Poor .....		1,209 27
Town Charges .....		55 75
Interest .....		153 35
Fire Department .....		214 19
Collection of Taxes .....		1 01
Discount and Abatement .....		92 15
School Lunch Program .....		50 00
Net Unexpended Balance .....	1,341 29	
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	\$1,955 27	\$1,955 27

## PROOF OF NET TOWN DEBT

Net Town Debt, Feb. 15, 1942 .....		\$3,258 74
Less:		
Appropriated by Town .....	\$1,000 00	
1941 Tax Account .....	3 00	
Net Unexpended Balance .....	1,341 29	
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		\$2,344 29
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Net Town Debt, Feb. 20, 1943 .....		\$914 45

EARL L. WING,  
E. LINNE STRICKLAND,  
CECIL A. KNAPP,

*Selectmen of Kingfield.*



# Tax Collector's Report

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## ANGIE B. DUDLEY FOR 1942

COMMITMENTS	ABATED	DISCOUNT	CASH	UNCOLLECTED
\$24,247 49	\$36 00	\$463 25	\$23,452 76	\$295 48

### 1942 ABATEMENTS

Alvah Brown, paid in Wilton .....	\$3 00
Bert Brown, paid in Phillips .....	3 00
Chester Dolbier, paid in South Portland .....	3 00
Cloyd Small, paid in Worcester, Mass. ....	3 00
Donald Anderson, service man .....	3 00
Herbert L. Hall, Jr., service man .....	3 00
Bernard Johnstone, service man .....	3 00
Frank M. Nile, service man .....	3 00
Perley Safford, service man .....	3 00
Burton L. Taylor, service man .....	3 00
Paul Woodcock, service man .....	3 00
Hayden Nichols, service man .....	3 00

\$36 00

### 1942 DELINQUENTS

Stanley Washburn .....	\$ 3 00
Alvah Brown .....	4 65
Chas. W. Cory .....	25 00
Jerome Dunton .....	11 60
Lucien P. Hinds, Est. ....	67 58
Marita Hutchins .....	53 75
Perry R. Mercurio .....	13 76
Richard Mercurio .....	13 39
Gwendolyn Norton .....	33 00
Stanley Washburn .....	26 97
Orie E. Packard .....	24 80
J. B. Soule .....	17 98

\$295 48

## L. P. HINDS FOR 1935 TO 1938 INCL.

## 1935 Abatement

Delbert E. Luce .....		\$8 60
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## 1936

Apphia Gilbert, Heirs of .....	\$37 90	\$37 90
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## 1938

Evan C. Hinkley .....	\$9 70	\$9 70
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## ANGIE B. DUDLEY, FOR 1941

Lucien P. Hinds, Estate .....	\$30 40	
Samuel I. Kennerson .....	4 80	

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\$35 20

# Treasurer's Report

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## RECEIVED

Cash on hand, Feb. 21, 1942 .....	\$ 3,877 56
Angie B. Dudley, Collector, 1941 taxes .....	270 10
Angie B. Dudley, Collector, interest on 1941 taxes .....	6 22
Angie B. Dudley, Collector, 1942 taxes .....	23,952 01
Tax liens, 1940 .....	77 72
Tax liens, 1941 .....	52 02
Tax Lien Costs .....	6 00
Tax Lien Interest, 1940 .....	9 44
Tax Lien Interest, 1941 .....	1 56
Harold Hutchins, Automobile Excise Tax, 1942 .....	867 52
Harold Hutchins, Automobile Excise Tax, 1943 .....	423 19
Treasurer of State, 1941 Bank Stock Tax .....	26 94
1942 Bank Stock Tax .....	28 08
State Pauper Account .....	101 68
Snow Removal .....	621 98
State Highway Department .....	911 89
School Dept., Equalization Fund .....	403 00
School Dept., School Tuition .....	843 75
Library Stipend .....	10 00
Refund — S. M. A. Food Stamps .....	20 00
Earl L. Wing, sale of Food Stamps .....	1,813 00
Town of Salem, School Dept. ....	33 75
Earl L. Wing, Mark Elo Estate .....	67 20
Kingfield Savings Bank, dividends .....	67 25
E. L. Strickland, Pool Room License .....	10 00
Lucille Sprague, Fireworks License .....	1 00
Dorothy E. Allen, balance of Insurance, Esther Crocker .....	80 00
Albert Finnemore, Refund, Civilian Defense .....	6 00
Guy A. Phillips, Refund, Hospital Bill .....	5 00
Ralph M. Simmons, Towing Truck .....	1 50
H. S. Wing, Breaking Roads .....	4 00
H. S. & E. L. Wing, Town of Anson, Neil Buxton Acct. ...	36 83
Town Truck .....	477 23

