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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# Municipal Officers

OF THE

# TOWN OF POLAND

## MAINE

For the Year Ending February 15th

1929

PRESS OF
MERRILL & WEBBER COMPANY
AUBURN, MAINE

#### TOWN OFFICERS

1928

Town Clerk
C. C. MITCHELL

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor R. L. CHIPMAN LEO G. TORREY

H. C. FELKER

Town Treasurer
C. C. MITCHELL

Constables

ALMON WATERHOUSE

FRED E. MOORE

Collector and Constable ARTHUR B. GRANT

Road Commissioner E. R. RIDLEY

School Board

CHAS. L. PULSIFER MARY B. CHIPMAN ROGER L. GOWELL

Superintendent of Schools HARRIET M. SPILLER

Board of Health

GEORGE P. PULSIFER ROGER L. GOWELL GEORGE E. CHIPMAN

Health Officer
GEORGE P. PULSIFER

Sealer of Weights and Measures
J. W. BOOTHBY

Fire Warden
ALMON WATERHOUSE

Deputy Forest Fire Warden R. L. CHIPMAN

### ANNUAL REPORT

# Of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

	12		
For the year ending	February 15	, 192	8
Real Estate, resident,	\$ 694,375	00	×
Real Estate, non-resident,	301,775		
	-	- 1	
Total real estate,		\$	996,150 00
Personal Estate, resident,	\$ 179,087	00	
Personal Estate, non-resident,	46,065	00	
Total personal esta	te,	\$	225,152 00
Grand total,		\$1	1,221,302 00
Kinds and Value of	Personal Pr	oper	ty
Live Stock	No.	•	Value
Horses,	262		\$ 20,920 00
Colts, 2 to 3 years,	16		620 00
Cows,	474		25,350 00
Oxen Bull,	17		695 00
Three years old,	76		4,025 00
Two years old,	98		4,035 00
Hens over fifty,	2297		2,232 00
Swine, over 10 in No.,	158	4	2,840 00
			\$ 60,717 00
Exempt L	ive Stock		t
Live Stock			<b>T</b> 7 1
	No.		Value
One year old, Sheep,	115		\$ 2,135 00
oneep,			75 00

Swine,	144	2,107 00
Hens,	4453	4,442 00
Total exempt stock	* **	\$ 7,759 .00 perty:
An Other Mids o	i i cisonai i ioj.	
Money at interest,	1	\$ 10,000 00
Stock in trade,	9	15,700 00
Small Boats,	59	1,900 00
Logs,	165M	1.650 00
Wood,	30 cords	120 00
Lumber,	460M	5,500 00
Carriages,	25	1,200 00
Automobiles,	320	48,140 00
Musical Instruments.	91	8,930 00
Material in Stock,		15,000 00
Furniture,		28,600 00
Radios,		2,335 00
Other Property,		25,360 00
Total,		\$164,435 00
Live stock brought forward,		60,717 00
Total amount of	personal	
property,		\$225,152 00
	ATS	100

#### Rate of Taxation

\$35.00 on \$1,000.00. Poll tax, \$3.00. No. of Polls taxed, 399. Collector's commission, \$.01 on \$1.00 and postage. Polls not taxed, 51.

Agreeable to warrants from State and County Treasurers and Certificate from the Town Clerk, we have assessed upon the Polls and Estates the following sums:

State ta	х,	\$ 8,3	27 68
County,		2,3	69 05
- F 1 +			1
0.6	Total,		\$ 10.696 73

## VOTED BY THE TOWN, MARCH 12, 1928

Schools,	\$ 10,000 00
Repairs on school property,	1,500 00
Salary of Town Officers,	1,500 00
Graduation,	50 00
Road and bridges,	5,000 00
Snow bills,	2,000 00
Cormier road patrol,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	2,000 00
Collector's commission and abatements,	700 00
A. A. Dwinal Post, G. A. R.,	25 00
Contingent,	500 00
State Aid road,	732 00
Maintenance, State road,	900 00
Road, Square House towards Geo. Chip	pman, 300 00
Road, Harris Hill to McFalls,	400 00
Middle Lake road,	500 00
Schools, flags,	20 00
North Raymond road,	150 00
Maine Development Association,	300 00
Road, Poland sta. up Harris Hill,	300 00
Hard Scrabble road,	200 00
Range to Guy Mills,	150 00
Bonds and interest,	1,855 00
Guard railings,	300 00
School board,	75 00
Repairs, town buildings,	300 00
White Pine Blister,	200 00
Rogers Fibre Co., road,	500 00
Emma Myers, road,	500 00
Third Class road,	400 00
3	\$ 32,357 00
ę, · · · · ·	
State tax,	. \$ 8,327 68
County tax,	2,369 05
Overlay,	888 07

Supplemental tax,				531	35
Voted by town,			3	2,357	00
Total comr	nitment to co	ollector,	\$ 4	4,473	15
Received from collecte	or,		\$4	3,416	36
Uncollected,				302	01
Abatements,				139	54
Tax deeds bid in by to	own,			600	24
Watering tubs,				15	00
	,		\$ 4	4,473	15
COLLECTOR'S COI	MMISSION	AND AE	BATEI	MEN	TS
Appropriated,			\$	700	00
A. B. Grant's commiss	ກ່ວນ	\$ 444		, 00	
Abatements,	,1011,	139	_		
Tibatcines,		107	<del></del> \$	584	27
			Ψ		
Unexpende	d balance,	3.0	\$	115	73
Abatements, 1926, und Abatements, 1927, und	•	\$ 28 99			
			\$	127	84
Overdrawn			\$	12	11
	,		Τ		
UNP	AID TAXE	S, 1924			
John S. Briggs,			\$	<b>7</b> 9	80
UNPA	AID TAXE	S, 1925			
M. J. Ayer,			\$	7	80
John S. Briggs,			Ψ	55	
Herman Mixer,					20
T. H. Sidelinger,					24
			<u> </u>	70	62
			Ф	10	63

# UNPAID TAXES, 1926

M. J. Ayer,		\$	7 95
Roy Edwards,	)		3 00
G. M. Jordan,			15 70
Herman Mixer,		" "	4 32
Lester Strout,		1	1 32
M. C. Sawyer,			9 27
Arthur Strout,			5 97
T. H. Sidelinger,		(3)	4 24
John P. Thurston,		4.	2 55
Albert Tripp,			3 00
Edward Martin,			6 86
Sundry,			4 95
		\$	74 16
			11 100
UNPAID	TAXES,	1927	
M. J. Ayer,		\$	4 02
Bert Ames,		Ψ	33 09
Theopolis Barbrick,			1 55
L. O. Grant,		†	11 84
Mrs. James Hasey,			1 70
Dana Hodgkins,			87 32
Carl Heald,			5 55
,			15 24
G. M. Jordan,			21 53
Roy McCleary,			3 85
Herman Mixer,			1 19
Lester Strout,		1.54	3 65
Ralph Strout,		No.	
M. C. Sawyer,			5 04
F. E. Spaulding,			18 30
Arthur Strout,			10 48
Harold Tripp,			6 39
Albert Tripp,			4 02
Lendon Jackson			14 62
		\$	249 38

### UNPAID TAXES, 1928

Bert Ames.	\$	31 35
Theopolis Barbrick,		7 72
Frank Bussier,		3 00
John Bragdon,		3 87
Wm. Cannell,	4	3 00
Nelson Edwards,		3 00
Roy Edwards,		4 05
Fred Edwards,		3 00
I. T. Emery,		9 30
Claude Frank,		8 95
Oliver Flint.		6 85
Frank Fields,		1 05
L. O. Grant,		10 87
Frank Galipeau,		8 25
Frank Galipeau, Jr		12 80
Mrs. James Hasey,		1 22
Carl Heald,		5 27
G. M. Jordan,		16 12
Herman Mixer,	·	3 70
Roy McCleary.		31 52
C. A. Overall,		5 80
W. F. Perrier,		6 85
D. F. Reed.	t .	17 50
Lester Strout,	744	1 75
Ralph Strout.		3 35
M. C. Sawyer,		4 75
F. E. Spaulding,		8 25
Arthur Strout,		3 70
Manley B. Strout,		6 15
Lester Thurlow.	•	4 75
John P. Thurston,		3 00
Harold Tripp,		6 32
Geo. E. Tripp,		3 00
Darrell Tripp,		5 80
Albert Tripp,		3 00
Claude Verrill,		3 00

Harvey Walker,	5	80
Richmond Thurlow,	3	00
Frank Hodgkin,	20	30
S. E. Bradford,	11	05
F 2		
	\$ 302	01
SOLD FOR TAXI	ES, RESIDENT, 1928	
Bert Ames,	\$ 75	25
Theopolis Barbrick,	19	25
E. G. Boyker,	18	55
Orrin Dyer,		87
Roy Edwards,	4	37
Fred Edwards,	5	25
Heirs of Bessie Field,	35	00
Frank Galipeau,	31	50
Mrs. James Hasey,	. 12	25
G. M. Jordan,	59	50
R. A. Keene,	45	50
Roy McCleary,	77	00
W. T. Perrier,	3	50
Annie Sawyer,	21	00
Lester Strout,	- 8	75
M. C. Sawyer,	14	00
F. E. Spaulding,	. 59	50
John P. Thurston,	5	25
Harold Tripp,	24	50
Harvey Walker,	. 5	60
Ella Damon,	1	75
	\$ 528	14
SOLD FOR TAXES,	NON-RESIDENT, 1928	( 6
Minnie Andrews,	\$ 17	50
C. K. Donnell,	10	
Dana Hodgkins,	17	
John Lavin,		50

