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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN OF FREEPORT
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING MARCH 1
1919

THE FREEPORT PRESS
MARCH, 1919



Town Officers

For the municipal year ending March 1919

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

L. G. CUSHING

H. S. TALBOT

W. W. FISH

Town Clerk

ROBERT E. RANDALL

Treasurer

WILLIS H. SOULE

Collector

WILLIS E. LIBBY

School Committee

E. BELLE STANWOOD

A. L. GOULD

P. S. BURR

Superintendent of Schools

FRANK H. BYRAM

Chief of Fire Department

N. N. KENDALL

Auditor

ARTHUR W. GOODWIN

91737

Assessors' Report

Real Estate, Resident	\$950,580.00	
Real Estate, Non-resident	308,130.00	
	\$1,258,710.00	

PERSONAL PROPERTY

353 Horses	\$ 38,775.00	
7 Colts, one to two year olds	350.00	
487 Cows	19,480.00	
21 Two year olds	420.00	
45 One year olds	_____	
71 Sheep	_____	
21 Swine	_____	
Personal Estate, Resident	165,339.00	
Personal Estate, Non-resident	27,490.00	
	\$ 251,851.00	
Total Valuation		\$1,510,564.00

Rate of taxation, \$25.80 per \$1,000.

Tax on property	\$38,972.55	
Tax on polls, 641	1,923.00	
	\$ 10,895.55	

Selectmen's Report

APPROPRIATIONS

Night Watchman	\$ 800.00
Roads, Bridges and Sidewalks	3,700.00
State Aid Road	798.00
Maintenance, Federal Road	454.20
Maintenance, State Aid Road	40.00
Snow Bills	700.00
Support of Poor	1,000.00
Contingent	1,000.00
Water Rental	1,200.00
Common Schools	4,000.00
High School	3,200.00
Books and Supplies	850.00
School Repairs	1,100.00
Supt. School Committee	100.00
Manual Training	275.00
Salary Supt. of Schools	350.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Fire Department	600.00
B. H. Bartol Library	500.00
Street Lights	1,494.00
Bustin's Island	550.00
Anniversary Celebration 1920	200.00
Care of Park	50.00
Sinking Fund for School Bonds	1,000.00
Grading New High School	800.00
Furnishing New High School	1,700.00
Interest on School Bonds	1,125.00
Repair Collins Bridge	500.00
State Tax	9,014.20
County Tax	2,064.35
Overlays	1,655.80
	<hr/> \$ 40,895.55

Financial Condition of Town, Year ending March 1st, 1918

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Uncollected Taxes 1913-14-15-16	\$121.53	School Building Bonds	\$25,000.00
" " 1917	108.36	Note L. Trust Co.,	1,600.00
Tax Deeds	636.87	Bal. to complete School B'ld'g	10,512.92
Due from State Treas. Manual Training, am't paid out for fall and winter terms	244.44	Bal. due common School Acc't	317.42
Due from Town of Yarmouth,		" " Manual Training	24.32
Use of weights and measures 1916-17	10.00	" " Fire Dept.	296.25
Due from State, amount paid out for Aid of Soldiers' dependents	406.00	" " Bustins Island	4.85
Due amount paid out for Mothers' Aid	26.00	Amount held for celebration of 100th Anniversary	200.00
Due amt. paid out for State Pensions	15.00		\$37,955.76
Cash in the Bank	10,718.54		
To balance	25,609.02		
	\$37,955.76		

On account of the bank discounts, paid out of the contingent, for money advanced to the School Building Committee before the issue of the Bonds, also because of money paid out for Soldiers' dependents, but now due from the State, it was necessary to place a note of \$1,600. in the bank at the close of the year.

CEMETERY FUND

Amount on deposit in Lewiston Trust Co.	\$1,500.00
Interest unexpended,	46.42
	\$1,546.42

SNOW BILLS

Blaine Litchfield	\$ 40.00
John Varney	1.00
A. P. Ward	19.73
G. C. Bibber	15.35
A. J. Bean	7.50
D. H. Matthews	8.00
E. F. Morton	4.05
Harry Merrill	26.50
T. S. Curtis	1.35
N. E. Haskell	17.29
E. W. Conant	10.00
S. S. Gauss	9.87
Ralph Brewer	11.25
Forrest Marston	7.75
D. R. Brewer	5.00
Thornton Allen	3.20
F. L. Davis	16.90
G. W. S. Coffin	11.20
Elmer Everett	2.00
Henry Sulis	6.00
Chas. Guppy	1.80
F. G. Soule	2.20
W. N. Grant	13.50
J. C. Rogers	6.00
H. M. Allen	4.50
James Evans	3.60
H. K. Means	10.00
J. J. Gould	12.50
E. S. Pritham	6.18
Geo. A. Hoyt	1.92
Chas. A. Marstello	4.29
R. E. Merrill	30.42
Herbert Merrill	4.50
Herman Cole	2.45
Henry Cole	1.56

Geo. Griffin	4.73
F. L. Wilson	6.00
J. W. Ineson	17.75
J. C. Rogers	14.50
Howard Moody	2.00
Earl Moody	10.00
W. D. Moody	2.00
I. S. Stilphen	3.33
C. E. Peacock	33.44
F. E. Reynolds	17.00
C. E. Hemmings	4.96
C. E. Mosley	9.00
E. L. Curtis	1.13
A. W. Herrick	2.00
E. C. Curtis	41.50
W. S. Allan	11.00
Leon Hanscome	10.80
Lewis Hasty	2.93
S. Johnson	2.25
Geo. Young	1.00
C. E. Coffin	2.00
S. H. Fitts	47.00
L. C. Maybury	6.00
Carl Craig	4.50
John Hilton	1.80
M. O. Fogg	1.30
A. F. Noyes	5.00
C. E. Taylor	30.10
F. W. Coffin	5.72
Chas. Hoyt	.77
C. E. Payson	4.38
F. A. Coffee	3.83
C. R. Grover	10.90
E. C. Seabury	1.10
H. M. Nudd	13.00
A. E. Shedd	1.25

L. H. Barney		20.38
Edwin Fogg		2.00
Geo. White		1.00
C. H. Britt		28.00
Luther Pennell		10.00
S. G. Brewer		4.00
J. A. Fitts		8.32
G. E. Bartoll		3.89
Edson Nichols		6.60
Reuel Hanscome		1.80
Geo. M. Porter		20.40
Harold Marston		2.25
W. E. Libby		9.00
Archie Dennison		7.00
H. R. Prout		17.25
E. L. Fickett		2.00
E. A. Buck, agent		28.50
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		\$837.72
Appropriation	\$700.00	
Overdrawn	137.72	
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Roads, Bridges and Sidewalks

Stephen Mitchell, supplies		\$ 27.70
E. C. Curtis		5.00
John Craig		5.40
C. E. Peacock		453.78
H. M. Allen		44.25
L. W. Ward		197.90
Frank Rogers		86.08
P. R. Craig		105.32
The Good Roads Machine Co., Repairs		4.20
“ “ “ “ “ Road Grader		225.00

M. C. R. R., freight	6.26
C. E. Coffin	58.13
E. H. Malm	371.40
Clem Soule	87.50
A. H. Ramsdell	53.75
A. P. Ward	132.00
R. E. Merrill	327.17
L. C. Maybury	5.17
P. E. Winslow	26.95
I. S. Stilphen	81.88
Gilbert Hemmings	12.00
N. E. Haskell	34.05
J. W. Stevens	14.20
W. M. Pettengill	7.88
F. A. Taylor, supplies	12.66
A. F. Jordan	20.80
C. E. Taylor	7.39
Guy Ringrose	69.16
Neal Merrill	34.44
Chas. Hoyt	5.95
Edward Hunter	2.70
Walter S. Brown, labor on Porter's Landing Bridge	39.47
W. T. Sawyer	34.38
F. E. Reynolds	9.00
Henry Sulis	6.00
G. W. S. Coffin	1.50
Deering Winslow Co., stringers, P. Land'g Bridge	60.69
Richardson Dana Co., stringers, Marsh Bridges	140.03
W. F. Britton	1.25
J. T. Griffin	5.00
Lewis Hasty	14.50
Chas. Thompson	17.50
Fred Thompson	27.50
F. E. Gould	10.50
S. H. Fitts, plank	82.32
H. E. Swain	21.25

F. F. Fisher	2.00
H. L. Russell, plank	40.00
F. E. Gore, plank	35.00
Thos. Wheelwright	1.50
E. F. Morton	5.45
J. J. Gould	16.88
Reuel Rogers	4.50
A. F. Minott	37.50
M. K. Coffin	2.50
L. Y. Sylvester	21.25
C. H. Britt	18.00
Benj. Brewer	15.00
C. E. Randall	24.00
C. D. Ring	3.75
Dewey Ringrose	2.50
W. C. Ringrose	2.50
Mrs. E. W. Cushing, gravel	64.20
A. E. Shedd	77.50
E. T. Osgood	.70
L. H. Barney	134.05
David Farrell	6.25
W. L. Gould	66.00
Wm. Rairden	8.50
W. G. Hayward	8.38
Town of Yarmouth, one-half expense of repairs on Marsh Bridges	65.56
F. G. Soule	20.34
H. S. Hyer	6.25
Luther Pennell	28.33
A. H. Clough	11.00
W. E. Brewer	7.44
Reuel Hanscome	2.50
Geo. M. Porter	39.00
W. S. Allan	12.90
I. B. Fernald	10.00
E. L. Porter, lumber and plank	34.12

Alfred King est., stone		6.50
A. J. Bean		1.00
H. R. Prout		14.50
E. B. Mallet, gravel		10.80
D. L. Pettengill		3.00
E. A. Buck, Agent		462.33

\$4,330.44

Appropriation	\$3,700.00	
Rec'd from Town of Yarmouth, one-half expense, repairs M. Bridge	84.26	
Rec'd for sale of dirt	11.20	
Overdrawn	534.98	