Town Plows and Sander .....	\$ 186 75
Victory Tax on Road Payrolls .....	8 32
Town of Madrid, High School Tuition .....	47 25
Dog License Refund .....	131 56
State School Fund .....	1,240 98
R. R. & Tel. Tax .....	18 82
Addie M. Young Cemetery Trust Fund .....	100 00
Ruth Pullen Luce Cemetery Trust Fund .....	100 00
Elmer E. Davis Cemetery Trust Fund .....	100 00
Lavella A. Norton Cemetery Trust Fund .....	100 00
A. R. Brindley, Snow Removal .....	15 00
Interest on J. E. Voter Fund .....	3 01
Interest on Ruth Pullen Luce Fund .....	33
Interest on Addie M. Young Fund .....	1 00
Abatement, 1935 Tax .....	8 60
Interest on Ministerial Fund .....	48 60
Interest on Webster Hall Fund .....	27 28
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	\$37,250 92

## PAID OUT

Town Orders .....	\$32,333 74
Cash on Hand, Feb. 20, 1943 .....	4,917 18
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Total .....	\$37,250 92

HAROLD HUTCHINS, *Treasurer.*

## Kingfield Cemetery Association

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Paid Fred Blanchard for work on three Cemeteries \$49 80

### FUNDED LOTS FOR 1942

	UNEXPENDED			BALANCE
	BALANCE	REC'D	PAID	ON HAND
Mary G. Porter	\$66 11	\$6 00	\$2 75	\$69 36
H. P. Lander	6 21	4 00	4 75	3 94
Patrick McLoon	16 98	4 00	2 25	18 73
Geo. Peterson	7 55	2 00	2 00	7 55
C. F. Pillsbury	11 67	4 00	5 00	10 67
J. E. Voter	17 53	3 01	2 75	17 79
Carroll E. Young		1 00	1 00	—
Stephen K. Pullen		33	33	—

EARL L. WING, *President*

FRANK A. FROST, *Secretary*

# Report of Superintendent of Schools

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*To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the Town of Kingfield:*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

This is the tenth annual report submitted to you by the present Superintendent of Schools.

This year all over this school union we have attempted to maintain the standard and efficiency of our schools under circumstances and conditions that have made it very difficult both from the viewpoint of personnel and finances. Here in Kingfield we have been very fortunate in securing an excellent corps of teachers. More than one thousand Maine teachers left our schools between July 1 and October 1, 1942. The schools have in every way attempted to cooperate with the war effort. Teachers have gladly and efficiently given of their time and work in carrying on three ration programs and are at present facing another. They have promoted the sale of War Stamps, the organization of Victory Corps and have responded to the request for help that they have had from organizations.

We have, at the request of the Government, added three periods a week of physical training courses for both boys and girls. During this second semester we will add a pre-induction course recommended by the Government.

**INSTRUCTION.** In the high school we have an entirely new corps of teachers. Mr. Bernard Johnstone resigned to enter the Army and Mrs. Johnstone resigned to accept a position in Bath. Miss Christine Tufts resigned at the end of the Spring Term. E. S. Kitchin, who had formerly taught in Kingfield, was secured as Principal, to teach Mathematics and Science, and Mrs. Kitchin as an assistant. Miss Constance Withington, a graduate of Bates College, was secured for the second assistant's position.

In the elementary schools we had only one change. Miss Eine Vainio resigned and Wallace Cunningham, a graduate of Farmington Normal School, was secured for this position.

HIGH SCHOOL. We have continued our courses in high school in about the same manner as in preceding years, only now we are finding it necessary under pressure of the War Department and State Department of Education, to add the so-called "Pre-Induction Course" in an attempt to give our boys preparation in subjects that they will use when they are inducted into the Service.

We have given scholastic attainment tests in the three high schools of this district during the past year, and from a state-wide comparison find them satisfactory although we are aware that improvements can be made.

We feel that the quality of instruction that is now being given in the high school is of a satisfactory grade.