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F. L. Montagne,				35
Heirs of N. Q. Pope,				75
P. G. Wilson,			14	00
			\$ 72	10
WATERING TUI	BS			
Por Kimball			\$ 5	00
Roy Kimball, Excelsior Grange,		•		00
J. A. Pike,				00
J. 11. 11.0,		_		
			§ 15	00
CONTINGENT				
Cr.				
Appropriation, \$	500			
Railroad and telegraph tax,	696			
Overlay in assessing,	888	07		
Received from State, tax on bank	-10	<b>=</b> 0		
stock,	718			
Supplemental tax,	531			
Dog licenses refunded by State,		03		
	13,000			
Rent of Town Hall,	288	W		
Received of Arthur L. Mason, Owen	100	$\Omega$		
shop, Fidolity Trust Co. interest checking	100	UU		
Fidelity Trust Co., interest checking account,	94	50		
Received from C. E. Records, blister	ノエ			
rust,	5	83		
			16,909	57
Dr.				
Coo D Dulaifon has 141 - 1007 1	170	20		
Geo. P. Pulsifer, health officer, 1927, \$ Geo. Chipman, services board of	178	20		
health,	6	00		

C. M. Lane, labor on Town Hall,	20	00
John G. West, typewriting warrant,	2	10
Arthur Grant, constable work,	15	62
E. A. Libby, lumber,	7	77
L. A. McKnight, cash paid out,	4	88
R. L. Chipman, cash paid out,	5	50
Merrill & Webber Co., printing re-	Ar garage	er e
ports,	122	85
Jordan & Jordan, auditing books,	100	00
P. R. Everett, moderator, town meet-	11 12-1	1 10 1 20 10
ing,	5	00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books for	f	
assessors,	12	25
Newell White, blank for town clerk,	2	15
York County Mutual Insurance Co.,	25	90
Assessors, auto tax service, tax list,	5	00
W. & L. E. Gurley, seals for meas-		1
ures and weights,	6	75
Merrill & Denning, supplies for town		
clerk,	11	15
Gledhill-Huskins Agency, compensa-		
tion insurance,	236	00
Geo. P. Pulsifer, officers' bonds,	85	00
Storer Print Shop, envelopes for		10 2 7 7
Treas.,	4	50
Loring, Short & Harmon, Treas.		4.5
Rec. Book,	1	00
H. C. Felker, cash paid out,	20	20
R. L. Chipman. cash paid out,	19	00
Loring, Short & Harmon, col.		1
book,	2	00
Leo. G. Torrey, cash paid out,	16	15
V. P. Waterhouse, premium town		and the second
farm Ins.,	8	50
Almon Waterhouse, janitor,	82	00
B. A. Carpenter, Ballot Clerk,	16	00

J. W. Boothby, freight on weights		
and measures,	4	80
E. C. Jordan, supplies, town hall,	8	85
Storer Print Shop, letter heads for		
office,	2	00
City of Auburn, service at fire on		
Mechanic Falls Road,	57	50
E. C. Jordan, soda for fire,	3	60
Maine Central R. R., protection		
moving blds.,	1	13
Ida E. Strout, Ballot Clerk,	16	00
Susie E. Chipman, Election Clerk,	16	00
Merrill & Denning, antitoxin, Bd.		
Health,	3	00
H. H. Hays Sons, Formaldehyde,		
Bd. Health,	11	66
Loring, Short & Harmon, Tax		
Col. Blanks,	1	60
G. W. Blair, Gate tender,	16	00
A. E. Hodgkins, Slabs Town Hall,	5	50
Fidelity Trust Co., Note and Int., 3	3,075	00
Storer Print Shop, Printing Col-		
lector,	16	50
Lewiston Sun, Advertising taxes,	10	グロ
$T \wedge XXI'11' \qquad XI \qquad T$	12	13
J. A. Williams, M. D., services,	12	13
Health Dept.,	12 29	
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept.,	29	
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services,	29	50
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., report- ing births and deaths,	29 7	50
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., report- ing births and deaths, J. A. Williams, M.D., reporting	29 7	50 00
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., report- ing births and deaths, J. A. Williams, M.D., reporting births and deaths,	<ul><li>29</li><li>7</li><li>1</li></ul>	50 00
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., reporting births and deaths, J. A. Williams, M.D., reporting births and deaths, E. Leathers, M.D., reporting births	<ul><li>29</li><li>7</li><li>1</li><li>3</li></ul>	<ul><li>50</li><li>00</li><li>75</li></ul>
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., reporting births and deaths, J. A. Williams, M.D., reporting births and deaths, E. Leathers, M.D., reporting births deaths,	<ul><li>29</li><li>7</li><li>1</li><li>3</li></ul>	50 00 00
Health Dept., W. W. Bolster, M. D., services, Health Dept., Geo. A. Ellingwood, M.D., reporting births and deaths, J. A. Williams, M.D., reporting births and deaths, E. Leathers, M.D., reporting births	<ul><li>29</li><li>7</li><li>1</li><li>3</li></ul>	<ul><li>50</li><li>00</li><li>75</li></ul>

C. K. Donnell, M.D., reporting	100
births and deaths,	25
W. W. Bolster, M.D., reporting	计学 医马克特克勒
births and deaths,	50
H. E. Doughty, M.D., reporting	the state of the
births and deaths,	<i>75</i> ·
G. E. Desaulniers, M.D., reporting	2 1 2 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
births and deaths,	25
R. M. Small, M.D., reporting	
births and deaths,	25
L. A. Sweatt, M.D., reporting	
births and deaths, 1	50
Wm. S. Garcelon, M. D., reporting	If the season of
births and deaths,	25
C. B. Rankin, M.D., reporting	C. Carrier
births and deaths,	75
Edwin Marston, M.D., reporting	
births and deaths,	25
Leo O'Roy, M.D.; reporting births	
and deaths,	25
Amy B. Keene, Enrollment Clerk, 4	00
City of Auburn, Pumper at fire,	11/2 20 - 24/2
W. Poland, 152	00
A. E. Hodgkins, gas and oil for	
fire truck, 5	55
W. L. Cole, watching fire, 4	00
A. M. Thurlow, labor on marble	
shop.	.00
H. E. Parker, labor on marble	Van de la company
shop, 5	00
E. C. Jordan, soda and acid for	2 2 2 2 3 4 3 5 C
chemical, 7	30
Merrill & Webber Co., voting lists, 27	75
* * /	03
F. C. Currier, gate tender, 16	00
Town of Mechanic Falls Fire	Assign 1. to
Dept., services at W. Poland, 126	00

Gledhill - Huskins Co., compensa-		
tion Ins.,	435	<b>2</b> 9
Johnson & Higgins, insurance on		
Hall,	150	00
Merrill & Webber, envelopes for		
Treas.,	4	<i>7</i> 5
Fidelity Trust Co., note and int.,	5,125	00
A. J. Weston Co., lumber, steps,		
Town Hall,	1	54
Niles Machine Co., signs,	10	18
A. J. Weston Co., coal, Town		
Hall,	16	32
Hiram A. Tripp, watching fire, W.		
Poland,	15	00
Stanley Tripp, watching fire, W.		
Poland,	15	00
Storer Print Shop, printing for		
Treasurer,	4	00
Fidelity Trust Co., note and int.,	5,125	00
York Co. Mutual Ins. Co., insur-		
ance assessment,	26	60 -
Jessie Ochampaugh, Election		
Clerk,	16	00
City of Auburn, fire truck, fire,		
E. Poland,	40	00
E. C. Jordan, Electric light bulbs,		
Town Hall,	2	10
C. C. Mitchell, cash paid out,	27	<i>7</i> 0 -
Central Me. Gen. Hospital, ser-		
vices Health Dept.,	7	00
Geo. A. Ellingwood, services,		
Health Dept.,	17	10
Central Me. Power Co., lights,		
Town Hall,	3,1	19
Supt. of Schools, cash paid, post-		
age and telephone,	16	56