\$4,330.44

MAINTENANCE, STATE AID ROAD

Guy Ringrose,		\$ 7.50
A. E. Shedd		3.75
Frank Rogers		12.50
C. E. Peacock		33.00
L. L. Barney		9.00
R. E. Merrill		9.00
Unexpended		2.75

\$77.50

Appropriation	\$ 40.00	
Received from State	37.50	

\$77.50

STATE AID ROAD

Appropriation	\$798.00	Unexpended	\$798.00
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FEDERAL HIGHWAY

Appropriation	\$454.20	Order drawn	\$454.20
		(State Highway Commission)	

REPAIR COLLINS MILL BRIDGE

Appropriation	\$500.00	Walter E. Morrill,	
		plank,	\$ 63.54
		Unexpended	436.46
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	\$500.00		\$500.00

100th ANNIVERSARY

Appropriation	\$200.00	Unexpended	\$200.00
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WATER RENTAL

Appropriation	\$1,200.00	Orders drawn	\$1,175.00
		Unexpended	25.00
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	\$1,200.00		\$1,200.00

B. H. BARTOL LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$500.00	Orders drawn	500.00
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MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$75.00	Orders drawn	\$75.00
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CARE OF PARK

Appropriation	\$50.00	Chas. Bailey	\$39.44
		H. B. Ward	5.10
		Unexpended	5.46
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	\$50.00		\$50.00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation	\$1,494.00	Orders drawn	\$1,494.00
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INTEREST ON SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS

Appropriation	\$1,125.00	Orders drawn	\$1,125.00
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NIGHT WATCHMAN

Appropriation	\$800.00	Victor Coffin	\$120.40
		H. H. Cole	344.00
		H. A. Anderson	116.10
		G. Lowell, clock-dials	6.00
		cleaning clock	1.00
		Reuel Hanscome	17.20
		Unexpended	195.30
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	\$800.00		\$800.00

SINKING FUND, SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS

Appropriation	\$1,000.00	Invested in	
		Liberty Bonds	\$1,000.00

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING CONTINUED

I. H. McKenney		28.39
G. A. Field		46.87
Arthur Winslow		6.00
H. L. Johnson		15.00
American Ex. Co.		2.24
Geo. A. Wilbur		4.80
King & Dexter		20.50
Pettengill, Andrews & Co.		55.70
A. L. Gould		3.00
Geo. E. Bartol	Grading	110.45
E. A. Buck, Agent	"	87.89
C. E. Peacock	"	73.89
Geo. Shaw	"	79.34
S. H. Fitts	"	86.01
Clem Soule	"	31.67
P. R. Craig	"	40.67
Guy Ringrose	"	36.00
Warren Bean	"	44.35
A. E. Shedd	"	16.67
E. W. Conant	"	38.89
L. W. Ward	"	35.00
Earle Noyes	"	1.50
F. A. Taylor	"	12.48
E. L. Porter	"	13.91
Mrs. E. W. Cushing	"	35.25
A. C. True	"	2.10
J. T. Griffin	"	3.90
William Bragdon	"	1.33
Sidney Parker	"	1.33
Unexpended		7.49
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		\$13,012.92
Appropriation, Grading	\$	800.00
" Furnishing		1,700.00
Balance 1918		10,512.92
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		\$13,012.92

FIRE DEPARTMENT

L. A. & W. St. R. R., Electric Lights		\$11.00
N. N. Kendall, Chief		60.00
“ “ dues I. A. E. F.		5.00
“ “ care of hydrants		2.50
“ “ car-fare, postage and labor		5.28
“ “ Agent, roll-call at meetings		60.90
“ “ “ pay-roll, time at Putney and Notman fires		49.00
“ “ “ auto to “		2.50
Stephen Mitchell, supplies		2.60
F. A. Taylor, “		18.79
E. E. Pinkham, insurance on hose-house and contents		54.90
A. E. Stevens & Co., repairs		7.24
Atlantic Ex. Co., express		.84
J. Dumphy, labor		.25
Reuel Hanscome, labor		.50
“ “ Janitor		10.00
F. E. Merrill, repairs		.60
Unexpended		604.35
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		\$896.25
Appropriation	\$600.00	
Balance 1918	296.25	
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COMMON SCHOOLS

Balance, 1918	\$ 317.42	Orders drawn	\$8,450.04
Appropriation	4,000.00	Unexpended	23.24
Com. School Fund	2,303.03		
Mill Fund	1,760.55		
Pownal Tuition	90.00		
Other receipts	2.28		
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	\$8,473.28		\$8,473.28

HIGH SCHOOL

Appropriation	\$3,200.00	Orders drawn	\$3,753.68
Rec'd from State	500.00	Unexpended	270.32
Pownal Tuition	324.00		
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	\$4,024.00		\$4,024.00

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriation	\$850.00	Orders drawn	\$868.55
Supplies sold	17.78		
Overdrawn	.77		
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	\$868.55		\$868.55

SCHOOL REPAIRS

Appropriation	\$1,100.00	Orders drawn	\$ 1,502.64
Refund on insurance	50.00		
Received from			
Stanley Wood	68.40		
Overdrawn	284.24		
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	\$1,502.64		\$1,502.64

MANUAL TRAINING

Appropriation	\$275.00	Orders drawn	\$632.46
Rec'd from State	366.67	Unexpended	33.53
Balance 1918	24.32		
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	\$665.99		\$665.99

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Appropriation	\$350.00	Orders drawn	\$350.00
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SALARY SCHOOL BOARD

Appropriation	\$100.00	Orders drawn	\$100.00
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**SUPPORT OF POOR
TOWN FARM**

E. A. Buck, salary	\$ 487.50
E. E. Pinkham, insurance	12.36
N. E. T. & T. Co., service	19.35
Dr. W. J. Lewis, professional services	36.00
Narragansett Ins. Co., assessment	4.50
O. L. Clark, grain	144.43
Dirigo Fire Ins. Co., assessment	10.00
E. A. Clark & Co., grain	116.94
B. L. Dunphy, shoeing and jobbing	21.95
Henry Gould, supplies	45.00
G. E. Bartol, straw	5.00
“ “ fertilizer	24.00
E. L. Porter, repairs	1.71
L. L. & G. C. Bean, supplies	19.60
Dr. N. D. Hyde, professional services	10.00
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	\$958.34

RECEIPTS

E. A. Buck, Agent, road work with town team	\$462.33
“ “ “ grading school lot	87.89
“ “ “ snow work	28.50
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	\$578.72
Making net cost of Poor Farm	\$379.62

Mr. Buck has received for outside labor and sold produce from the farm amounting to \$922.42, and has paid bills for groceries, labor, etc., amounting to \$922.13, and shows receipts for the same. He has also paid the Treasurer \$578.72 for labor with town team, showing a net cost for running Town Farm \$379.62.

POOR OFF FARM

L. M. Chute, rent, Mrs. Parker	\$ 35.00
Relief and supplies, Mrs. Lawrence Jackson and family	24.99
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	\$59.99
Total net cost of Support of Poor	\$439.61
Unexpended	560.39
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	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

CONTINGENT

Mrs. Lilla M. Williams, Soldiers' Aid	\$192.57
“ Chester A. Brown	“ 362.50
“ Myra Fickett	“ 243.57
“ Minnie J. Ward	“ 304.85
“ Florence Taylor	“ 305.50
“ Clara B. Libby	“ 221.71
“ Martha Curtis	“ 169.85
“ Ruth Peacock	“ 206.72
“ Mary Soule	“ 120.57
“ Edward J. Drouin	“ 59.44
“ Ella J. Graves	“ 34.28
“ Emma Dill	“ 21.72

Mrs. Grace Randall	Soldiers' Aid	39.78
“ Thomas Nugent	“	52.57
“ Seneca Bates	“	66.29
Mr. Herbert Gullifer	“	97.71
Mrs. Dorcas Winslow,	Mothers' Aid	338.00
N. N. Kendall, Agent	various fires, Hedghog Mt. fire	56.80
“ “ “	Webster Road fire	25.70
“ “ “	Miss Bertha Curtis fire	7.60
“ “ “	Wetmore fire	.90
“ “ “	G. A. Davis fire	1.60
“ “ “	So. Freeport, back road fire	11.22
H. W. Newcomb		.60
Chas. J. Davis		3.60
A. H. Ramsdell		3.50
Rev. F. A. Snow,	Marriage returns	1.50
Dr. A. L. Gould,	Births and Deaths returns	7.75
“ “	Board of Health	10.00
“ “	Fumigation	13.00
Dr. W. J. Lewis,	Births and Death returns	4.75
L. A. & W. St. R. R.,	Electric Lights, Town House	12.87
S. H. Fitts,	care of Webster Cemetery	21.00
A. C. Britt	“ Coffin Lot	2.00
E. P. Griffin	“ Rogers Lot	5.00
J. W. Ineson	“ Mann Lot	18.50
“ “ “	Fogg Lot	4.00
“ “ “	chemical and att. at grass fires	7.50
City of Gardiner,	Quarantine Case	79.73
George Barnes,	Watering Place	3.00
C. T. Lambert	“ “	3.00
S. G. Brewer	“ “	3.00
J. A. Fitts	“ “	3.00
Edwin Fogg	“ “	3.00
E. L. Porter,	Labor, Town Hall	6.67
B. L. Stilkey	“ “ “	1.00
American Express Co.		.86
J. R. Coty,	Wood, Town Hall	7.25