Following is a report submitted by Mr. Kitchin:

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## Report of High School Principal

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*To the Superintendent and School Committee of Kingfield:*

### ENROLLMENT OF HIGH SCHOOL

<i>Seniors</i>		<i>Juniors</i>		<i>Sophomores</i>		<i>Freshmen</i>	
Boys	5	Boys	11	Boys	6	Boys	10
Girls	8	Girls	3	Girls	10	Girls	13

The enrollment is somewhat larger than last year on account of a large entering class. If the war continues, there will likely be a decrease in the number of boys, as those who become eighteen years old soon will be called into the branches of the armed services.

The State Department of Education has requested that we stress the fundamentals of English, Mathematics, and Science, especially Physics. Therefore, every boy in the senior class is taking at least one mathematics subject; several boys are taking two. In keeping with the belief of the Army that a physical fitness program should be offered in every educational institution, we are having a physical training period three times a week for both girls and boys.

Apparently the financial condition of the student government has been excellent for some time. Although it is more difficult in some

ways to raise funds now, there is considerably more money in the treasury than last fall. The students and faculty wish to express deep thanks to all who have helped us directly or indirectly to maintain a sound financial status.

Although it is the intention of the principal and teachers of the high school to confer with parents from time to time about the scholastic standing of their sons and daughters, it may not be possible for us, due to the many additional duties of school authorities in a war-time economy, to call at your homes. We hope that you will not hesitate to visit school or come to our homes to talk to us.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. KITCHIN, *Principal.*

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**ENROLLMENT.** The enrollment in the high school is larger than last year and I can see no reason why it will not be about the same next year. We are graduating a class of 10 this spring. We have 17 in the eighth grade and nearly all of these will enter high school.

With the addition of the new room, taking care of the sixth grade, we have had adequate space. The sixth grade of the coming year will be as large as that of this year and this will fill this room to its capacity. However, if our enrollment keeps as it is now, year after next we will again have a small grade in this room. It is impossible to foresee any different arrangement in the location of grades in rooms for some time to come.

**ACTIVITIES.** While transportation difficulties have made it necessary for us to curtail many of our extracurricular activities, it is the policy of the school officials to continue as many as possible, feeling that they all have an influence for good in the educational development of our boys and girls.

We had to eliminate the inter-town competition in spelling but we hope that we can continue the speaking competition both in the high school and in the grades.

**REPAIRS.** This year under this department we have expended the sum of \$179.61 for necessary repairs. Many unforeseen repairs were made. We have laid a floor in the attic of the high school and



this has made it possible for us to have a storage place that was badly needed. We, however, have a matter facing us in the way of repairs that I believe should be brought to the attention of the citizens. The desks in the high school building are in very poor condition. No new ones have been purchased during the last thirty years. Of course many of them have worn out and now it is impossible to purchase new castings for their repair as these castings are no longer made. We have had to use chairs from the Webster Building to replace broken seats, and this has been far from satisfactory as these chairs were not intended for this purpose and make far from comfortable or healthful seats.

It seems that it would be a wise plan to buy a small number of new desks and seats during each year, to replace the useless ones that we now have. To equip one grade a year would cost about \$300. Replacing at the same rate each year it would only be a comparatively few years before we would have all of the seats in good repair; they would be of a type that could be adjusted to fit the individual student, and from a view of sanitation, health and posture would be well worth the money that would have to be spent.

The school officials have asked the budget committee to recommend the raising of \$500 for school repairs for the coming year; \$200 of it to be used for general repairs and \$300 to be used in making a start in replacing the worn-out and unhealthful seats that our boys and girls now have to use.

CONCLUSION. Our schools have had to adjust themselves to war conditions, and I feel that the patriotism that has prompted a greater amount and more intensive work on the part of all of the teachers is a demonstration of the part that the schools are taking in carrying on this war and in educating our boys and girls to be capable of directing the affairs of our democracy after the war has been won. We have a war to win and a peace to formulate and enjoy. Nothing else matters, and the public schools all over the country are directing their efforts with these things being made of greatest importance in setting up their curricula and outlining their work.