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Newell Whitney, work, making steps, Town Hall, Fred Edwards, Blister Rust wood E. L. Dudley, Eddie Fortier, Blister Rust wood Chas. Records,	rk, rk,	3	00 25 83		
Eddie Fortier, Blister Rust wo Heirs G. O. Goodwin,	rk,	19	06		
Total,	5 5	×**	\$	15,793	21
Unexpended,	- 2		\$	1,116	36
TOWN OFFI	CERS				
Appropriated, R. L. Chipman, balance sala	<b>*</b> *77		\$	1,500	00
1927,	\$	46	00	. 7	
L. A. McKnight, balance sala 1927.	ry,	36	$\Omega$		
E. A. Libby, salary, 1927,		120	-		
R. L. Chipman, part pay, 1928,		185			
Leo G. Torrey, part pay, 1928,		148	00	- 3	
H. C. Felker, part pay, 1928,		135	00	211	
Harriet M. Spiller, salary, 1928	,	122	04		
C. C. Mitchell, part salary, 192	8,	80	00		
	-		\$	872	04
		0.			
SCHOOL BO	DARD				
Appropriation,			\$	75	00
Charles L. Pulsifer,	\$	25	00		
Roger L. Gowell,		25			
Mary B. Chipman,		25			
			\$	<i>7</i> 5	00
		3.86			
MEMORIAL	DAY				
Appropriation,			\$	25	00

# Paid F. A. Millett, A. A. Dwinal Post, G. A. R., \$ 25 00

## SCHOOL FLAGS

Appropriation,		\$ 2	20 00
Balance unexpended,	7.	\$ 2	20 00
REPAIR OF TOWN BUILDINGS,	192	28 AND	1929
Appropriated,		\$ 30	00 00
Arthur B. Haskell, papering town			
farm, \$	10	00	
L. L. Emery, painting and mater-			
ial,	21	46	
B. Peck & Co., paper, town farm,	19	68	7.
E. C. Jordan, screen door, Dunn			
house,	6	50	3
H. W. Perkins, labor, office and		1-1	
Dunn House,	6	90	
A. J. Weston, screens, office and			
Dunn House,	23	87	
E. C. Jordan, roofing, Dunn House,	11	60	
Me. Central R. R., freight,	1	29	
Byron L. Strout, pipe and elbow,	3	70	
Claude Verrill, labor on water			
pipe, Town Farm,	19	55	
Wm. Waycott, labor on water pipe,			
Town Farm,	14	10	
A. J. Weston, shingles and nails,			
Dunn House,	1	32	
J. W. Penney & Sons, pipe, Town		M 10	
Farm,	8	36	111
E. C. Jordan, paper and glass,			
Dunn House,	7	24	
A. J. Weston, window, Dunn,			
House,	8	17	

H. W. Perkins, puttying windows, Dunn House,  1 50  \$ 165 24  Unexpended,  \$ 134 76  TOWN BONDS AND INTEREST  Appropriated, \$ 1,855 00  C. L. Keene, loan, First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, Lewiston Trust Co., coupons,  Total,  \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  RECOMMENDATIONS					
Unexpended, \$ 134 76  TOWN BONDS AND INTEREST  Appropriated, \$ 1,855 00 C. L. Keene, loan, \$ 1,000 00 First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, 427 50 Lewiston Trust Co., coupons, 427 50  Total, \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00 Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00		windows,	1 50	-	
Appropriated, \$ 1,855 00 C. L. Keene, loan, \$ 1,000 00 First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, 427 50 Lewiston Trust Co., coupons, 427 50  Total, \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00			\$ 	165 2	24 —
Appropriated, \$ 1,855 00 C. L. Keene, loan, \$ 1,000 00 First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, 427 50 Lewiston Trust Co., coupons, 427 50  Total, \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00	Unexpended,	of the	, \$.	134 %	76
C. L. Keene, loan, \$ 1,000 00 First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, 427 50 Lewiston Trust Co., coupons, 427 50  Total, \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00	TOWN BOND	S AND II	NTEREST		
First Auburn Trust Co., coupons, 427 50 Lewiston Trust Co., coupons, 427 50  Total, \$ 1,855 00  MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00			•	1,855 (	90
MAINE DEVELOPMENT  Appropriated, \$ 300 00  Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00	First Auburn Trust Co.,	coupons,	427 50	7 1/2 To	ī
Appropriated, \$ 300 00 Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00	Total,		\$	1,855 (	00
Paid State Treasurer, \$ 300 00	MAINE D	EVELOPM	IENT	2 - 10	
	Appropriated,	1/2	\$	300 (	00
RECOMMENDATIONS	Paid State Treasurer,	\$	300 00		
	RECOMI	MENDATIC	NS .	- (	9

We would recommend the following appropriations for 1929:

Roads and bridges, \$	6,000 00
Snow bills,	2,500 00
Collector's commission and abatements,	700 00
Support of Poor,	3,500 00
Maintenance of State Aid Road,	900 00
Town Officers' salary,	1,500 00
Contingent,	800 00

### Respectfully submitted,

R. L. CHIPMAN, LEO G. TORREY, H. C. FELKER,

Selectmen of Poland.

# REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

#### A. W. HACKETT FUND

Interest on Hackett Fund,		\$	621 46
Dr	•		
Irving Walker,	\$	<b>7</b> 4 58	
Lawrence Walker,	,	104 00	
Vernette Winslow,		104 00	
James Hasey,		338 88	
		\$	621 46

Mr. and Mrs. Reed are engaged to run the farm until April 1st, when a new Overseer will have to be hired.

They have kept everything about the place neat and clean and the inmates have been well cared for.

Inmates on the farm during the year were Maggie Alexander and Joe Jordan, for the entire year. Mrs. Sanborn was an inmate until July, when we took her to Sadie Barr's at East Poland, where she is at the present time. This change was made owing to the expense of a nurse who was required to care for her.

#### TOWN FARM, 1929

#### Dr.

8	Cows,		\$ 800 00
2	Horses,		250 00
51	Hens,		76 50
3	Tons hay and straw,	ø q	44 00
	Groceries on hand,		3 00

32	Cans corn,	. 6	40
100	lbs. pork,	20	00
14	Cans preserves,	2	80
140	bu. potatoes,	154	00
50	Cords of wood,	300	00
	Grain on hand,	27	59
	Oral E. Holmes, wagon,	24	00
	Florence Abrams, roller,	17	50
	D. F. Reed, salary,	720	00
	Haskell Implement and Seed		
	Co., wheel barrow,	7	20
	Richardson, Wright and Co.,		
	bed,	27	75
	A. W. Martin, grain and seed,	736	49
	E. C. Jordan, groceries,	366	49
	C. C. Giddinge, bull,	75	00
	J. F. Strout, blacksmithing,	28	48
	Haskell Imp. Co., for boiler,	5	00
	Lewiston Rubber Co., bed pan		
	and hot water bottle,	4	25
	Doyle's, dishes,	4	96
	A. L. & E. F. Goss, refrigera-	-0.	
	tor,	27	00
	A. L. & E. F. Goss, dishes,	6	53
	Roy McCleary, planting pota-		17
	toes,	8	00
	L. O. Mercier, cleaning quilts,	2	50
	Central Maine Power Co.,	1, 1 35	4
	lights,	24	36
	I. J. Tuttle, labor,	3	50
	E. R. Ridley, blueberries,	7	03
	B. Peck Co., shirts for J.		
	Jordan,	2	00
	E. E. Jackson, 2 cows,	190	00
	R. W. Hanscom, Jr., labor,	38	50
	Fogg's Leather Store, harness		
	repairs,	6	30

Josephine Reed, cash paid for	y= 1	1 1/215	7.8
corsets for Maggie,	1,	00	U. 3.
Claude Verrill, labor,	,14	00	
C. N. Waterhouse, milk		1.	
strainer,	5	90	4.5
Poland Tel. Co.,	37	10	
Mrs. M. Gandreau, labor,	56	00	
D. F. Reed, hay and oats,	14	00	
D. F. Reed, express paid on			
bed,	2	13	
F. A. Keene, canning corn,	21	60	
C. H. Tripp, saw wood,	45	00	
H. J. Johnston. labor,	27	00	
Alice Currier, nurse,	105	00	
Josephine Reed, for meat, fish	-61	1	
and berries,	,36	94	
R. L. Chipman,	1	50	
L. C. Records, meat and bread,	186	56	-
Alvah D. Strout, phosphate,	50	81	
E. L. Dudley, for cow,	67	50	
C. C. Giddinge, boot for cows,	97	00	
Mrs. Arthur Grant, for eggs,	5	75	
Mrs. W. E. Mann, vegetables,	3	20	
E. A. Libby, saw dust,	1	58	
John Schellinger, hay,	60	00	1.
Norris Hanscom, cutting wood,	45	00 ·	
M. L. Mills, for butter,	51	50	
M. L. Mills, for labor,	2	70	
Fred Strout, labor,	3	50	
T. Barbarick, labor,	36	75	
Freemont Coston, labor,	43	75	
Horace Files, fish,	10	45	
W. R. Harris, repairing har-	, if		
ness,	13	45	
Nelson Barter, labor,	13	20	
Amos Barter, labor,	12	91	
Roger L. Gowell, hay,	32	68	

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L. A. McKnight, seed potatoes,	21 00
Haskell Imp. and Seed Co., plow	100
repairs,	2. 32
Josephine Reed, stove, chairs,	1.4
bench, etc.,	64 00
Josephine Reed, for use of car,	5 00
113 mg	
Total,	\$ 5,214 91

### TOWN FARM, 1928-1929

Cr.