Chauncy Fish, Taking Hen Statistics	2.50
D. L. Pettengill, Dump	15.00
Geo. C. Lord, Constable, July 3rd and 4th	4.00
Reuel Hanscome, Constable	7.00
B. F. Dennison, Truant Officer	16.80
“ “ Dog Officer and Expense	21.26
“ “ Ballot Clerk	9.00
F. E. Gould “ “	6.00
Horace Mann “ “	3.00
E. F. Morton “ “	6.00
N. N. Kendall “ “	3.00
John G. Curtis “ “	3.00
Freeport Press, Printing Town Reports	131.45
Postage, Mailing Town Reports	6.50
D. P. Allen Truant Officer	10.14
Smith & Sale, Val. Order Books	19.50
New Eng. T. & T. Co., Tolls	3.50
Welch Stencil Co., Dies and Stencils	6.55
W. & L. E. Greeley, Seals for Weights and Measures	1.66
Willis H. Soule, Insurance, Town Hall	45.34
Aubrey Ruggles, Moderator	5.00
Willis H. Soule, Postage	3.00
“ “ Treasurer	150.00
L. G. Cushing, Salary	300.00
H. S. Talbot “	200.00
W. W. Fish “	200.00
Arthur W. Goodwin, Auditor	15.00
W. W. Fish, Board of Health	10.00
R. E. Randall, Town Clerk	93.33
“ “ Prof. Services	2.00
Willis E. Libby, Collector	410.40
“ “ Constable	25.00
“ “ Discounts July 1st	263.18
“ “ Abatements	191.18
“ “ Tax Deeds	114.03
Willis H. Soule, to pay note of March 1, 1918	1,600.00
“ “ Bank Discounts	255.90
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	\$7,326.75

RECEIPTS FOR YEAR 1918

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Overlay	1,655.80
State Treas., R. R. and Tel. Tax	82.37
“ “ Dog Tax refunded	18.58
“ “ Soldiers' Aid	390.00
“ “ “ “	830.22
“ “ State Pensions	15.00
“ “ Mothers' Aid	156.00
Town of Brunswick, Mothers' Aid	156.00
Town of Yarmouth, use of weights and measures	5.00
A. H. Batchelor, Tax Deed	21.92
F. B. Wetmore, “ “	3.80
A. B. Weston, Est., “ “	125.42
Lewis Hasty “ “	15.18
Erie S. Budd “ “	5.99
Casco Bay Packing Co., Tax Deed	23.99
L. T. Patterson, Pool Room License	10.00
Mrs. F. E. Mortimer, Moving Picture License	10.00
Henry Proctor, Operator's License	2.00
A. W. Larrabee, Auctioneer's License	2.00
Clam Licenses	9.00
Lewiston Trust Co., Interest	50.00
Town of Yarmouth	20.00
W. E. Libby, 1917 Tax Deed paid	62.10
“ “ 1916 and 1917 Taxes	107.99
Refunded from Cemetery Fund	50.50
Overdrawn	2,497.89
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	\$7,326.75

LIST OF TAX DEEDS UNPAID

J. C. McMelvin	1911	\$ 5.40
B. S. Peacock, includes former John Locke house	1912	67.64
B. S. Peacock	1914	41.90
“ “ John Locke house	1914	29.30
M. H. Redlon	1914	14.55
W. D. Moody	1915	20.33
Mrs. Martha Peacock	1915	11.65
J. P. Morsey	1915	13.04
M. H. Redlon	1915	13.62
A. E. Blackstone	1916	32.77
Geo. W. Griffin	1916	7.57
Mrs. Martha Peacock	1916	44.32
James C. Rogers	1916	44.85
Grace Smith	1917	17.25
Guy Towle, Administrator	1917	12.65
W. T. Henderson	1917	3.45
Mrs. Wealthy M. Davis	1917	25.30
“ “ “	1918	28.38
Paul Bretchneider	1918	21.93
J. Lewis Hasty	1918	20.86
Chas. E. Payson	1918	28.67
Guy Towle, Administrator	1918	14.19
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		\$519.62

UNPAID POLL AND PERSONAL TAXES

1913		
Ralph M. Davis		\$ 2.03
1914		
Arthur C. Noyes		3.00
M. H. Redlon		3.00
1915		
G. W. S. Coffin		3.00
Leforrest Gile		3.00

Alfred Leighton	3.00
C. E. Miller	3.00
William Marston	3.00
Jos. Matthews	3.00
M. H. Redlon	3.48
1916	
Chas. Guppy, Jr.	2.00
Victor Gould	3.00
Alfred Leighton	3.00
M. H. Redlon	3.53
W. E. Stuart	3.00
E. L. Williams	3.00
H. N. Bragdon	3.15
H. G. Means	3.68
Henry Nudd	3.00
B. S. Peacock	10.50
Geo. B. Stetson	5.25
1917	
Fred Coffin	3.00
Fred W. Curtis	3.00
Chas. Guppy, Jr.	3.00
J. Lewis Hasty	3.90
Jos. Matthews	3.00
B. S. Peacock	8.05
1918	
J. Lewis Hasty	10.74
Fred W. Curtis	3.00
Chas. Guppy, Jr.	3.00
A. P. Page	3.00
B. S. Peacock	4.01
A. H. Woodman	3.00
Percy Holbrook	2.58
W. L. Humphrey	4.45
Geo. Randall	3.87

\$134.22

Financial Condition of Town, Year ending March 1st, 1919

RESOURCES

Uncollected Poll and Personal Taxes 1913-14-15-16-17-18	\$134.22
Tax Deeds	519.62
Due from State Treas., Manual Training, am't paid out for fall and winter terms	244.44
Due from State, am't paid out for Mothers Aid	52.00
Due from State, am't paid out for State Pensions	150.00
Due from State, am't paid out for out-of-State Poor	24.99
Due from M. C. R. R. am't paid out for grass-fires	35.80
Due from State am't paid out for Aid of Soldiers' and Sailors' dependents	1,693.33
Cash in the Bank	1,240.51
To balance	25,438.19
	\$29,533.10

LIABILITIES

School Building Bonds	\$25,000.00
Note Lewiston Trust Co.	1,725.00
Bal. due Com. School Acc't	23.24
" High " "	270.32
" Manual Training	33.53
" Fire Department	604.35
" Bustins Island	242.20
Amount held for 100th Anniver.	400.00
Bal. for repair Collins Mill Bridge	436.46
Appro., State Aid Road	798.00
	\$29,533.10

On account of aid, amounting to \$1,843.33, paid out of the contingent, to the dependents of Soldiers and Sailors, but now due from the State and will be available about March 10, it was necessary to place a note of \$1,725.00 in the bank at the close of the year.

SCHOOL BUILDING BOND SINKING FUND

1918 Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Invested in 4th Liberty Loan Bonds	\$1,000.00

CEMETERY FUND

Amount on deposit in Lewiston Trust Co.,	\$1,500.00
Interest unexpended	58.10
	\$1,558.10

The Selectmen submit the annual report for your consideration.

Respectfully,

L. G. CUSHING	}	Selectmen of Freeport.
H. S. TALBOT		
W. W. FISH		

Treasurer's Report

WILLIS H. SOULE, Treasurer,

To TOWN OF FREEPORT

RECEIVED

Cash on hand	\$10,718.54
State Treas., war purposes	1,220.22
" " State pensions	15.00
Town Yarmouth use weights 1916	5.00
Sale tax deed, A. H. Batchelder	21.92
L. T. Patterson, pool room license	10.00
State Treas., dep. mothers	156.00
Lewiston Trust Co, loan	7,500.00
" " " interest	50.00
Sale Tax deed, F. B. Wetmore	3.80
F. H. Byram, sale books	1.55
" " account common schools	2.00
E. H. Davis, rebate, insurance	25.00
W. H. Jones " "	25.00
W. E. Libby, coll. tax of 1916-1917	170.09
" " " " 1918	40,433.99
R. E. Randall, dog tax	167.00
State Treas., Bartol Library	50.00
A. W. Larrabee, auctioneer's license	2.00
Henry Proctor, moving picture license	2.00
Mrs. F. E. Mortimer, m. picture license	10.00

Clam license	9.00
Tax deed, A. B. Weston	125.42
“ “ Hasty	15.18
Town of Pownal, tuition	60.00
Town Farm, work at H. I.	87.89
Tax deed, Erie S. Budd	5.99
“ “ Casco Bay Packing Co.	23.99
State Treas., highway department	37.50
Town of Yarmouth, acc't bridge	84.26
State Treas., dog tax refunded	18.58
“ “ school and mill fund	1,760.55
“ “ common school fund	2,303.03
“ “ R. R. and Tel. tax	82.37
“ “ High School	500.00
“ “ Industrial education	366.67
Town of Brunswick, Mothers' Aid	156.00
“ of Yarmouth, books and supplies	20.00
“ of Pownal, tuition	354.00
F. H. Byram, books and supplies	16.23
“ “ common schools	.28
Sale dirt	11.20
Town Farm, road work	462.33
“ “ snow “	28.50
Common school repairs acct.	68.40
Cemetery fund, interest	50.50
W. E. Libby, discount on tax July 1	263.18
“ “ abatement	191.18
“ “ tax deeds	114.03
Order for note	1,600.00
“ “ bank discounts	255.90
Town of North Yarmouth, tuition	56.00
Lewiston Trust Co., note	1,725.00
	<hr/> \$71,442.27

PAID

State pensions	150.00
Lewiston Trust Co., notes	9,100.00
“ “ “ discounts	255.90
Town orders paid and received	49,391.32
Bartol Library	50.00
State Treas, dog tax	167.00
“ “ State tax	9,014.20
County tax	2,064.35
Lewiston Trust Co., discount	8.99
Cash in Bank	1,240.51
	<hr/> \$71,442.27

WILLIS H. SOULE,
Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

To the Citizens of Freeport :—

The accounts of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer and Tax Collector have been examined and found correct and properly vouched.

The accurate and systematic manner in which these accounts have been kept is worthy of mention and consideration.

The Selectmen have issued Town orders to the amount of \$49,391.32, all of which have been paid as shown by receipts held by the Treasurer. The books of the Treasurer as compared with bank statement show total cash on hand in bank \$1,240.51.

The Treasurer holds receipt for one Liberty Bond, of the Fourth Liberty Loan, for \$1,000.00, held in safe deposit by the Lewiston Trust Company.