Respectfully submitted,

T. A. DECOSTA,

*Superintendent of Schools.*

# Kingfield School Department

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1943

### RESOURCES

Appropriation .....	\$7,609 03	
State School Fund .....	1,240 98	
Equalization .....	403 00	
Tuition Received 1942 .....	\$924 75	
Tuition Previously Credited .....	416 25	
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	508 50	
Tuition due .....	390 00	
M. & S. Fund .....	48 60	
Webster Hall Fund .....	27 28	
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		\$10,227 39

### EXPENDITURES

Teachers (High School) .....	\$3,577 84	
Teachers (Common School) .....	3,354 00	
Fuel .....	800 02	
Janitor .....	768 65	
Conveyance .....	413 02	
Textbooks .....	393 22	
Supplies .....	464 29	
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	\$9,771 04	
Refund on Salem Tuition .....	89 99	
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		\$9,861 03
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Unexpended (1943) .....		\$366 36
Overdrawn (1942) .....	\$409 03	
Overdrawn Balance 1943 .....		\$42 67

## REPAIRS

Appropriation .....		\$200 00
Expended (1943) .....	\$179 61	
Overdrawn (1942) .....	24 04	
	<hr/>	\$203 65
Overdrawn Balance 1943 .....		\$3 65

**DETAILED ACCOUNT OF EXPENDITURES**

## TEACHERS, HIGH SCHOOL

E. S. Kitchin .....	\$1,111 20	
Lorene R. Kitchin .....	444 40	
Constance Withington .....	555 60	
Bernard Johnstone .....	755 60	
Marjorie Johnstone .....	377 76	
Christine Tufts .....	333 28	
	<hr/>	\$3,577 84

## TEACHERS, COMMON SCHOOL

Wallace Cunningham .....	\$500 00	
Florence Beane .....	452 00	
Christine Davis .....	632 00	
Lou Abbott .....	668 00	
Ruth Strickland .....	668 00	
Eine Vainio .....	336 00	
Maynard Austin .....	28 00	
Vera Wing .....	70 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,354 00

## FUEL

H. L. Hall .....	\$420 87	
Orren Tufts .....	161 00	
Adelbert Tibbetts .....	115 40	
Jay Winters .....	12 50	
Vernon Dexter .....	2 50	
Austin Thompson .....	72 00	
Howell McClure .....	8 12	

R. L. Kimball .....	\$ 75	
Mauno Kankanien .....	1 88	
Clayton Wilbur .....	2 50	
Raymond Morrell .....	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$800 02

## JANITORS

Kenneth Sawyer .....	\$396 00	
Raymond Allen .....	324 00	
Dorothy Allen .....	15 84	
Delia Loucks .....	32 81	
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## CONVEYANCE

Arthur Brindley .....	\$348 00	
Orrin P. Nichols .....	42 00	
C. L. Knapp .....	23 02	
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## TEXTBOOKS

The MacMillan Company .....	\$47 58	
Harper & Brothers .....	6 16	
The A. N. Palmer Co. ....	60	
Webster Pub. Co. ....	27 39	
World Book Company .....	4 12	
Churchill-Grindell Co. ....	3 00	
The Arno Pub. Co. ....	2 66	
Allyn and Bacon .....	80 52	
Ginn and Company .....	65 00	
D. C. Heath & Co. ....	11 54	
Scott, Foresman & Co. ....	40 16	
L. W. Singer Co. ....	9 10	
Edward E. Babb & Co. ....	3 34	
C. C. Birchard Co. ....	4 75	
American Book Co. ....	26 87	
Houghton, Mifflin Co. ....	20 77	
Harcourt, Brace & Co. ....	22 76	
Hall & McCreary Co. ....	4 50	

The Geographical Pub. Co. ....	\$4 00
E. C. McGraw .....	2 18
Silver Burdett Co. ....	6 22

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\$393 22

## SUPPLIES

Loring, Short & Harmon .....	\$ 56 07
Scott, Foresman & Co. ....	4 50
The Mail Order Supply Co. ....	3 70
Maine Consolidated Power Co. ....	118 26
Kingfield Water Co. ....	103 00
The Papercrafters, Inc. ....	30 28
Central Scientific Co. ....	11 61
Beckley-Cardy Co. ....	1 80
Franklin Farmers' Co-op. Tel. Co. ....	4 80
Brodhead-Garrett Co. ....	6 22
T. A. DeCosta .....	10 13
Houghton-Mifflin Co. ....	6 66
Edward E. Babb & Co. ....	66 26
C. H. Shepherd .....	7 10
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	29 10
Harris & Knapp .....	4 20
Dept. of Education .....	60

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\$464 29

## REPAIRS

Oscar Moores .....	\$ 4 20
The Glover Products .....	25 60
Estate of C. V. Starbird .....	39 91
Kenneth Sawyer .....	36 00
A. G. Winter .....	32 53
H. G. Winter .....	4 40
Smith's Music Store .....	14 00
Kingfield Water Co. ....	4 48
Wilfred McLeary Co. ....	14 00
Metcalf Wood Pro. Co. ....	1 00
Cecil French .....	3 49

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\$179 61

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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February 22, 1943.