8	Cows, \$	700 00
2	Horses,	225 00
1	Bull,	100 00
60	Hens.	81 00
1	Calf,	10 00
29	Tons hay and straw,	290 00
	Grain on hand,	44 25
129	Cans corn,	25 80
50	lbs. pork,	8 00
25	Cords wood,	170 00
50	bu. potatoes,	37 50
	Groceries on hand,	14 28
28	jars preserves,	8 30
	Wagon,	24 00
	Roller,	17 50
	Bed,	27 75
	Stove, chairs, bench and wring-	
	er,	64 00
	Dishes,	11 49
	Refrigerator,	27 00
	Boiler,	5 00
	Milk strainer,	5 90
,	Milk sold,	809 34
	Telephone refund by D. F.	24.7
	Reed,	17 40

	Cows sold,		340	00		
	Veals sold,		185	00		
	Wood sold,		111	00	-	
	Potatoes sold,	0.00	68	00		
,	Hides sold,		8	70		- 0
	Corn sold,		7	68		
	Pasture, E. Scammon,		5	00		
	Total,			\$	3,448	89
		i				
Balar	nce against farm February	15, 1929,		\$	1,766	02

## SUPPORT OF POOR OFF FARM

Appropriated,		\$	2,000	OC
Received from State, State pauper,			121	41
Received from Town of Gray,			91	12
Received from State, Mothers' Aid,			500	00
Received from Alfred Perkins, for				
burial Geo. Perkins,			135	00
			0.045	
Total,		\$	2,847	53
T		0.0		
Lewis Walker, \$		00 -		
Colby Berry,	262	13		
James Hasey,	6	17		
Silas May,	332	87		
Algernon Cox,	240	00		
Clarence Bonney,	278	20		
Lewis Tripp,	189	25		
Grace Keene,	95	95		
Mel Frank,	137	09		
Ella Sanborn,	495	84		
Henry Martin,	102	94		
J. A. Williams, M.D., doctoring poor,	42	70		
John Sanborn, State pauper,	121	41		

Al. Thompson, "Town of Gray",		91	12		
Total cost off farm,		, w =	\$	2,401	67
Unexpended,		77	\$	445	86
DEPENDENT S	OLDI	ER			
Geo. Walker,			\$	324	00
			\$	121	86
MOTHERS'	AID		-		
Clara Bridgham, Blanche Birney,	\$	470 480			
Total,			\$	950	00
Overdrawn,			\$	828	14

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. CHIPMAN, LEO G. TORREY, H. C. FELKER, Overseers of Poor, Poland.

## ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

#### COMMON ROADS

E. R. Ridley,	\$	442 50
Ralph Dunn,		904 00
P. E. Dunn,		279 93
Royal Cobb,		42 88
Robert Smalley and truck,		131 23
V. E. Winslow,		<b>7</b> 0 00
Lowell Brown,		62 13
Forest Brown,		4 50
J. F. Strout, smithwork,		26 70
C. P. Strout,		94 50
W. E. Tripp,		192 01
F. B. Strout,		106 38
Silas Strout,		75 25
C. M. Blair,		127 47
Ralph Harlow,		108 25
Mellen Sawyer,		112 00
E. F. Korn,		85 62
Benj. Davis and truck,	-	402 75
Ralph Brackett and truck,		137 00
Roy McCleary, labor and hay,		341 74
Wilbur Berry and truck,		257 50
E. R. Ridley's truck,		65 25
B. L. Ames,	1	47 75
Wendall Strout,		10 50
E. C. Jordan,		77 93
A. W. Martin,		674 30
E. A. Libby,		23 50
Bailey Bros.,		17 71
Merrill & Denning,		8 58
M. C. R. R., freight,		36 31

J. P. Myers,	10 50
F. T. Sawyer,	57 05
F. C. Wescott,	204 24
Foye Wescott,	29 75
Claude Packard,	13 00
T. D. Blake,	439 64
Lewis Whittier,	8 75
Levi Stone, gravel,	5 00
R. B. Robbins, smithwork,	113 45
Guy Chipman,	29 75
Millard Lane,	19 25
Mrs. Ethel Files, board of to	wn
teamster,	11 50
W. H. Storer,	12 35
A. J. Weston & Co.,	37 76
John Edwards,	15 00
C. M. and M. F. Lane, straw,	26 00
E. W. Scammon,	21 00
E. R. Ridley, cash paid out,	1 65
James Bailey and Co.,	18 00
J. W. Penney and Son,	7 90
Sidney Peach,	67 67
Hannaford Perkins,	1 75
Jonas Edwards and Sons,	306 00
Fred Colbath,	50
G. R. Hunnewell,	29 46
Wiard Plow Co.,	20 80
Charles Hueston,	38 50
Charles Reynolds,	133 00
Leslie Grant,	40 00
Charles Plummer,	43 75
Roy Reyon,	12 25
C. E. Keene,	21 00
Donald Pulsifer,	5 00
Dr. George Inglis,	83 50
E. F. King,	22 13
E. Briggs,	41 00
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C. W. Merserve,	25	76		
Poland Tel Co.,	29	85		
Clifford Goodwin,	93	33		
J. C. Edwards,	38	50		
J. H. Fernald,		00		
Kenneth Edwards,	52	50		
Antonio Lheureux,		94		
Wilfred Perrier,		00		
R. P. Yeaton, smithwork,	12	00		
New Eng. Metal Culvert Co.,	297			
Emery Bunker,		90		
Henry Martin,	21	00		
H. W. Ricker and Sons,		75		
Berger Manf. Co.,	216			
Hall & Knight,		50		
E. R. Ridley, hay,		52		
Frank Stone, gravel,		45		
Patroling State Road,	916			
			8,703	64
		Ψ	0,100	0.
Appropriated for roads and				
7 7 7	5,000	00		
Town team, work on State Aid	,			
Road,	54	25		
Town team work on Third Class				
Road,	148	00	1	
Town team work on Hackett's				
Mills Road,	29	00		
Town team work on Harris Hill	_,			
Road,	21	00		
Town team work on Guy Mill's				
Hill	4.0	50		
	19	וור		
Town team work on Poland	19	<b>3</b> U	100	
Town team work on Poland Special Resolve				
Special Resolve,	84	50		5-
Special Resolve, Town team work on snow,		50		5-
Special Resolve,	84 16	50		

Town team work on M. A. Davis	20	۲0		
Hill,	30	50		
Town team work on Common		<b>=</b> 0		
Road Patrol,	68	50		
Town team work on Mrs. Emma		<b>=</b> 0	4	
Myers Road,	17	50		
Town team repair work on Third				
Class Road,	27	75		
Town team work on John Schel-				
linger Road,	45	50		
Town team work for Summit				
Springs,	94	50		
Town team work for E. R. Ridley,	42	00		
Town team work for Willis Kim-				
ball,	23	37		
Town team logging for Jordan &				
Brown,	163	34	2	
Returned by state, 50-50 money				
and dragging,	104	91		
Tripp Lake Camp, manure,	21	00		
Tolls returned on R. J. Dunn's				
tel. bill,	7	55		
Due from M. A. Davis,	52	50		
Work done on Schoolhouses and	11 30	- 55	A.	
yard,	71	75	0.00	
Guard wire on hand,	140	00	in the	
Cedar posts on hand,	30	00	100	
Appropriated for State Aid patrol,	900	00	-	
		\$	7,220	42
	2.77	100	1	
GUY MILL'S HII	L	1		
C. M. Blair, \$	10	50		
Mellen Sawyer,	10	50	- 1	4.0
Ralph Brackett,	5	00	121	
Kenneth Edwards,	10	50		11
Benjamin Davis,	13			
Ralph Harlow	10	50		

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Ralph Harlow,

E. F. Korn,	Ċ.	10	50	G., .	
Robert Smalley,			50	•	
E. R. Ridley,		15	00		I
P. E. Dunn,		10	50	1000 20	
Royal Cobb,	one of soil is	10	50		
F. B. Strout,		10	50	1	
Ralph Dunn,	total to the state	12	00	$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{H}_{T}$	r ·
C. P. Strout,					
W. E. Tripp,	Traff of the orange	10	50		
Silas Strout,		10	50	F. 1	
Town team,	the transfer to the	19	50	153	
Guy Chipman,	10 m		50 -		
Amount	expended,	6 X10	\$	201	00
Amount	raised by Town,			150	00
		100	1	-	
Overdra	wn,		\$	51	00

### HARD SCRABBLE ROAD

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E. R. Ridley,	\$	5	00
Clifford Goodwin,	- 4	7	00
C. P. Strout,		10	50
B. L. Ames,		3	50
Benjamin Davis,		30	00
Charles Hueston,		10	50
Ralph Harlow,	19 18	1	75
Donald Pulsifer,		30	00
E. F. Korn,	2. 4	10	50
Robert Smalley,		20	00
E. R. Ridley's truck,		19	50
Royal Cobb,		10	50
Mellen Sawyer,		1	75
Ralph Brackett,		30.	00
Eddie Briggs,		8	75
16			