The Treasurer also shows deposit in Lewiston Trust Company of Cemetery Funds \$1,500.00 and interest \$58.10, total \$1,558.10.

The Treasurer's accounts show the payment of the State Tax, 9,014.20, and County Tax, \$2,064.35.

One temporary loan note of the town is outstanding, amounting to \$1,725.00.

The Collector of Taxes holds receipts from the Treasurer for the full amount of the committment to him by the Selectmen, to wit: \$41,040.03 less \$37.65, the amount of the unpaid polls and personal tax, also receipts for \$170.09 collected of the tax of 1916 and 1917.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. GOODWIN,

Auditor.

Report of High School Building Committee

To the Citizens of Freeport :

The committee having completed its work respectfully submit the following report.

The new school building is now complete and is accomodating the High School, Grammar School, 4th grade from the Intermediate School, also Office and Supply Room for Superintendent, with one large room in basement still unoccupied.

It has a complete Heating, Lighting, Ventilating and Electric Bell System with Water and Sewerage connection.

The building is furnished and curtained throughout.

The road to building has been completed and all grading done that is practical to do up to this time.

The heating system has been thoroughly tested and is proving an exceptionally good one.

The Costs are as follows :

Building	\$18,720.43
Lot	1,500.00
Heating and Ventilating	3,075.00
Plumbing	963.00
Lighting	250.76
Electric Bells	46.64
Water and Sewerage	632.51
Ledge Work	150.00
Furniture and Curtains	1,160.06
Road and Grading	752.63
Architects	1,150.52

Insurance	100.00
Advertising and Legal Services	54.13
Express and Telephone	21.71
Expense of Bond Issue	15.12
Unexpended	7.49

\$28,600.00

Appropriation \$28,600.00

S. H. FITTS	} Committee
L. L. BEAN	
G. E. BARTOL	
GEO. P. COFFIN	

Report of Chief of Fire Department

To the citizens of the town of Freeport :—

We have to report twenty-four (24) fires of various kinds and sizes, but few calls for the Fire Department. The town has been very fortunate in property loss and the Department has been financially fortunate. We are equipped about as last year, will not have to buy anything new, but will have to spend some on repairs, painting, etc.

Respectfully

N. N. KENDALL,

Chief of Fire Dep't.

B. H. BARTOL LIBRARY

Along with the rest of the library world our library has been alive to the great war and its demands. As one enters the building, two flags are to be seen. These flags, given to the town to commemorate the fact that Freeport went "over the top" in the Third Liberty Loan, also in the "Fighting Fourth," have been placed in the library for exhibition and safe keeping.

On the mantel is a fine photograph of John Arthur Stowell, the gift of his class, F. H. S. 1914. As the accompanying inscription says he was the first Freeport boy to enlist and the first to give his life for the cause.

One hundred and fifty books for our soldiers and sailors have been collected from friends and from the library's shelves, and sent to Portland Public Library which is the distributing center for this region. Many magazines have also been sent out through the mails.

The work in this direction is not yet ended. Calls for both books and magazines for debarkation hospitals are still coming to us.

At the time of the U. W. W. Campaign, November 11-18, 1918, the library was offered to the local executive committee for a meeting place. There, each evening, for more than a week, the solicitors and committees gathered to make their reports and to plan the work of the following day.

During the past six years the library has received gifts of money to be used in any way the trustees saw fit. In the spring of 1918 it was decided to invest these gifts, amounting to \$200.00, in bonds of the Third Liberty Loan. In this way we showed our patriotism and added to our permanent fund as well.

Though keenly interested in current events we have not forgotten the history of the past as will be seen from the presence of Sprague's Journal of Maine History on our reading tables.

After searching long we have at last found copies of the magazine containing "Forty-three Days in an Open Boat."

The hero of this thrilling true story was a Freeport man, Captain Josiah Angier Mitchell. The fact that Mark Twain is the author of this article gives it added interest.

The figures which are here given show the growth made and the work done in the library during the year ending February 1, 1919.

Total circulation 13,618 volumes. Of these 1,259 were magazines, 923 non-fiction, 11,237 fiction. 176 books and pamphlets have been added during the year, 130 were boughten, 23 given, 22 came from the State and 1 from Government. This brings the whole number of books in the library up to 5,002. 7 old and worn books have been replaced by new copies, 139 volumes have been rebound, 22 volumes of magazines bound, also 1 Reader's Guide. We have mended 570 and covered 450 books.

There are now 1,120 borrowers from the library. 60 new names have been added since last February. 71 old names have been dropped from our lists and their card numbers given to new comers.

Mrs. E. K. Brazier has again been the chief donor of books and magazines. Mrs. R. F. Stevens and daughters have given books and \$1.00 for the purchase of books.

To our magazines we have added "Good Housekeeping" and "Literary Digest" and have dropped out two or three which were not used much.

ANNETTE H. ALDRICH.

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B. H. BARTOL LIBRARY,

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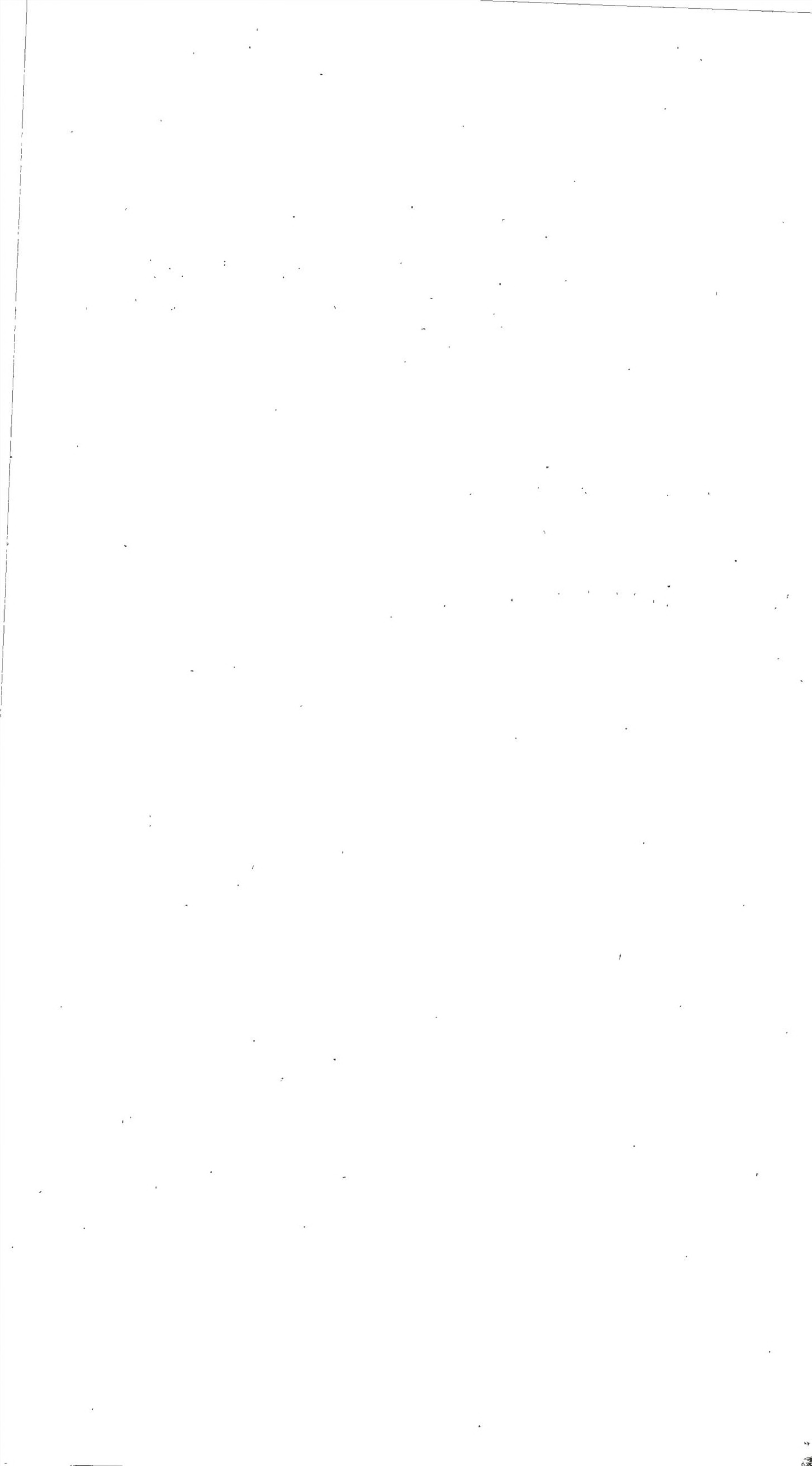
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Balance from 1918 Report	\$831.60	
Coupons	150.00	
Fines and Cards	98.16	
State	50.00	
Books returned	13.52	
Interest	55.29	
Town, 1918	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,698.57

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Lights	21.72	
Janitor	95.80	
Books	259.39	
Librarian	320.00	
Water rental	17.17	
Miscellaneous	240.85	
Balance	743.64	
	<hr/>	\$1,698.57

ROBERT E. RANDALL,
Treasurer.



**ANNUAL REPORT
FREEPORT
PUBLIC SCHOOLS
YEAR ENDING MARCH 1st
1919**

To the School Committee and Citizens of Freeport:—

I hereby submit the annual report as Superintendent of the Freeport Schools.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

A year ago there were being maintained eight one-room rural schools, a two-room school at So. Freeport, a three-room school of five grades at Grove Street and a two-room grammar school of four grades at the Universalist Church. The Mast Landing School was closed early in the spring term. In September the first three grades of the village were assigned to Grove Street and the others to the new building. The Central and Wolf's Neck schools were opened while the Litchfield school was closed until the latter part of November, when it was re-opened. Late in January the resignation of the teacher compelled the Burr school to close.