The accounts of the Selectmen, Tax Collectors and Treasurer have been checked. This report is a correct copy of their records.

Liens are on file covering the amounts as listed.

The balance sheet together with the Summary of Accounts and Proof of Net Town Debt shows the transactions and present financial condition of the Town.

F. A. FROST, *Auditor.*

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## Report of School Physician

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*To the Citizens of the Town of Kingfield:*

I herewith submit my report as School Physician for the past year.

A physical examination of each pupil was made. The following table gives a comparison of this year's findings with those of a year ago and also those of two years ago.

	1942	1941	1940
Number of pupils examined	234	220	244
Pupils with below normal vision	14	14	21
Pupils with below normal hearing	5	2	2
Pupils with carious teeth	121	115	137
Pupils with enlarged and cryptic tonsils	63	72	81
Pupils more than 10% underweight	22	26	21
Pupils more than 20% overweight	11	13	13

The number of pupils with defective vision was the same as last year. This does not mean that no corrections were made during the year but that while most of those who had trouble saw an oculist and got needed glasses others developed defects which were not apparent a year ago.

In regard to those with decayed teeth I report even one cavity in a temporary tooth. It will be noted from the table below that much the larger number with defective teeth are in the lower grades. Most of these are temporary teeth. Some of the dentists consulted do not advise filling temporary teeth and have signed the cards signifying that the dental condition meets with their approval. It is not my province to overrule the opinion of the dentist and such pupils who have no other defects noted are entitled to their 7 point pins. However, the best dental hygienists are quite unanimous in their statements that temporary teeth should have as careful attention as permanent teeth and that proper care of the temporary teeth will result in better permanent teeth.

The number with diseased tonsils and those 10% underweight or 20% overweight are all less than a year ago.

A distribution of the defects by grades is shown below.

Grade	No. Exam.	Eyes	—Defective—		10% Under- weight	20% Over- weight	7 Point Pupils
			Teeth	Throat			
S. P.	23	0	16	6	0	0	4
1	16	1	14	1	0	0	1
2	17	2	13	7	0	0	2
3	16	3	13	6	0	0	2
4	16	1	10	4	2	0	1
5	23	2	14	6	2	1	1
6	22	0	8	3	3	4	7
7	19	3	7	9	3	0	4
8	17	0	3	5	3	1	7
Freshman	21	0	6	6	6	1	6
Sophomore	16	1	9	4	1	2	5
Junior	15	0	4	3	1	0	6
Senior	13	1	4	3	1	2	4
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	234	14	121	63	22	11	50

I would urge parents to have as many corrections made as possible for the health of the children will be improved thereby. Recognition of a defect is of no value unless it be remedied.

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. DUNLAP

# Report of the Fire Chief

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*To the Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Kingfield:*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

This is the second annual report submitted to you by the present Fire Chief.

FINANCES. This year we have available in our Fire Department Fund the sum of \$1,000. This report shows expenditures for a period of 52 weeks. Our expenditures have not been quite as great this year, but our training of men has been carried on the same as last year, and we have added some new equipment. In some detail our expenditures will have to be about as follows.

Expenditures:

500 ft. 1½ in. single jacket "Roy-TEX" Treated Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose coupled . . . . .	\$300 00
1 All-Out Fire Extinguisher . . . . .	44 25
Justin A. McCarthy Co. . . . .	101 50
1 First Aid Kit . . . . .	6 00
Pay Roll . . . . .	292 50
Franklin Farmers' Co-op. Tel. Co. . . . .	12 66
Cecil French . . . . .	3 00
H. G. Winter & Sons . . . . .	2 21
A. G. Winter . . . . .	70
Town of New Portland . . . . .	21 00

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\$783 82

ACTIVITIES. The Fire Department has an enrollment of eighteen active members and our fourteen auxiliary men have been put on the active list because our force has been hard hit by draft and men leaving for defense work in other parts of the State. We have had our regular drills during the summer and fall months and the new men have be-



come acquainted with their position and the means of being efficient at the time when needed. We have been out on duty during the trial blackouts and the men have performed well and been very efficient in handling their equipment in the blackout period. The men have responded well to the practice calls and also taken interest in their work. We realize that there is a lot of chance for improvement and hope this year to get our men more efficient. Our pumper crew has been out several times this summer to different places and have shown that they are well trained and each man did his job well. This year we have got to train a new crew for we have only one regular left on at present. We are planning to put on some High School boys this year and have them ready for fire work in the future.