Guy Chipman,		10	50	. 1
Amount expended Amount raised by		- 19 - 241)	\$	209 75 200 00
'Overdrawn,		4	\$	9 75
RAYMON	D ROAD		Service Service	,
E. R. Ridley, E. F. Korn, Town team, E. R. Ridley's team, Berger Culvert Co., D. C. Wilson, gravel, F. R. Ridley's truck, Sidney Peach, Ralph Harlow, Benjamin, Davis and truck, R. Cobb, Millard Lane, Guy Chipman, Ralph Brackett and truck,	\$	3 7 7 35 19 16 8 25 7 3	25 75 75 00 00 50 75	
Amount expended Amount raised by			\$	174 78 150 00
Overdrawn,		A 70	\$	24 78
HARRIS HI E. R. Ridley, P. E. Dunn, R. Cobb, F. B. Strout, E. R. Ridley's truck, C. P. Strout, E. F. King,	LL ROA	25 17 10 17 19 10 21	50 50 50 00 50	

Benjamin Davis and truck,	30 00
Ralph Harlow,	17 50
E. F. Korn,	10 50
Robert Smalley and truck,	40 00
Donald Pulsifer,	30 00
Ralph Brackett and truck,	30 00
Eddie Briggs,	10 50
Guy Chipman,	10 50
Clifford Goodwin,	3 50
Sidney Peach,	21 00
Charles Hueston,	10 50
Mellen Sawyer,	8 75
Millard Lane,	17 50
Frank Stone,	21 00
Credit to town team,	21 00
Amount expended,	\$ 403 25
Amount raised by town,	400 00
Overdrawn,	\$ 3 25

## JOHN SCHELLINGER ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$	35 00
P. E. Dunn,		22 75
Royal Cobb,		21 88
F. B. Strout,		18 38
Ralph Dunn,		<b>28</b> 00
C. P. Strout,	1.	21 88
W. E. Tripp,		21 88
Silas Strout,		88
C. M. Blair,		19 25
Ralph Harlow,		22 75
Kenneth Edwards,		21 88
Guy Chipman,		21 88
Mellen Sawyer,		22 75
E. F. Korn,		14 88
Town team,	4	45 50

				V			
Benjamin	Davis,			39	00		
Ralph Br	100		100	60	00	124	
Merle Ch			9	50	00	W-1 -	132 11
Robert S			1	41	75	- 1-	V.
	3 11 3				-	We sta	J , w
	Amount	expended,		- 1	\$	530	29
	Amount	raised by	Town,			500	00
				-	10	India II	
i i	Overdrav	wn,			\$	30	29
	COMN	MON ROA	AD PAT	ROI	4		
Kenneth	Edwards,		\$	59	50		
Merle Ch	ipman,			2	50		
P. E. Du		Ø		61	25		, ,
E. R. Ric	dley,			2	50	The h	ч, ь
Ralph Du	ınn,			64	00		. ,
Royal Co	obb,	1		36	<i>7</i> 5		
Sidney P	each,			1	75		
Frank Do	oughty,			. 1	20		
Frank Fi	elds,			1	20		
C. D. Au	stin,		_	47	50	. 0	
Roy McC	Cleary,			14	42	e	\
John Joh	nson,			3	25		
B. L. An	nes,			89	50		
Joseph D	The second second			6	00	V 1	18
W. E. Ti				50	75	14.5	1
F. B. Str	out,			31	50		, , ,
Silas Stro				10	50	10.00	-
Foye We	1			3	50		4.4
Town tea				68	50	111	
E. F. Ko				10	50		- 1
Fred We	scott,			14	00	of a	- 14
G. H. Tr	ipp,			36	75	700	. 19
	in the last						De.
Py.	Amount	expended,			\$	612	32
	Amount	raised by	Town,		+	1,000	00
	Unexpen	ded,			\$	387	68

# HACKETT'S MILLS ROAD

			1000	1	
E. R. Ridley,	\$	45	00	, ,	
C. P. Strout,		25	38		7
Kenneth Edwards,		25	38		
Robert Smalley and truck,	Tion .	72	.50		
Royal Cobb,		25	38		
E. F. King,		14	00		
Guy Chipman,		28	88		
Wilbur Berry and truck,		72	50		
Ridley's truck,		53	63		
F. B. Strout,		25	38		Y.
Mellen Sawyer,		21	88		7
Ralph Harlow,	6	29	<i>7</i> 5	1.0	
C. M. Blair,		24	50		
Benj. Davis and truck,		62	50		
Ralph Brackett and truck,		72	50		113
E. F. Korn,		25	38		
Clifford Goodwin,		14	00		
Sidney Peach,		25	38	;	
Foye Wescott,		1	<i>7</i> 5		
Town team,		29	00		
P. E. Dunn,		14	00		
Ralph Dunn,		20	00		
Silas Strout,		11	38		
Frank Stone, gravel,		30	00		
Mrs. Lois Berry, rocks,		20	00		
Mrs. Mildred Bailey, gravel,		14	10		
•					
Amount expended,			\$	804	15
Amount raised by Town,	\$	500	00		4
Donated by Roger's Fibre Co.,		250	00		
		<del> </del>	\$	750	00
				<del>-</del>	)
Overdrawn,		- 1	\$	54	15
E. R. Ridley,	\$	12	50		
Guy Chipman,	155	22	75		

Sidney Peach, Royal Cobb, Ralph Harlow, Ridley's truck, Millard Lane, Benj. Davis and truck, Ralph Brackett and truck, E. F. Korn, D. C. Wilson, gravel,	17 22 42 3 60 65 7	50 75 25		
Amount expended, Amount raised by Unexpended,		 \$ \$	296 300 4	

M. A	A. DAVIS HIL	L	100
E. R. Ridley,	\$	22 30	1.
F. B. Strout,	Ψ	66 50	41
Mellen Sawyer,		56 88	1
Ralph Brackett and tr	uck,	54 25	
C. P. Strout,		55 13	
Silas Strout,		23 63	
Ralph Harlow,		59 50	
W. E. Tripp,		24 50	
Benj. Davis and truc	ck,	47 50	
Wilbur Berry and true	ck,	40 00	
E. L. Jordan,		35 00	4
Town team,		30 50	
Royal Cobb,		10 50	
E. F. Korn,		7 00	
P. E. Dunn,		21 00	
Ralph Dunn,		8 00	
C. M. Blair,	and the first	10 50	
		- 3:	- 0
Amount ex	epended,	\$ 5	572.89
Amount raised by To	wn, \$	300 00	2 2

Donated by M. A. Davis, Donated by A. B. Ricker,		200 50	00		
			\$	550	00
Overdrawn,			\$	22	89
3 6 7 C	Did				
MRS. EMMA MYE	R'S	ROAI	)		
E. R. Ridley,	\$	55	00		
C. P. Strout,	15	56	00		
W. E. Tripp,		10	50		
Silas Strout,		28	00		
Ralph Dunn,		12	00		
Royal Cobb,		24	50		
F. B. Strout,		28	00		
C. M. Blair,		63	00		
Benj. Davis and truck,		55	00		
Ralph Harlow,		70	00		
P. E. Dunn,		7	00		
Kenneth Dunn and team,		49	00		
Ralph Brackett and truck,		40	00		
Town team,	•	17	50		
E. F. Korn,		38	50		
Mellen Sawyer,		<i>7</i> 0	00		
Ridley's truck,		22	50		
			<u></u>		
Amount expended,	i i		\$	646	50
Voted by Town,	\$	500	00		
Donated by Catholic bishop,		200	00		
	<del></del>		\$	700	00
Unexpended,			\$	53	50
POLAND SPECIAL	RE	SOLV	Æ		
E. R. Ridley,	\$	95	00		
Ralph Dunn,		72	00		
P. E. Dunn,		62			
and the same of th		100			

C. P. Strout,		50	75	E = 1	10
 Royal Cobb,		66	50		
W. E. Tripp,		66	50	à	
F. B. Strout,	t	66	50		1
Silas Strout,		24	50		
C. M. Blair,	1116	61	25		,
Mellen Sawyer,		63	00	-	
Benjamin Davis and truck,		89	50	F	
Ralph Harlow,		56	00		
E. F. Korn,		63	00	5.5	
Ridley's truck,	6.	61	75	3	
F. P. Willett,		59	50	pr. V	Ē
Robert Smalley and truck,		145	00		
Ralph Brackett, and truck,		70	00		
Guy Chipman,		21	00	7	
Town teams,		84	50		-
Kenneth Edwards,		10	50	) is .	
			-	0.0	118
Amount expended,	12	1 1	\$	1,289	25
Donated by Summit Spring,	\$	250	00		
Received from State,		968	37		
		- 1	\$	1,218	37
			1 3		
Overdrawn,			\$	70	88
GUARD RAILING FOR DAN	GE	ROU	JS I	PLACE	S
Berger Manf. Co.,	\$	54	88	Day.	
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	- 1	109			
		100	4 10		
Amount expended,			\$	164	64
Amount raised by Tow	n.	1.0		300	
	,	+ 1-	, Tomas	+1,	4
Unexpended,		91-3	\$	135	36
SNOW		10			
E. A. Libby,	Ф	70	26		
C. M. and M. F. Lane,	\$	70	00	1931	
		7	UU	ì	