A school year of 34 weeks was completed in June by all the schools except Mast Landing. Good work was done and good progress made with three exceptions. Nearly all the ninth grade and those of the eighth who successfully passed the examinations were promoted to high school. Changes in the teaching force last spring were the appointment of Bessie Lamb to take the place of Mr. Hussey who was drafted and the transfer of Mary Royal to the sixth and seventh grades after Miss Stowell resigned.

Many changes took place in vacation as a glance at the page of statistics will show. Earnest efforts were made to secure the best possible teachers that our limited funds would allow. The result is our present corps of hardworking good teachers. All have remained on the job to date with the one exception noted above, though several have been offered more money to go elsewhere.

Attendance was rather poor in the fall largely because of influenza which made it necessary to close most schools from one to four weeks. This time will be made up before June. Attendance is good at present with the exception of a few

children whose parents either seize upon the slightest pretext to keep them out of school for apparently selfish reasons or do not seem to care enough for the children's future welfare to have them get to school every day and on time. Children who attend regularly are doing well and I am pleased to report that good progress is being made in every school in town.

STATE STANDARDS NOT MET

Among other requirements for "A Standard Rural School" as defined by the State Department of Education are these: a school year of at least thirty-five weeks, teachers' wages of \$12.00, provision for good ventilation, lighting mainly from the left or from the left and rear of the room, adequate blackboards, good outbuildings connected with the schoolroom by a ventilated passageway and possible of entry only from the schoolroom.

Freeport rural schools fail to meet most of these requirements. Wages are low and the school year short. State standards can be met only by larger school appropriations.

HIGH SCHOOL

The high school was maintained in spite of difficulties last winter. Lack of coal, frozen pipes, poor janitor service at times, and the frequent change of principals, hindered the work somewhat. The three assistant teachers remained with the school until June when a good class of sixteen was graduated. A large percentage of the graduates entered military service or went to college.

In September school opened in the new building with a 23 per cent increase of attendance and three new teachers. Owing to war conditions a one session plan of seven even class periods was instituted. We were fortunate in securing as Principal Emma N. Dawson, under whose capable leadership the work is progressing well. Attention is called to Miss Dawson's report.

SPECIAL TEACHERS

Mary Brown continued her good work in music until summer when her resignation was regretfully accepted. Hazel D. Wilson was chosen to carry on the work. We are pleased to report that she is doing it well. Attention is called to the report of Miss Wilson.

We were fortunate in retaining H. L. Johnson for instructor in Manual Training. This is a very valuable course for boys. Attention is called to Mr. Johnson's report.

SHALL FREEPORT HAVE DOMESTIC SCIENCE?

A course in Domestic Science for girls would be equally as valuable as the course in manual training has proved to be for boys. The State recognizes its value by offering to pay two-thirds of the cost of instruction. An appropriation of \$500.00 would be needed to purchase equipment and pay the teacher until 1920. After this year \$225.00 appropriated annually would doubtless be sufficient. The course would be open to the three upper grades and the high school—more than 100 girls. We have the room. We should not neglect this opportunity to secure so large results with so little expense. Freeport should have Domestic Science in the schools.

BUILDINGS, REPAIRS, INSURANCE

The new building was much needed. While not perfect by any means it has made possible a great improvement in our high and village elementary schools. We believe that the building committee has done exceptionally well with the funds at its command.

At Wolf's Neck the school-house was painted inside and out, the roof shingled, the chimney repaired and many small improvements made. Half of this expense was borne by Mr. Stanley Wood. A fresh air intake was provided at the South Primary and foul air exits at the Gore and Collins schools. At Grove Street the piping was re-arranged by the janitor so that the heating system now works well.

Insurance came due this year on all of our large buildings—Grove Street, So. Freeport, and both high school buildings. \$10,000.00 of insurance protection will be needed next year for the new building. The Pleasant Hill schoolhouse should be remodeled. We ought to continue to improve the ventilation in the large rural schools and at Grove Street. Flush closets should be provided at Grove Street. Minor repairs are needed everywhere.

ACCOUNTS AND APPROPRIATIONS

Common school teachers are paid to Feb. 22. High school teachers are paid to Mar. 1. The textbook and supply account has outstanding bills of over \$200.00. The repair account has bills of about \$75.00. All manual training bills are paid and the instructor is paid to March 1.

If all the schools maintained this year are to be continued the common school appropriation should be increased 50 per cent. The high school appropriation should be increased at least 20 per cent. Books and supplies need an increase of 40 per cent. Domestic Science ought to have an appropriation of \$500.00. It is not economy to be niggardly with school money. These increases are needed for the sake of our boys and girls and needed now.

In conclusion I wish to express my thanks to the teachers for the faithful and efficient service they have rendered, to the school committee for its aid and support, and to all who have helped to provide better educational opportunities for the boys and girls of Freeport.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK H. BYRAM.

Report of Principal

Mr. Frank Byram, Superintendent of Schools :—

My dear Mr. Byram ;

In accordance with the annual custom, I hereby submit to you the report of the High School.

The school register shows a total enrollment of 108. Of this number 64 are girls and 44 are boys.

Various problems confront us. Some of these can easily be remedied.

SCHOOL BUILDING

First of all because of the unprecedented number of pupils the high school building is somewhat crowded. We need another room and another teacher. At the present time each teacher has a class every one of the seven periods. Then, too, if we had another room and another teacher, recitations would not have to be held in a room while others are studying. Thus better results would be obtained.

DISCIPLINE

Owing to our coming into a new building under new conditions many of our old disorders have disappeared, but even yet our school behavior is not all that could be desired. There is a tendency on the part of the pupils to consider school work secondary and outside interests primary. School work is all important.

There is nothing so necessary to be impressed upon the pupils in school as the fact that obedience is required of all persons in all walks of life. There is no place where the pupil can learn this, with more profit to himself, than at school. For that reason we insist that pupils obey.

ATTENDANCE

A third problem before us is the attendance. The average per cent attendance since September is 88 per cent ; very much

lower than it ought to be. The influenza epidemic, of course, had some influence on this. Under ordinary conditions a grade of 96 per cent is possible. There are, however, too many cases of tardiness. Parents wishing to see their children do well at school should see to it that their children are present every part of every session.

We would, therefore, like the co-operation of the parents. We wish that the parents and friends of the school would visit it often. We assure them they will be most welcome.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The fourth problem before us is that of physical education. At the present time there is no provision for such. If we had a gymnasium connected with our high school building and equipped with the proper conveniences, it would benefit the high school and the town. This war has taught us the crying need of correct physical education and training, both for boys and for girls.

SOCIAL LIFE

Lastly, there should be more social life in the school. Pupils, teachers and parents should meet and become really acquainted with one another. This can best be done at school functions. These functions should have some educational as well as social aspect and should be organized mainly by the pupils. In this way their initiative and executive ability will be developed.

TEACHERS

I wish to call the attention of the people through you, Mr. Superintendent, to the subject of teachers. Only one out of our present four was here last year. It is very obvious, of course, that so many changes are not good for the pupils nor the school. If it were possible to raise the salaries somewhat, it would help to do away with so much changing.

CONCLUSION

In my foregoing report, Mr. Superintendent, you notice I mention many needs and problems. In what I have said I do not wish to be misunderstood. I feel that the school is making progress and I mention these things merely to indicate to you, the Board, and the townspeople the things which would help us to make still more progress.

In closing, I wish to thank you for the hearty support you have given me at all times. I wish to thank also, through you, the School Committee for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA NELSON DAWSON,

Principal.

MUSIC IN THE FREEPORT SCHOOLS

From the grown-ups to those in the first grade; from the nearest to the farthest rural school, I believe Freeport to be a singing community.

In spite of the year's difficulties remarkable progress has been made by the children. This is due to the splendid attitude of the teachers towards the work and their careful carrying out of the lessons.

There are many in the schools engaged in musical activities. The High School has two Glee Clubs which hold weekly meetings. Some of its members have also voluntarily sought tutoring in school music.

More and more the High Schools of to-day are placing music on the same basis as other subjects and work of the above nature receives credit toward points required for graduation. This creates an atmosphere for substantial work.

Now that Peace has come it is not to be believed that soldier and civilian can possibly forget the good music has done in this terrible war. So let us all co-operate to bring school and community in closer contact through our music.

Respectfully submitted,

HAZEL D. WILSON.

MANUAL TRAINING

It is a pleasure to state in this report that the new room is sufficiently large for all the Grades and High School work. Six new benches have been built by the High School boys and as soon as they are equipped with tools, from twelve to sixteen boys can be accommodated in one class. This will make possible the combining of some classes and giving a longer working period. If a band saw and buzz-planer could be had our equipment and room would compare favorably with any of its size. With these machines the whole process of cabinet construction from rough sawed stock to the finished product could be carried on in our room. This would reduce the cost of building larger projects such as library tables, bookcases, music cabinets, etc., nearly half, for at present considerable milling has to be done outside.

During the fall and winter terms, the High School boys besides building six new work benches, installed the bell system in the Grammar School rooms, and basements, and the electric lighting system in the Manual Training room. As soon as the fixtures and drop lights arrive they will complete the work in the other rooms and halls. This kind of work has been of practical value to the boys and a great saving to the community. However, too much of this kind of work must not be expected, for with a period of two hours instruction per week,

most of the time must be spent in the class-room. We are not aiming to turn out carpenters or mechanics, but to give boys who desire, an education that will prepare them for industrial work.

The tendency of modern systems of education is toward a proper distribution of practical with theoretical training. In comparatively modern times the education of the masses was confined chiefly to the mind. At present our best educators are modifying old systems by introducing Manual Elements for the purpose of giving students who have particular difficulties, special attention, and not allowing them to fall behind or drop out, simply because others in the class have less difficulty. Classical studies do not appeal to all and in larger educational systems industrial courses are substituted and the same credit given, when it is found that a student is inclined toward industrial pursuits. Better citizenship and each in his chosen field are the ultimate aims of our educational systems.

In conclusion permit me to thank the Building Committee for its liberal purchase of material for the new benches, and the Superintendent and all who have contributed to the success of the work this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. JOHNSON,

Manual Training Instructor.