CONCLUSION. We have made a lot of progress in two years by having extra good equipment and still we do not want to stop functioning as a Fire Department. We realize the value of an efficient Department. We are not asking for more money this year but we as a Fire Department feel that we need a building for our equipment and a place where our men may gather and have social times and a chance to have classes for the purpose of becoming more efficient in fire fighting. The Fire Chief has been in most of the small towns around and each one have a fine place for their equipment and a truck to go with, a place for the men to gather and hold their regular monthly meetings. This is our aim for the coming year and would like the co-operation of our citizens in gaining this goal.

In closing this report, I want to express in the way of a personal note, the appreciation of the members and the Fire Chief, for the interest that the Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Kingfield have shown in providing the means for the organization of a Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. BEANE, *Fire Chief.*

# Vital Statistics

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Town Clerk's Office

*To the Selectmen of the Town of Kingfield:*

The following births, marriages and deaths have been recorded at this office for the year ending February 1, 1943.

WILMA A. WOODARD, *Town Clerk.*

## SUMMARY

Number of births	18
Number of marriages	22
Number of deaths	22

## BIRTHS

1942

- Feb. 28 — To Elizabeth Vesta Leeman, a son, Cecil Elwin, first child.  
Mar. 15 — To the wife of Albert M. Browne, a son, Francis Lee, fourth child.  
Mar. 27 — To the wife of Hazen Seamon Nile, a son, Richard Earl, third child.  
Apr. 6 — To the wife of Randolph Perkins, a son, David Lewis, third child.  
Apr. 9 — To Myra Crocker, a daughter, Sharon Luretta, first child.  
May 14 — To the wife of Lloyd Green, a son, Donald Richard, third child.  
May 25 — To the wife of Frank Merry Norton, a daughter, Sandra Lorraine, third child.  
June 5 — To the wife of Hugh Leopold Gilmore, a son, Meldon Hugh, first child.  
July 14 — To the wife of Laurice Horn, a daughter, Rebecca Lou, second child.

## 1942

- July 26 — To the wife of Dana Williamson, a son, David Lawrence, third child.
- July 31 — To the wife of Leland Crocker, a son, Roswell Leland, third child.
- Aug. 4 — To the wife of Charles Norton, a son, Hubert Elwin, fifth child.
- Aug. 22 — To the wife of Milford Morrell, a son, Steven Milford, fourth child.
- Oct. 15 — To the wife of Harvey Williamson Boynton, a son, David Jon, second child.
- Nov. 14 — To the wife of Linwood Dana Davidson, a daughter, Lorraine Ethel, third child.
- Nov. 28 — To the wife of Leon Moore, a daughter, Betsy Ann, first child.

## 1943

- Jan. 18 — To the wife of Henry McKenney, a daughter, Faye Alma, third child.
- Jan. 20 — To the wife of Evan Hinkley, a son, John Andrew, seventh child.

**MARRIAGES**

## 1942

- Feb. 14 — Lawrence Milton Curtis, age 20, of Kingfield, and Amy Sawyer, age 18, of Farmington.
- Feb. 14 — Ellsworth Landon Nichols, age 20, of Starks, and Dolores Evelyn White, age 19, of Carrabassett.
- Feb. 24 — Clifford McNally, age 46, and Floris Altena Cook, age 33, both of Strong.
- Mar. 6 — Walter Alexander McDonald, age 25, of Freeman, and Gladys Christine Atwood, age 17, of Kingfield.
- Mar. 21 — Earl Wentworth Higgins, age 27, of Mt. Vernon, and Pauline Bartlett Lander, age 23, of Kingfield.
- Apr. 5 — Kenneth Norman Robbins, age 31, and Nathalie Butterfield, age 24, both of Chesterville.
- May 31 — Everett Greenleaf White, age 23, and Kathaleen Ellen Reid, age 17, both of Kingfield.
- June 7 — Robert Lee Taylor, age 24, of Rangeley, and Christine Evelyn Tufts, age 21, of Kingfield.
- June 20 — George Wesley Corson, age 28, and Bessie Mae Daggett, age 23, both of Kingfield.