C. M. Blair,	3	50 .
Robert Smalley,	13	50
Merle Chipman,	2	50
The Good Roads Machine	Co., 127	40
J. F. Myers,	5	00
Channing Edwards,	- 5	43
Aubrey McCleary,	2	00
C. P. Strout,		.00
G. B. Storer,	, 1	95
F. B. Strout,	19	25
W. E. Tripp,	12	25
Ervin Tripp,	3	50
S. C. Jordan,	1	75
V. Winslow,	- 1	75
Kenneth Tripp,	1	75
Howard Tripp,	1	75
B. L. Ames,	24	00
C. D. Austin,	10	00
Charles McKinney,	100	75
Frank Bergon,	3	50
E. R. Ridley,	46	50
P. E. Dunn,	29	75
H. C. Felker,	7	00
Ralph Dunn,	18	00
Town teams,	16	50
Charles Plummer,	17	50
Roy Reyon,	14	00
Guy Chipman,	3	50
Ralph Brackett,	14	00
R. Cobb,	12	25
I, I LOOKSON	8	36
F. C. Wescott,	3	50
F. D. Edwards,	25	
W. B. Kimball,	1	94
	36	15
W. W. Hueston,	4	28
Millard Lane,	5	25
W W	100	The second secon

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Lewis Whittier,		16	00	- 700	7.5
C. E. Keene,		22	75	0 10	200
H. W. Ricker & Sons,		2	77	of 12.	17
Forest Strout,	=	10	50		
Kenneth Dunn,	7:1-15	10	50		
Roy McCleary,	71.01.11	10	50		
A. F. Emery, breaking State R	oad,	225	00		
A. F. Emery, breaking Casco R	oad,	68	75		
Amount expended,	787.07	7-	\$	966	29
Amount raised by 7	l'own,	Ardant	Cally 1	2,000	00
Unexpended,			\$	1,033	71
THIRD CLAS	s RO	AD	2000	T	pi -
E. R. Ridley,	\$	135	00	-1	
Ridley's truck,		-	50	ST .70	4-
Ralph Dunn,			00	Les I	
P. E. Dunn,					
J. C. Edwards,			00		
C. P. Strout,		87	50		
Royal Cobb,		94	50	13	
W. E. Tripp,		91	00	3 40	
F. B. Strout,		91	00	3 77 7	92 T
Silas Strout,		70	00	- 0	6
C. M. Blair,	7347 ;	82	25		-7
Clifford Goodwin,	12	17	50	4 : -	1
Emery Bunker, gravel,		125	10	-	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	1 3 7 7	258	00		
Mellen Sawyer,	(30)	66	50.		
Ralph Harlow,		94	50		
E. F. Korn,	41V	91	00		
Ralph Brackett,		260	00		
Kenneth Edwards,	171	94	50		
Robert Smariey,	100	245	00	-	
Guy Chipman,		91	00	24 . 1	
Leon Auger,		22	75	11, 17	100
Wilbur Berry,		245	00	A. T	. 11

Sidney Peach,	99 75
Merle Chipman,	105 00
Town teams,	148 00
Amount expende	ed, \$ 2,941 85
Received from St	zate, 2,938 85
Overdrawn,	\$ 3 00

# GRAVEL AND REPAIR WORK ON THIRD CLASS ROAD

E. R.	Ridley,		\$	65	00		
Ralph	Dunn,	1		20	00		
Silas S	Strout,			29	75		
C. M.	Blair,			42	00		
Melle	n Sawyer,			36	75		
E. F.	Korn,			7	00		
P. E.	Dunn,			22	75		
Town	team,			27	75		
F. B.	Strout,			3	50		
Ralph	Harlow,		. *	29	75		
Ridley	y's truck,			42	25		
C. P.	Strout,			29	75		
Benj.	Davis and truck,			50	00		
Ralph	Brackett and truck	۲,		30	00		
			34	2			
	Amount expe	ended,	7			\$ 436	25
	Amount rais	ed by To	wn,		110	400	00

# STATE AID ROAD

36 25

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 72 50
P. E. Dunn,	54 25
C. P. Strout,	28 00

Overdrawn,

Royal Cobb,	47	25	11.32
Ridley's truck,	82	87	
E. F. King,	28	88	
F. B. Strout,	49	88	
Silas Strout,	24	50	
C. M. Blair,	33	25	
Benj. Davis and truck,	105	00	
Mellen Sawyer,	41	13	
Ralph Harlow,	45	50	
Ralph Brackett,	127	50	
E. F. Korn,	41	13	
Kenneth Edwards,	17	50	
Robert Smalley,	127	50	
Guy Chipman,	44	63	
Wilbur Berry,	102	50	
J. C. Edwards,	32	38	
Foye Wescott,	14	00	
Charles Plummer,	48	13	
Roy Reyon,	48	13	
Sidney Peach,	44	63	
Town team,	54	25	
Lewis Whittier,	58	63	
Ed. Briggs,	23	63	
New England Metal Co., culverts,	41	16	
Herbert Haskell, gravel,	43	65	
Donald Pulsifer,	25	00	
John Edwards, gravel,	67	80	
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Amount expended,		\$	1,575 16
Received from State,	\$ 822	16	
Voted by Town,	732	00	
		\$	1,554 16
Overdrawn,		\$	21 00

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Summary of money available from all sources for roads and expenditures of same.

	Raised Expended
Common roads,	\$ 7,220 42 \$ 8,703 64
Snow,	2,000 00 966 29
Harris Hill road,	400 00 403 25
Hackett's Mills road,	750 00 804 15
Poland Special Resolve,	1,218 37 1,289 25
M. A. Davis Hill,	550 00 572 89
Guy Mill's Hill,	150 00 201 00
Hard Scrabble road,	200 00 209 75
Mrs. Emma Myer's road,	700 00 646 50
Raymond road,	150.00 174 78
Range Hill road,	300 00 296 00
Third Class road,	2,938 85 2,941 85
State Aid road,	1,554 16 1,575 16
John Schellinger road,	500 00 530 00
Hi-way guard railing,	300 00 164 64
Common road patrol,	1,000 00 612 32
Repair work on Third Class road,	400 00 436 25
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Totals,	\$ 20,331 80 \$ 20,527 72
Overdrawn,	\$ 185 92
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Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE R. RIDLEY.

Operations.

# REPORT OF TREASURER

C. C. Mitchell, in account with Town of Poland for the year ending February 15, 1929.

### Debits

To cash in treasury February 15, 1928, Hiram Ricker & Sons, interest on bonds, City of Lewiston, interest on bonds, Alfred Perkins, funeral, Geo. W. Perkins, Fidelity Trust Co., loans, M. A. Davis, Harris Hill road, A. B. Ricker, Harris Hill road, Bishop John C. Murray, Jack Myers road, Town of Minot, tuition, 1927, Town of Minot, tuition, 1928, Excelsior Grange, interest, Arthur L. Nason, Owen shop, Summit Spring Hotel, White Oak Hill road, C. E. Record, pine blister rust, J. Alden Chipman, overpaid scholars, Town of Gray, paupers, Fidelity Trust Co., interest bank book, 9139, Rogers Fibre Co., Hackett's Mills road, A. B. Grant, 1925 tax, A. B. Grant, 1926 tax, A. B. Grant, 1927 tax,
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A. B. Grant, 1927 tax.
A. B. Grant, 1928 tax, 43,416 36
Town Team, 430 26
Town Farm, 1,590 71
Fidelity Trust Co., interest checking account, 94 59
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid. 500 00

State Treasurer, State roads,	4,834 29
State Treasurer, gravel,	19 80
State Treasurer, tax on bank stock,	718 50
State Treasurer, State paupers,	124 41
Selectmen, hall rent,	288 00
C. C. Mitchell, dog licenses,	225 00
State Treasurer, State aid,	192 00
Dog license refunded,	87 03
State School fund,	3,809 98
R. R. and Tel. tax,	696 20
	\$ 77,056 26
Credits	
Colootooooo	¢ 62 177 76
Selectmen's orders,	\$ 63,477 76 2,369 05
County tax,	916 80
Patrolled road,	8,327 68
State tax, State aid	192 00
State aid, Hedge hogs,	2 50
Dog licenses,	225 00
Balance in treasury February 15, 1929,	1,545 47
Dalance in treasury rebruary 13, 1929,	1,575 77
	\$ 77,056 26
	\$77,030 20
A. W. HACKETT FUND	
To bank book, 9138, \$ 4,928	67
To bank book, 9139, 4,638	
City of Lewiston bonds, 1,000	
Hiram Ricker & Sons, bonds, 3,000	
Excelsior Grange, note, 1,000	
	<b></b> \$ 14,566 68
	7 - 1,000 00
LANE CEMETERY FUND	The second
Bank book 28116, \$ 60	93
Bank book 28417, 158	

Bank book 1895,

108 57

327 72

WHITE OAK HILL CEMETERY

Bank book 45637,

725 56

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ANNETTE M. BROWN

Bank book 3650, \$ 312 12

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EMPIRE CEMETERY FUND

Bank book 5004,

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# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

### RECORD OF MARRIAGES

1928

- Mar. 10 Alfred R. Morrison and Mary Wescott.
- 10 Millard F.-Lane and Stella M. Somerset.
  - 10 Vivian Herrick Strout and Mary Elvira Brown.
- Apr. 9 Franklin E. Hodgkins and Inez M. Bohnsen.
  - 15 John E. Edwards and Ruth I. Chadbourne.
- May 19 Virgil Chester Dunn and Minnie Lucille Roeling.
  - 24 Albert E. Vining and Nora Stevens.
- June 9 Kendrick Bragdon Sawyer and Caroline Esther Tufts.
  - 16 Lewis B. Whittier and Muriel R. Haskell.
  - 26 Bert A. Carpenter and Elizabeth E. Collamer.
- Aug. 6 Guy L. Purington and Eleanor Thomas.
  - 11 Kelsey E. Young and Doris E. Martin.
  - 25 Roy Cecil Raynor and Elizabeth Roberta Walker.
- Sept. 1 Frank Gerard Hensel and Ellen Reed Lee.
- Oct. 20 Harold Tucker and Hazel Tripp.
  - 22 Raymond C. Collins and Ethel May Grover.