Statistics Fall Term, 1918

School	Teacher	Annual Salary	Enrollment	Average Attendance	No. Tardy	Citizens' Visits	No. owning W. S. S.	Value of W. S. S. Owned
High	Emma N. Dawson	\$ 1,100.00	108	95.78	217	2	58	\$802.75
High	Florence A. Day	850.00						
High	Algie Cummings	606.00						
High	Myrtle McIntire	612.00						
Grammar	Violette L. Welch	612.00	40	36	16	3	38	659.00
Grammar	Mary B. Royal	408.00	44	38.42	43	3	41	358.00
Grammar	Fannie A. Dunham	476.00	45	35	9	3	40	845.25
Grove Street	Ellen S. Mitchell	408.00	41	36	71	17	37	399.50
Grove Street	Helen E. Strout	425.00	24	19	20	9	16	159.00
So. Freeport	Sumner G. Brewer	510.00	32	22.4	31	20	20	234.50
So. Freeport	Hattie M. Weston	476.00	38	25.6	20	6	22	174.75
Collins	Ada A. Snow	340.00	21	16.86	71	3	8	23.50
Gore	Ruth E. Brown	340.00	20	16	87	7	10	41.00
Burr	Alice R. Curtis	340.00	7	6	0	6	5	23.00
Litchfield	Edna L. Byram	374.00	8	6.3	2	2	7	50.00
Central	Edna L. Marston	340.00	10	7	4	4	4	37.25
Porter's Landing	Fannie B. Mitchell	374.00	19	15.6	4	14	17	102.25
Wolf's Neck	Harriet A. Royal	374.00	6	5.8	1	18	3	35.00
Pleasant View	Agnes W. Dunning	340.00	10	8.5	21	3	2	20.00
Pleasant Hill	Hazel Keniston	408.00	22	15.4	0	41	9	45.00
Music	Hazel D. Wilson	306.00						
Manual Training	Herbert L. Johnson	750.00						
Totals		\$10,829.00	495	405.66	617	161	337	\$4,009.75

To the Citizens of Freeport:—

In submitting to you the following recommendations, you will see that we are asking for an increase in our High School fund. This is based upon the actual cost of maintaining the school last year, with an increase sufficient to retain or secure an adequate teaching force. In order to do this we must pay what other towns in the state are paying those teachers who are working hard and giving to their schools the results of their work.

We are asking for more money than has formerly been appropriated, for our common schools. This becomes necessary in order that we may hire efficient teachers and meet the increased expense of fuel, conveyance, etc.

The expenditures for books and supplies will be more, owing to a substantial increase in our school population.

The Committee feel that the time is come when the introduction of Domestic Science can not wisely be withheld from our schools. In asking for an appropriation under this head, we believe that the schools will be advanced as the progress of the times demands.

We wish we could say something to induce the parents and friends to more frequently visit the schools. Such visits encourage the teachers and scholars and brighten up the school life, making both teaching and study more cheerful occupations.

During the fall term it was impossible to get the best results in some of our schools, owing to influenza, but we feel the assurance that in the main, "progress" has been the watchword of our Superintendent, teachers and pupils.

Recommendations :—

Common Schools	\$5,500.00
High School	3,600.00
Text Books and Supplies	1,000.00
Repairs and Insurance	1,100.00
Manual Training	275.00
Salary of Superintendent	350.00
Salary of School Committee	100.00
Domestic Science	500.00

E. BELLE STANWOOD	} Superintending School Committee
A. L. GOULD	
PEREZ BURR	

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Balance, February 1, 1918,	\$ 251.42
Appropriation	4,000.00
School & Mill Fund	1,760.55
Common School Fund	2,303.03
Pownal, tuition	156.00
Mildred Toothaker, refund	2.00
Hattie Weston	.28
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	\$8,473.28

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' Salaries	\$6,273.07
Janitors' " "	587.75
Fuel	871.22
Conveyance	718.00
Balance, February 1, 1919	23.24
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	\$8,473.28

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Willis Hussey	\$163.75
S. G. Brewer	496.00
Hattie Weston	461.00
Fannie Dunham	441.50
Delia Bowden	108.00
Helen Strout	384.50
Lydia Noyes	121.25
Agnes Dunning	348.00
Frances Chapman	6.75
Alice Curtis	287.00
Fannie Mitchell	375.00
Grace Parker	128.00

Edna Byram	384.20
Mildred Toothaker	40.80
Mildred Stowell	85.40
Ada Snow	359.50
Mary Royal	308.70
Mary Brown	116.66
Bessie Lamb	65.00
Violette Welch	341.06
Ellen Mitchell	216.00
Ruth Brown	200.00
Hazel Keniston	276.00
Edna Marston	190.00
Hazel Wilson	199.00
Grace Marston	27.00
Harriett Royal	143.00

JANITORS

D. P. Allen	\$ 364.00
W. E. Liscord	43.00
S. G. Brewer	40.45
Fannie Mitchell	19.80
Alice Curtis	16.50
Agnes Dunning	13.30
Lydia Noyes	6.30
Willis Hussey	5.00
Grace Parker	6.30
Edna Byram	13.30
Mary Royal	4.50
Bessie Lamb	10.00
Ada Snow	11.80
Ruth Brown	6.00
Harriett Royal	2.50
Hazel Keniston	7.00
Edna Marston	5.00
Hattie Weston	13.00

FUEL

Willis Soule	\$410.07
S. M. Towle	22.50
B. S. Gilmore	24.00
George Guppy	18.15
Mary Royal	.90
G. C. Bibber	7.50
S. G. Brewer	8.00
D. P. Allen	2.50
Agnes Dunning	8.00
Earle Noyes	35.06
W. H. McCausland	31.20
E. W. Conant	13.50
Clayton Soule	84.00
Emmons Verrill	3.50
Willis Hussey	5.46
J. R. Coty	41.50
Lewis Strout	3.90
Charles Marstellar	24.00
Fannie Mitchell	3.85
Willis Brewer	30.00
Perez Burr	14.25
Blaine Litchfield	10.00
E. F. Morton	14.00
G. R. Gardner	20.00
E. H. Malm	3.75
Howard Waite	1.25
Charles Brown	4.38
William Winslow	26.00

CONVEYANCE

Frank Rogers	90.40
Frank Todd	105.00
Mrs. Joseph Lee	15.00
Annie Brewer	162.00

Bertha Heywood	45.60
George Wilbur	155.00
Leon Mayberry	80.00
William Grant	45.00
Mrs. G. N. Bucklin	20.00

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLY ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$ 850.00
F. H. Byram, books sold	17.78
Overdrawn, February 1, 1919	.77
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	\$868.55

EXPENDITURES

For common schools	\$635.45
For high school	233.10
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	\$868.55

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Howard Waite	\$ 5.00
C. L. Svensen	6.75
World Book Co.,	29.07
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun	8.00
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.	19.41
Benjamin Sanborn & Co.	27.32
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	18.57
Remington Typewriter Co.	2.00
MacMillan Co.	32.63
Allyn & Bacon	61.83
E. E. Babb & Co.	18.37
A. N. Palmer	5.60

D. C. Heath & Co.	75.34
Oliver Ditson Co.	5.63
Boylston Pub. Co.	5.71
Silver, Burdett & Co.	25.44
American Book Co.	41.43
Ginn & Co.	147.43
Fannie Mitchell	1.38
H. W. Shaylor	12.00
Willis E. Libby	20.25
Mitchell's Cash Store	5.91
Freeport Press	16.85
L. C. Smith & Bros.	5.00
F. H. Byram	41.28
Edwards & Walker	2.40
L. E. Knott & Co.	49.53
D. Appleton & Co	27.08
Gregg Pub. Co.	10.16
Burbank Douglass & Co.	7.00
Loring, Short & Harmon	12.93
Milton Bradley Co.	25.86
John H. Carter	27.00
Leon Mayberry	1.00
Mary H. Hyde	7.20
Stephen Mitchell	6.38
F. A. Taylor	2.91
Orient Spray Co.	21.56
J. L. Hammett Co.	29.34

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$3,200.00
State Aid	\$500.00
Pownal, tuition	324.00
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	\$4,024.00

EXPENDITURES

Teachers	\$2,869.11
Janitors	306.00
Fuel	578.57
Balance, February 1, 1919	270.32
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	\$4,024.00

TEACHERS' SALARIES

James Lewis	\$ 36.97
Fred Bartlett	63.33
William Simonton	153.33
Bertha Whittemore	210.00
Mina Ambrose	210.00
Algie Cummings	589.50
Carl Timberlake	224.00
Emma Dawson	595.16
Florence Day	455.32
Myrtle McIntire	331.50

 JANITORS

W. E. Liscord	44.00
D. P. Allen	250.00
F. A. Taylor	12.00

FUEL

S. M. Towle	55.00
W. N. Grant	20.00
W. H. Soule	448.67
J. R. Coty	14.50
Aubrey Ruggles	3.15
E. W. Conant	10.25
G. R. Gardner	20.00
E. F. Morton	7.00

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$1,100.00
Edw. H. Davis	25.00
Willis H. Soule	25.00
Stanley Wood	68.40
Overdrawn, February 1, 1919	284.24
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	\$1,502.64

EXPENDITURES

For common schools	\$1,105.26
For high school	397.38
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	\$1,502.64

REPAIRS, INSURANCE AND CLEANING

F. A. Taylor	\$133.41
C. E. Libby	3.00
W. B. Hussey	1.90
Edward H. Davis	263.85
Willis Soule	314.64
D. P. Allen	63.35
H. S. Meyer	35.00
F. H. Byram	17.71
Allen, Sterling & Lothrop	12.60
Leon Mayberry	46.00
Edgar S. Pritham	58.00
S. J. Edwards	10.00
C. E. Hicks	5.77
Universalist Parish	185.00
F. E. Gould	1.50
Hazel M. Jackson	3.50

Agnes Dunning	3.00
Perez Burr	15.00
E. E. Pinkham	187.90
Stephen Mitchell	48.00
Elmer L. Porter	72.51
W. A. Given	21.00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$350.00
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EXPENDITURES

F. H. Byram	\$350.00
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$100.00
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EXPENDITURES

E. Belle Stanwood	33.34
Perez Burr	33.33
A. L. Gould	33.33
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	\$100.00

MANUAL TRAINING ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$275.00
State Aid	366.67
Balance, March 1, 1918	24.32
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	\$665.99

EXPENDITURES

H. L. Johnson, instruction	\$609.70
F. A. Taylor, supplies etc.	10.50
Stephen Mitchell “	3.90
King & Dexter “	1.63
Elmer Porter	6.73
Balance March 1, 1919	33.53
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	\$665.99

Town Clerk's Report

The following Births, Marriages and Deaths have been recorded since the published report of 1918.