1942

- July 12 — Leon Wesley Stickney, age 18, of Starks, and Anna Louise LeHay, age 17, of North Anson.
- July 19 — John Dalton Nile, age 51, and Minnie Dolbier Raymond, age 32, both of Rangeley.
- July 30 — Wallace Richardson Scribner Jr., age 20, and Madelene Vivian Huff, age 20, both of Eustis.
- Aug. 22 — Frank Mahlon Niles, age 21, of Kingfield, and Gloria Pearl Doucette, age 20, of Greenville.
- Aug. 23 — Elwood Arthur Allen, age 24, of Livermore Falls, and Blanche Ella Vaughn, age 23, of Stratton.
- Aug. 30 — Austin Bert Hewey Jr., age 18, and Maxine Winona Emery, age 18, both of New Portland.
- Oct. 18 — Blynn Erwin Davidson, age 20, of Kingfield, and Regina McCauslin, age 19, of Millinocket.
- Nov. 10 — Charles B. Walker, age 68, and Grace E. Graves, age 62, both of New Portland.
- Nov. 21 — Kenneth Merrill Strout, age 20, of Camp Shelby, Mississippi, and Ruth Alma Howe, age 18, of Kingfield.
- Dec. 5 — Eugene Percival Martin, age 20, of Concord, and Fayalene B. Tozier, age 20, of New Portland.
- Dec. 22 — Julian Cross Viles, age 29, and Olive Frances Cox, age 23, both of Stratton.

1943

- Jan. 12 — Ralph Leroy Gould, age 40, of Brunswick, and Valerie F. Record, age 44, of Carrabassett.
- Jan. 22 — Carroll Lynall Knapp Jr., age 20, of Kingfield, and Marjorie Edna Gerrish, age 20, of Boundry Cottage.

## DEATHS

1942

- Jan. 26 — May W. Dolbier, age 88, arteriosclerosis.
- Feb. 6 — Vera Alura Walker, age 50, cancer of lung.
- Mar. 3 — Walter Conrad Beedy, age 78, decompensating heart disease.
- Mar. 13 — Fannie Lord Howe, age 83, pulmonary embolism.
- Apr. 10 — Odell I. Landers, age 80, cardiac insufficiency.
- May 1 — Esther J. Crocker, age 72, hemolytic anemia.
- May 20 — Lydia Lord Durrell, age 79, cardiac insufficiency.
- May 29 — Frances E. Carr, age 93, senility.
- June 21 — Charles Willard Curtis, age 81, cardiac insufficiency.

## 1942

- July 4 — Bertha M. Williamson, age 68, chronic hypertrophic arthritis.
- July 5 — Charles W. Cory, age 85, senility.
- July 16 — Abbie Williamson, age 47, probably cerebral hemorrhage.
- Aug. 19 — John Goldsmith, age 77, apoplexy.
- Aug. 20 — Lucien Pillsbury Hinds, age 86, cardiac insufficiency.
- Aug. 22 — Elmer Eugene Davis, age 65, probably coronary thrombosis from history.
- Oct. 17 — Chester L. Durrell, age 71, angina pectoris.
- Nov. 13 — Lavella A. Norton, age 82, cardio renal disease.
- Nov. 30 — Kenneth M. Phillips, age 37, shock and hemorrhage from bullet wound of abdomen.
- Dec. 5 — Samuel Davis Moores, age 72, cerebral hemorrhage.
- Dec. 6 — James A. Milton, age 48, accidental suffocation.

## 1943

- Jan. 9 — Katherine C. French, age 64, cerebral hemorrhage.
- Jan. 29 — Herbert Luce, age 75, cardio renal disease.

# Town Warrant

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COUNTY OF FRANKLIN, SS.

*To Angie B. Dudley, a Constable in the Town of Kingfield, County of Franklin, State of Maine,*

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Kingfield, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Webster Hall, in said town, on Monday, the first day of March, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

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

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

ART. 3. To hear reports of Town Officers and take action thereon.

ART. 4. To choose all other Town Officers for the ensuing year and fix their pay.