#### RECORD OF BIRTHS

- 1928 Name of Child Name of Parents
- Jan. 24 Marie, Rollin Keene and Grace Cowan.
- Feb. 27 Mark Thomas, Thomas O. Merrell and Erma W. Tripp:
- Mar. 3 Aubrey Lowell, Lloyd E. Mitchell and Geneva Hunnewell.
  - 7 Mary E., Henry Martin and Alice Smith.
  - 8 Edna Louise, Victor R. Stevens and Anna M. Jacobson.

- 30 Hal Thurston, Leroy Frank and Gena V. Thurston.
  - Groves. Groves. Irving Tuttle and Jessie
- Apr. 2 Francis E., Wm. S. Edwards and Edith Collins.
  - 8 Jean Idella, Joseph A. Chipman and Mildred E. Hodgkins.
  - 9 A son, Geo. A. Thompson and Hazel R. Walker.
  - 12 Fletcher Colby, Philip E. Dunn and Grace Jordan.
  - 15 Pauline Sara, Ernest May and Mary Fletcher.
  - Norine Isabelle, Andrew R. Giddenge and Isabelle Verrill.
  - 28 James Price, James W. Ricker and Elinor Price.
  - 28 Maxine Leona, William Dion and Stella Cole.
- May 20 Juanita Fern, Wilber P. Berry and Flora M. Keene.
  - 28 Edith Ernena, Raymond E. Mains and Elsie E. Martin.
- June 15 Caroline Louise, Henry Pulsifer and Hattie Spaulding.
  - 23 Emil Felix, Frank Bussiere and Eva Laflamme.
  - 27 Myrle Irene, Benj. E. Ames and Bertha Ames.
- July 16 Richard Franklin, Herman Carey and Mabel Mer-rill.
  - 26 Alice Elizabeth, Alfred R. Morrison and Mary Wescott.
- Aug. 9 Willis Saunders, Willis S. Kimball and Myrtle Tucker.
  - 10 A son, John Pelletier and Irene Barker.
- Sept. 23 Elaine Louise, Clifford N. Waterhouse and Louise Timmons.
- Oct. 8 Carolyn Mabel, Irving S. Thurlow and Ida M. Gowell.
  - 25 Andrew Arthur, Clarence Sargent and Rita Mae Bagley.
- Nov. 16 Beulah Gloria, Frederick L. Edwards and Elsie E. Field.

- Dec. 26 Barbara Evelyn, Millard Lane and Stella M. Somerset.
  - 17 John Henry, Simon Fliss and Frances Smith.
  - 29 Ethel Therese, Antonio L'Heureux and Flore Bergeron.

#### RECORD OF DEATHS

The transfer will the term of the term of

1928

- Jan. 5 O. Frankin Partridge, Portland.
  - 12 Wesley L. Emery, Lewiston.
  - 13 Ethel M. Morrell, Portland.
  - 27 Marie Keene, Poland.
- Feb. 9 Laura J. Record, Auburn.
- Mar. 5 Albert Leroy Winslow, Poland.
  - 25 Lorana B. Blair, Poland.
- Apr. 9 Infant son of Geo. Thompson, Poland.
  - 10 Charles S. Adams, Lewiston.
  - 24 Grace M. Keene, Lewiston.
  - 25 Clara A. Sturtevant, Poland.
- May 3 Elmer E. Haskell, Minot.
  - 17 Cora E. Bicknell, Auburn.
  - 10 Hattie A. Herrick, Poland.
- June 3 Charles E. Emery, Poland.
  - 14 Frank C. Blake, Mechanic Falls.
- July 14 Margaret Pulsifer, Lewiston.
  - 19 Infant son of Mary A. Winslow, Poland.
  - 27 Cora A. Harlow, Poland.
  - 31 Mary Ellen Jewell, Lewiston.
- Aug. 5 Martin V. B. Record, Lewiston.
  - 7 Rena R. Brown, Freeport.
- Sept. 26 Harvey M. Walker, Jr., Mechanic Falls.
  - 26 Philip Whitman Mitchell, Lewiston.
- Oct. 1 Louis Tripp, Lewiston.
  - б Annie M. Sawyer, Poland.
  - 12 Mary E. Thurston, Lowell, Mass.
  - 19 Sidney E. Kimball, Poland.
  - 24 Oren G. Dyer, Poland.

Nov. 6 Eleanor G. Edwards, Poland.

Dec. 22 Edward P. Ricker, Poland.

28 Richard F. Carey, Poland.

29 Luella S. Horr, Poland.

C. C. MITCHELL,

Town Clerk.

# REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH AND HEALTH OFFICER

February 18, 1929

To the Citizens of Poland:

As a town we were very fortunate in regard to the health of our citizens up to October and since that time there has been much sickness especially among the children.

We have had reported the following cases:

Chicken Pox,	5
Diphtheria,	2
German Measles,	2
Influenza,	41
La Grippe,	9
Measles,	109
Mumps,	11
Pneumonia,	21
Typhoid,	1
Whooping Cough,	15
Total number,	216

During November we had 65 persons cultured for diphtheria, all reports coming from Dr. A. G. Long from the State Laboratory were negative. One culture was sent to the Central Maine General Hospital in Lewiston which report was positive. The sputum from one person was sent to Augusta for examination, this report showed negative.

Twenty persons have been inoculated with anti-toxin for diphtheria and 36 have been given free vaccination against

small pox. Two houses have been disinfected for diphtheria and 755 health certificates have been issued to food handlers.

I would like to warn our inhabitants to be very careful in opening cans of lye. It seems that when the air comes in contact with the contents a combustion is formed which throws the lye with great force. This is very injurious to the eyes and one cannot be too careful in opening same. I have asked the State Department to investigate this with the report that the matter had been turned over to the Agricultural Department with no further report to date.

Free vaccination against small pox will be given in March, those wishing to take advantage of this will please communicate with me at once.

We wish to express our appreciation for the co-operation given this year in reporting the different diseases to this office. We wish our citizens would continue to bear in mind the necessity of making these reports.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. P. PULSIFER,

Health Officer,

GEO. P. PULSIFER,
ROGER L. GOWELL,
GEO. E. CHIPMAN,
Board of Health.

# REPORT OF GEO. P. PULSIFER TREASURER OF THE POLAND MINISTERIAL FUND

## February 18, 1928

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To Bonds	s on hand,	\$	7,000	00
To Cash	on hand,		337	41
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		\$	7,337	41
May 16	To cash received for Huntington Hall			
	Bonds Nos. 2048 and 2049 called,		1,056	70
26	To cash received for coupons cashed,		87	50
31	To cash received for Law and Finance			
	Bond No. 1911 called,		105	98
Oct. 3	To cash received for coupons cashed,		110	25
18	To cash received for coupons cashed,		32	50
5	To cash received for coupons cashed,		67	50
12	To cash received for City Investment			
	Bond No. 3188 called,		527	91
1929				
Feb. 2	To cash received for coupons cashed,		70	75
-	To cash received for dividends on Sav-			
	ings Account 1928,		- 8	61
			0.405	
		\$	9,405	11
1928				
Apr. 9	By paid for rent of safe deposit			1
	box,	\$	3	00
20	By paid E. A. Libby, Trustee,		4	00
	By paid Almon Waterhouse, Trustee,	ı	4	00
	By paid Geo. P. Pulsifer, Trustee			
	and Treasurer,		45	00
		1		

16	By paid Chatham Apt. Bonds Nos.		
10	2197 and 2198,	1,005	78
May 31	By paid Chatham Apt. Bond No. 743,	100	83
Oct. 4	By paid Poland Community Church,	45	34
	By paid E. H. Pratt, Methodist,	- 41	00
	By paid M. C. Davis, Methodist,	30	68
	By paid Almon Waterhouse, Advent,	25	28
Dec. 12	By paid for Arlington Apt. Bond No.		
	1441,	504	47
1929			
Jan. 10	By paid A. F. Chipman, Univer-		
	salist,	70	00
	\$	1,879	38
1929			
Feb. 18	To bonds on hand, \$	7,000	00
	To cash in savings and checking acct.,	525	73
7	\$	9,405	11

# Respectfully submitted,

GEO. P. PULSIFER,

Treasurer.