BIRTHS

1918

- Feb. 11 To Erie A. and Helen Haines, a son, Erie Alan.
- Feb. 12 To Harry M. and Jeanette S. Byram, a son, Harry Melcher, Jr.
- Feb. 13 To Charles M. and Hazel N. Stetson, a daughter, Mirian Elvia.
- Feb. 20 To Philip K. and Hildua K. Soule, a daughter, Christine Elizabeth.
- Feb. 21 To Arthur E. and Florence Holbrook, a daughter.
- Mar. 7 To George L. and Helen Curtis, a son, Burton Belmont.
- Mar. 19 To Everett N. and Florence Pratt, a daughter, Dorothy Hazel. Born at Milford, Mass.
- Apr. 6 To Byron G. and Beatrice A. Anderson, a son, Stanwood Lowell.
- Apr. 6 To Victor H. and Marietta L. Coffin, a son, Hollis Maynard.

- Apr. 6 To Charles E. and Martha L. Monaghan, a son,
Albert Bailey.
- Apr. 6 To Elmer A. and Sarah M. Wilson, a son, Norman
Kenneth.
- Apr. 7 To William D. and Alice G. Moody, a daughter,
Emma Frances.
- Apr. 15 To Clyde L. and Maggie M. Norton, a son, Leroy
Clyde.
- Apr. 17 To William H. and Lottie M. Martin, a daughter,
Margaret Elizabeth.
- Apr. 20 To William M. and Annie Thompson, a son, Wil-
liam Mark Thompson, Jr.
- Apr. 24 To Sidney M. and Annie A. Towle, a son, Clive
Merton.
- Apr. 26 To Leroy E. and Maggie M. Oliver, a son, Philip
Roland.
- May 7 To Chester A. and Bessie Brown, a son, Chester
Burton.
- May 7 To Guy L. and Gladys J. Ringrose, a son, Gordon
William.
- May 22 To Fred L. and Edith L. Davis, a daughter, Esther
Louise.
- May 23 To James J. and Fannie E. Scott, a daughter,
Ruth Scott.
- May 23 To James J. and Fannie E. Scott, a daughter,
Rachel Scott.
- May 24 To William L. and Lola M. Strout, a daughter.
- June 3 To Ralph E. and Auta Cummings, a daughter,
Bella Elizabeth.

- June 23 To Julian H. and Altae M. Sylvester, a son,
Julian H., Jr.
- July 27 To David H. and Josephine Longway, a daughter.
- Aug. 6 To Raymond H. and Stella A. Brewer, a daughter,
Virginia Sterling.
- Aug. 8 To Roy F. and Flora Litchfield, a daughter, Alice
Rebecca.
- Aug. 22 To Archie W. and Geneva Dennison, a daughter,
Priscilla.
- Aug. 24 To Franklin F. and Hilda D. Gould, a daughter,
Katherine MacLeod.
- Aug. 31 To Harold N. and Martha P. Curtis, a daughter,
Hope.
- Sept. 9 To George M. and Anna D. Bragg, a son, George
Everett.
- Sept. 22 To Deane S. and Ruth Peacock, a son, Deane S.
Peacock, Jr.
- Sept. 29 To Leon C. and Edna Cushing, a son, Leon Clem-
ent, Jr.
- Oct 4 To John D. and Flossie Treferthen, a son, Charles C.
- Oct 11 To Leon N. and Kathleen Reynolds, a daughter,
Capitola Muriel.
- Nov. 9 To George W. and Nellie M. Coffin, a son, Clifford
Hyde.
- Nov. 16 To George H. and Grace Randall, a daughter.
- Dec. 2 To Laban P. and Harriet Hilton, a son.
- Dec. 7 To Daniel E. and Frances Randall, a daughter,
Marion Elizabeth.

- Dec. 15 To Arthur B. and Grace Page, a daughter, Nelly Grace.
- Dec. 16 To Joseph and Leona Perry, a son, Lawrence Ralph.
- Dec. 28 To Leland S. and Elizabeth Soule, a daughter, Elizabeth Gertrude.
- Dec. 30 To Perley E. and Lucy Winslow, a son.
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- Jan. 28 To William J. and Florence Hubbard, a son, Harry Stephen.

MARRIAGES

1918

- Feb. 11 Harry Herbert Knight of Boston, Mass., and Ida Brazis of Freeport. Married at Portland
- Feb. 15 Charles Edward Allen and Eleanor Margaret True, both of Freeport.
- Feb. 23 Lawrence Porter Soule and Mary Lena Allen, both of Freeport. Married at Portland.
- Feb. 22 George I. Prout and Ada Emery Winslow, both of Freeport. Married at Brunswick.
- Apr. 20 Lloyd Mayne Kendall of Freeport and Edna Ballard Wilson of Lewiston. Married at Portland.
- May 7 Wilson N. Grant and Elizabeth H. Stilphen, both of Freeport. Married at Lisbon Falls.
- June 15 George H. Randall and Grace Parker, both of Freeport. Married at Freeport.
- June 24 George H. Whitney of Lewiston and Emmie Maud Bailey of Auburn. Married at Freeport.

- June 24 Thomas Valentine Nugent and Alfretta Clara Johnson, both of Freeport. Married at Yarmouth.
- July 8 Elmer Leforest Graves and Ella Jane Billings, both of Freeport. Married at Rumford.
- July 19 Samuel Roland Sylvester of Freeport and Ella May Wylie of Lynn, Mass. Married at Bowdoinham.
- July 24 Roland Ellsworth Whitney of Standish and Eva Nettie Sawyer of East Gray. Married at Freeport.
- July 24 Aubrey Ernest Sylvester and Edith Mae Thompson, both of Freeport.
- July 30 Aylmer Doran Grant of Sangerville and Ethel Maud Silver of Dexter. Married at Freeport.
- Aug. 9 Thomas Cummings Randall and Sarah Elizabeth Soule, both of Freeport.
- Aug. 17 Morris Allen Marr and Delia Etta Merryman, both of Freeport.
- Aug. 21 Ashley Maynard Sylvester and Frances Jane Thompson, both of Freeport.
- Aug. 24 Fred Arthur Wentworth of Freeport and Dotis F. Myers of Richmond. Married at Freeport.
- Sept. 7 Albert J. Merriman of Harpswell and Abbie W. Snow of Freeport. Married at Brunswick.
- Sept. 14 Frank Richardson Lane and Addie Isabel Winslow, both of Freeport. Married at Portland.
- Sept. 21 Waldo Wilson Soule and Gladys Jessie Russell, both of Freeport. Married at Portland.
- Sept. 28 Leslie Bernard Judkins of Dover and Ellen Frances Larkin of Portland. Married at Freeport.

- Oct. 7 Kenneth Martin Causland and Edna Cora Dennison,
both of Freeport.
- Oct. 12 Horace Mann of Freeport and Rubie Pillsbury of
Nashua, N. H. Married at Nashua, N. H.
- Oct. 30 Robert Leland Harris and Lenora Etta Bates, both
of Freeport. Married at Freeport.
- Dec. 3 Linwood Moses Noyes and Margaret M. Evans,
both of Portland. Married at Freeport.
- Dec. 14 Charles Henry Guppy and Theoda May McMillan,
both of Freeport. Married at Portland.
- Dec. 21 Charles Edward Hilton and Alice Mae Welch, both
of Freeport. Married at Portland.
- Dec. 26 Leon Chester Maybury and Alice H. Pettengill,
both of Freeport.

DEATHS

1918

- Feb. 11 George Chadsey, age 81 years, 6 months. Son of
Abel and Elizabeth Chadsey.
- Feb. 13 Marjorie R. Litchfield. Daughter of John F. and
Emma R. Litchfield, age 18 years, 2 months, 6
days.
- Feb. 22 Margaret A. Griffin, age 32 years, 2 months, 28
days. Daughter of John L. and Viola Craig.
- Feb. 22 Thomas J. Mann, age 76 years, 4 months, 9 days.
Son of James and Penelope Mann.
- Mar. 1 Edwin Byram, age 39 years, 11 months, 22 days.
Son of Albert C. and Helen Byram.

- Mar. 5 William H. Alden, age 78 years, 1 month, 15 days.
Son of Charles and Eliza Alden.
- Mar. 5 Nancy E. Wilson, age 73 years, 3 months, 9 days.
Daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Poor.
- Mar. 27 Alma G. Dennison, age 70 years, 1 month, 5 days.
Daughter of Robert and Patience Goddard.
- Apr. 3 John J. Kelley, age 37 years, 2 months, 23 days.
Son of Bernard and Sarah Kelley.
- Apr. 3 Charles Pritham, age 79 years, 4 months, 4 days.
Son of Samuel S. and Matilda Pritham.
- Apr. 29 Josiah P. Merrill, age 79 years, 7 months, 14 days.
Son of Josiah W. and Catherine Merrill.
- May 6 Lillian B. Bowie, age 25 years, 6 months, 12 days.
Daughter of Francis J. and Ellen E. Boynton.
- May 11 Harvey H. Cole, age 25 years, 11 months, 23 days.
Son of Henry H. and Lizzie Cole.
- May 21 Nellie S. Winslow, age 72 years, 1 month, 14 days.
Daughter of S. G. and Lucy Humphrey.
- May 22 William H. Bailey, age 82 years, 5 days. Son of
Seth and Sophia Bailey.
- May 29 Ruth Scott, age 6 days. Daughter of James and
Fannie Scott.
- May 30 Mary J. Rogers, age 80 years, 1 month, 27 days.
Daughter of Thomas and Jane Mann.
- June 12 Mary Ella Ruggles, age 67 years, 5 months, 15
days. Daughter of William and Penn Nethery.
- June 19 Walter Hill Bailey, age 59 years, 7 days. Son of
Frederick and Eliza Bailey.