ART. 5. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for State Aid Road Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sec. 19, Chap. 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Chapter 213, P. L. of 1941. — Acct. No. 2.

ART. 6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Maintenance of State Aid Highways during the ensuing year under the provisions of Sec. 18, Chap. 28, R. S. — Acct. No. 4.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$165.00) for Third Class Maintenance in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 46, Chap. 28, of the R. S. of 1930 as amended. — Acct. No. 5.

ART. 8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Repair of Roads and Bridges for the ensuing year. (Summer). — Acct. No. 7.

ART. 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Repair of Roads and Bridges for the ensuing year. (Winter). — Acct. No. 9.

ART. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Repair of Sewers for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 11.

ART. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Aid to Dependent Children, under the provisions of Chap. 177, P. L. 1937. — Acct. No. 12.

ART. 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Aid to Veterans for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 13.

ART. 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Support of the Poor for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 14.

ART. 14. 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. — Accts. Nos. 17 and 18.

ART. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Repair on Schoolhouses for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 19.

ART. 16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Salary of Superintendent of Schools. — Acct. No. 20.

ART. 17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the care of Cemeteries. — Acct. No. 22.

ART. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay Town Charges for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 23.

ART. 19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay Town Debts. — Acct. No. 24.

ART. 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Interest for the ensuing year — Acct. No. 25.

ART. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the use of the Fire Department for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 26.

ART. 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay Hydrant Rental for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 27.

ART. 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Insurance for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 28.

ART. 24. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Street Lights for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 29.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for Books, for Webster Free Library. — Acct. No. 30.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to procure Temporary Loans in anticipation of taxes. — Acct. No. 31.

ART. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Collection of Taxes for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 32.

ART. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the Discount and Abatement of Taxes for the ensuing year. — Acct. No. 33.

ART. 29. To see what the Town will vote in regard to the Collection of Taxes, when made payable, what discount to be allowed and interest charged.

(Last year voted that taxes shall be payable when committed to the Tax Collector; that a discount of 3% be allowed on taxes paid on or before June 16; that a discount of 1% be allowed on taxes paid on or before September 16; that interest at 8% be charged after December 15; and that the Collector be paid at the rate of \$1.25 per hundred dollars collected.)

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to make Poll Taxes payable May 1st.



ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to pay for corporate or other bonds for the Collector and Treasurer.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the Town to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quit claim deeds for such property.

ART. 33. To elect or appoint a Budget Committee.

ART. 34. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the services of the County Nurse.

ART. 35. To see whether or not the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Chapter 5, Section 82, of the Revised Statutes. Said money to be expended through the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.) to cooperate with the Maine Forest Service and the Federal Government in the control of the White Pine Blister Rust in accordance with Revised Statutes, Chapter 11, Sections 62, 63 and 64.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will empower the Selectmen to acquire land adjacent to the storage shed lot on the North New Portland road at a cost of not over \$50.00, to be taken from Town Charges account.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Fire Chief who shall:

1st — Act as Fire Inspector.

2nd — Appoint all members of the department and see that they are properly instructed and trained in their duties.

3rd — Carry out a program of fire prevention and control.

ART. 39. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Civilian Defense.

ART. 40. To see what action the Town will take in regard to repairing or rebuilding the Rapid Stream Bridge.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will accept the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.) and expend the interest accruing therefrom for the care of the Carroll E. Young lot in Sunnyside Cemetery, said sum to be known as the Addie M. Young Fund.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will accept the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.) and expend the interest accruing therefrom for the care of the Stephen K. Pullen lot in Riverside Cemetery, said sum to be known as the Ruth Pullen Luce Fund.

ART. 43. To see if the Town will accept the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.) and expend the interest accruing therefrom for the care of the Lavella A. Norton lot in Sunnyside Cemetery, said sum to be known as the Lavella A. Norton Fund.

ART. 44. To see if the Town will accept the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.) and expend the interest accruing therefrom for the care of the Elmer E. Davis lot in Sunnyside Cemetery, said sum to be known as the Elmer E. Davis Fund.

ART. 45. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters at Webster Hall at 8:30 on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Kingfield, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1943.

EARL L. WING,  
CECIL A. KNAPP,

*Selectmen of Kingfield.*

NOTE: A copy of this report will be mailed to each family in town. Please preserve same, as duplicates will not be given out at Town Meeting.