- June 27 Samuel H. Davis, age 77 years, 5 months, 22 days.
Son of Samuel and Charity Davis.
- June 30 Rachel Scott, age 1 month, 7 days. Daughter of
James and Fannie Scott.
- July 14 Estella M. Lewis, age 46 years, 7 months, 14 days.
Daughter of Winfield and Aurilla Martin.
- July 15 Jason Russell, age 82 years, 1 month, 29 days.
Son of Leonard and Lavinia Russell.
- July 21 Mrs. Annie A. Noyes, age 61 years, 1 month.
Daughter of William and Mary Baker. Died at
Brunswick.
- July 21 Herbert C. Haley, age 11 years, 6 months, 17 days.
Son of Jesse and Eva Haley.
- July 25 John Hallet, age 55 years.
- July 27 Emily W. Kilby, age 88 years, 6 days. Daughter
of John and Hester Walrond.
- Sept. 30 Merton V. Howland, age 28 years, 4 days. Son
of Albert and Clara G. Howland.
- Oct. 17 Lewis M. Corliss, age 81 years, 10 months, 17 days.
Son of Osborne and Phoebe Corliss.
- Oct. 18 Penelope A. Cushing, age 70 years, 22 days.
Daughter of Nathan and Mary True.
- Oct. 26 Horace Rogers, age 80 years, 5 months, 28 days.
Son of George and Margaret Rogers.
- Nov. 11 Samuel K. Coffin, age 76 years, 9 months, 27 days.
Son of Stephen and Mary A. Coffin.
- Nov. 21 Vinal E. Jackson, age 11 months, 27 days, son of
Everett and Hazel Jackson.

- Nov. 27 Rose M. Kimball, age 34 years, 5 months, 28 days.
Daughter of Harvey P. and Jennie Campbell.
- Nov. 30 Harriet G. Dunham, age 59 years, 8 months, 2
days. Daughter of Philo. and Geneva Cheny.
- Dec. 6 Charles E. Payson, age 75 years, 8 months, 16
days. Son of Edward Payson.
- Dec. 18 Henry F. Browne, age 64 years, 6 months, 7 days.
Son of George and Barbara Browne.
- 1919
- Jan. 3 George William Coffin, age 83 years, 3 months, 1
day. Son of George and Jane Coffin.
- Jan. 16 Elizabeth Curtis, age 83 years, 9 months, 25 days.
- Jan. 18 Clara Banks, age 67 years, 1 month, 14 days.
Daughter of Charles T. and Susan Dillingham.

PERSONS DYING OUT OF TOWN BUT BROUGHT TO
FREEPORT FOR BURIAL.

1918

- Jan. 29 Marcia A. Mitchell, age 77 years. Died at Boston,
Mass.
- Feb. 14 Lenora L. Osgood, age 65 years, 4 months, 8 days.
Died at Melrose, Mass.
- Mar. 10 Haidee C. Townsend, age 39 years, 11 months, 8
days. Daughter of Horace and Mary Townsend.
Died at Augusta.
- Mar. 19 Annie Townsend Randall, age 75 years, 7 months,
6 days. Daughter of Earl and Clara Townsend.
Died at Stoneham, Mass.
- Mar. 30 Florence H. Pratt, age 22 years, 1 month, 6 days.
Daughter of George H. and Charlotte Lavers.
Died at Worcester, Mass.

- Apr. 5 Charles C. Sydleman, age 58 years. Son of John and Sarah Sydleman. Died at Portland.
- May 25 Annabel A. Bonney, age 5 hours. Daughter of Roscoe and Ada Bonney. Died at Portland.
- June 9 Martha T. Reed, age 85 years, 6 months 19 days. Died at Newton, Mass.
- June 30 Olive A. Coffin, age 67 years, 4 months, 19 days. Daughter of David and Eliza Todd. Died at Yarmouth.
- July 23 Herbert W. Noyes, age 63 years, 4 months, 28 days. Son of Amos Noyes. Died at Portland.
- Aug. 17 Juniette Dickie, age 45 years, 11 months, 27 days. Died at Lynn, Mass.
- Sept. 21 Ellsworth L. Libby, age 1 year, 2 months, 9 days. Son of Leon L. and Myra Libby. Died at Pownal.
- Sept. 25 Mary L. Humphrey, age 30 years, 4 days. Daughter of Charles H. and Sarah Guppy. Died at Portland.
- Oct. 6 Walter L. Royal, 33 years, 2 months, 13 days. Died at Bridgewater, Mass.
- Oct. 8 George W. Holmes, age 67 years. Son of Hans and Manhu Holmes. Died at Portland.
- Oct. 22 Caroline L. Lapham, age 75 years, 5 months, 4 days. Died at East Longmeadow, Mass.
- Dec. 7 James Dunning Rogers, age 69 years, 4 months, 21 days. Son of George and Deborah Rogers. Died at Yarmouth.
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- Jan. 1 Isadora D. Wilbur, age 48 years, 9 months, 25 days. Daughter of George and Eleanor Dennison. Died at Yarmouth.

ROBERT E. RANDALL,
Town Clerk.

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
Monday, March 10, 1919
State of Maine.

Cumberland ss.,

To Willis E. Libby, a constable in the town of Freeport, in said county. Greetings :

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Freeport, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House on the 10th day of March, 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit :

- 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2 To receive and act on the report as submitted by the Town Officers.
- 3 To choose a Town Clerk, Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Auditor, member of the School Board, and all other necessary Town Officers.
- 4 To see if the town will vote to employ a night watchman and how much money the town will raise for same.
- 5 To see how much money the town will raise for roads, bridges and sidewalks.

6 To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" upon the adoption of the provision of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of 1901 as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1919.

7 To see if the town will raise and appropriate, in addition to the amount regularly raised and appropriated for the care of highways and bridges, the sum of \$798.00 being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under provision of Chapter 112 of Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907 as amended by Chapter 69 Public Laws for the year 1909.

8 To see if the town will raise \$454.20 for maintenance of Federal Road as allotted by the State.

9 To see if the town will raise \$40.00 for maintenance of State Aid Road.

10 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for snow bills.

11 To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for repairs on Main Street and sidewalk at South Freeport, to be completed by June 1st.

12 To see if the town will vote to repair road from Grover's Crossing to Federal road, to be completed by June 1st.

13 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for support of Poor.

14 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for contingent expenses.

15 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for water rental.

16 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for common schools, heating and janitor.

17 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for maintaining a free High School.

18 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for text books and supplies.

19 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for repairs of school buildings and insurance.

20 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for salary of Superintendent of Schools.

21 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for services of the Superintending School Committee.

22 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for Manual Training.

23 To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School Committee to maintain a school at such places as average attendance falls below eight.

24 To see if the town will vote to instruct the Treasurer to sign deeds releasing all the title the town may have in any real estate sold for taxes on settlement of said taxes in any way satisfactory to the Selectmen.

25 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.

26 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the Fire Department.

27 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the B. H. Bartol Library.

28 To see how much money the town will vote to raise for street lights.

29 To see if the town will vote to locate two lights on Pownal Street; one near the house owned by Mrs. Rose Mitchell, and one other, also one on Green Street opposite residence of Miss Katherine Merrill, and raise money for same.

30 To see what action the town will take in relation to licensing residents and non-residents to take clams within limits of said town in conformity with existing laws.

31 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make a temporary loan in anticipation of collection of taxes and how much.

32 To see if the town will vote that a discount shall be made to those who voluntarily pay their taxes to the collector on or before a certain date.

33 To see how much money the town will vote for Bustin Island Corporation.

34 To see if the town will vote to raise a certain sum of money to be set aside to be used in celebrating the One Hundredth Anniversary of our State in the year 1920.

35 To see if the town will vote to raise \$50.00 for care of Park.

36 To see what action the town will take to retire the School Bonds when they come due and raise money for the same.

37 To see what action the Town will take in regard to disposition of High School Building.

38 To see if the Town will raise \$1,125.00 for 1 year's interest on the School Bonds.

39 To see if the town will vote to pay the bill of the High School Building Committee of \$375.00.

40 To see if the town will vote to elect a board of overseers of the poor for three-year terms, the term of one member to expire each year.

41 To see if the town will vote to create a special Municipal board of Mother's Aid, to consist of three members, at least one of whom shall be one of the board of overseers of the poor, and at least one of whom shall be a woman, to serve for three-year terms, the term of one member to expire each year.

42 To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to cut the bushes and gravel the road from the Robert Mitchell house on the Federal Road to the Central school-house; the money used for this to be taken from the money already raised for roads.

43 To see if the town will vote to set a date when poll and personal taxes shall be paid.

44 To see if the town will vote to construct a steel or wooden bridge over Collins' Mill and raise the necessary money to do the same in addition to the 1918 appropriation.

45 To see if the town will vote to raise \$100.00 to gravel the Durham road from Russell's to Henry Ells'.

46 To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen whom they shall appoint as Road Commissioner.

47 To see if the town will vote to combine the office of Treasurer and Tax Collector.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters at the town office at two o'clock in the afternoon, Saturday, March 8, 1919.

Given under our hands at Freeport, this first day of March, A. D. 1919.

L. G. CUSHING	}	Selectmen
H. S. TALBOT		of
W. W. FISH		Freeport.