# SUMMARY OF WHITE PINE BLISTER CONTROL WORK FOR 1928 IN TOWN OF POLAND

Number of owners who removed currant and gooseberry bushes,  Total number of acres where bushes were	18
removed by owners with the aid of a foreman	
furnished by the Town,	805
Total number of acres scouted and elimi-	000
	2,009
nated by State Scout,	2,009
Grand total number of acres examined in	2.014
the Town in 1928,	2,814
Total number of wild currant and goose-	
berry bushes removed,	26,559
Total number of cultivated currant and	
gooseberry bushes removed,	10
On sixteen owners properties pine trees	
were found to be diseased with Blister Rust	
and 2 were general infected areas.	
Amount of funds expended in the town	
for Blister Rust work by State and Federal	
co-operation, \$	220 50
Amount of funds appropriated by the	
Town for Blister Rust work, \$	200 00
Town foremen were employed 55 days,	200 00
	200 00
5 hours, at \$3.60 per day, \$	200 00
Estimated acreage of white pine protected	
by this control work,	817
Number of acres eliminated as non-pine	
land,	262

# REPORT OF FIRE WARDEN

There has been three fires this year: C. E. Storer, Hanford Perkins, Frank E. Spaulding.

All of these fires are mysterious, no one seemed to know where the fire started.

ALMON WATERHOUSE.

# REPORT OF J. W. BOOTHBY SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Poland, Me., Feb. 11, 1929

	Tested	Adjusted	Condemned
No. of Scales,	22	2	3
No. of Weights,	150	2	44
No. of Liquid Measures,	17		
No. of Dry Measures,	15		
Gas Pumps,	21	9	
Oil Pumps,	6		100
Yard Sticks,	8		

### AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 27, 1929

To the Chairman and Board of Selectmen, Town of Poland, Maine.

Gentlemen:

We have completed our examination of the accounts of the Town of Poland for the year ending February 15, 1929.

The Treasurer's records have been examined and are hereby certified correct. We have determined, from all sources available, that income due the town has been properly accounted for and that all disbursements made by the Treasurer are supported by orders drawn by the Selectmen and signed by two or more members of the board. Other town funds in the custody of the Treasurer were found to be in proper order.

The Tax Collector's records have been examined and satisfactorily account for the entire commitment plus the supplementary list of taxes due.

Payrolls submitted by the Superintendent of Schools and the Road Commissioner were examined and found properly signed and authorized by the School Committee and the Selectmen.

The Treasurer of the Ministerial Fund accounted for the funds in his possession and showed proper records of the income and expenditures. The present plan of distributing this fund to the various churches is to draw checks payable to the trustees of the churches. We advise that this practice be discontinued and recommend that checks be drawn payable directly to the churches.

Respectfully submitted,

JORDAN & JORDAN,
Accountants and Auditors.

# REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Poland:

The Superintending School Committee have carefully considered the needs of your schools for the coming year and recommend, for your consideration, the following budget:

Common Schools,	\$ 8,500	00
Free High School Tuition,	3,000	00
General Repairs,	1,500	00
Graduation, Common School,	50	00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. PULSIFER,
MARY B. CHIPMAN,
ROGER L. GOWELL,
Superintending School Committee.

Our schools are better in materials and methods than they were.

A system is efficient only as it presents equal and universal opportunities; prepares the youth to do better the desirable things of life which he must inevitably do; prepares him physically for the tasks of life; inspires him with a desire for worthy home membership and for vocational and professional efficiency; gives him a sense of civic responsibility; builds in him an ethical character.

The following essentials mark an efficient school system:

- 1. An intelligent and sympathetic public.
- 2. Adequate support.
- 3. A school plant adequate to the needs of the community, which safeguards the health and morals of the children and has the equipment for efficient instruction.
- 4. A school year of sufficient length to assure the continued growth of the child.
- 5. A program of studies which is connected with life lessons and problems.
- 6. Capable and conscientious teachers of sound judgment and character.

There is a fine spirit on the part of the people which is exceedingly gratifying.

There are many difficult problems yet to be solved, among them the question of transportation of school children who live in sparsely settled sections and who are handicapped in their endeavor to secure an education.

Each day that a pupil is in school is worth to the town about .02½ per day. The town draws from the State this amount for aggregate attendance.

It is very plain to see that the pupils should be in school every day that school is in session. During the winter term the attendance has been unavoidably low. There has been a loss to both the pupils and town.

A few recommendations follow:

- 1. Qualified teachers.
- 2. A longer school year.
- 3. School nurse.
- 4. More reading material to be placed at the disposal of the pupils.

#### HEALTH WORK

All teachers are required to give instruction in health principles, in health projects.

During the past year the support of the Superintending School Committee was obtained and the services of a Red Cross Nurse was secured. The nurse examined 332. The following points were observed: eyes, teeth, ears, skink, weight and height. These reports were sent home. The nurse also visited some 30 homes giving advice and instructions to mothers. If this can be followed up, in a few years most of the worst defects can be corrected, and the habits of health and cleanliness of the children greatly improved.

#### READING

A very decided improvement in the ability of pupils to read has been gained. Teachers were encouraged to study the subject and to teach from every conceivable angle, posting themselves on the several methods that are advanced so that they might select the one which gave the best results. They are still studying. It is believed that by improving the quality of reading in our schools; we shall materially enhance results in every other study.

#### GIFT

The Superintending School Committee wish to express their appreciation to Mr. Tripp for his kindness in furnishing and setting a fine new flag pole in the Lower White Oak Hill District.

#### TEACHERS' MEETING

The Poland Teachers' Association has become a very important factor for good to our teachers.

Six very helpful and interesting meetings have been held during the year. Programs have been so planned that several professional speakers have been enjoyed.

It is our belief that the meetings of the teachers' association are of increasing benefit and constitute a valuable factor in our educational program.

#### CONCLUSION

The year has been filled with unavoidable breaks, with much sickness and hardships which we have tried to overcome with courage. Our teachers are a splendid group. I wish to thank them for the fine spirit and kindness which they have shown in all of the hardships which they have met. Their kindness to me is sincerely appreciated. They are a painstaking and faithful group. It is a pleasure to work with them.

### Respectfully submitted,

HARRIET M. SPILLER,
Superintendent of Schools.

	RESOURCES	1387.24
		\$ 2,224 76
	State School Fund,	3,809 98
	Town appropriation,	8,000 00
	Free High School Tuition,	2,000 00
	Common School Tuition, Minot, 1927,	500 00
	Common School Tuition, Minot, 1928,	628 87
	Total,	\$-17,163-61
		16,326.09
	EXPENDITURES	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	Teachers, \$ 8,469 00	
(-1	Fuel, 1,238 55	
	Janitors, 277 00	
	Transportation, 2,569 64	
	High School Tuition, 2,655 34	
	Text books and supplies, 2,000 24	994.84
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		994. 84 516,20 <b>43</b> 7
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	HIGH SCHOOL TUITION	
	Pennell Institute, \$ 70 00	
	City of Auburn, 575 00	
	Gould Academy, 67 00	
	Leavitt Institute, 150 00	

Pine Tree Academy, Town of Mechanic Falls,		66 1,726		2	
Total,			\$	2,655	34
GRADUATION A Howard & Brown, diplomas,	ACCO \$		<b>7</b> 0		
Ethel Saunders, ribbon, G. I. Lamb, music,	Ψ	3	00		
Rev. Olaf Tanberg, Almon Waterhouse,		5	00		
Total,	1		\$	29	70
Appropriation,			×	50	00
Balance,			\$	20	30
TEXT BOOKS ANI	) SU	PPLI	ES		
Silver Burdett & Co.,	\$	141			
Edw. E. Babb & Co., Ginn & Co.,		<ul><li>249</li><li>125</li></ul>			
American Book Co.,			68		
Chas. E. Merrill & Co.,		21	82	-	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.,		14	60		
J. L. Hammett & Co.,		54	92		
Berkley-Cardy Co.,		23	52		
Starkey & Toner,		10	47		
Rand, McNally & Co.,		13	87		-
John C. Winston & Co.,		27	20	1	
Milton Bradley & Co.,			13		
Lyons & Carnahan & Co.,			18		
Scott, Foresman & Co.,			77		
Arlo Pub. Co.,			55		
Merrill & Denning,		13	05	1	* 1
CLEANING AND	SUP	PLIE	S		
Bessie Brackett,	\$		00		e) j
Mrs. Joseph Fortier,		7	60	1 - 1	

Pulsifer Bros.,		5	06		
W. L. Marquis,		2	95		
Bailey Bros.,		8	54		
Mrs. Florence Tripp,		4.	00		
L. A. Red Cross Chapter,		35	00		
A. C. Stone,		5	20		
Georgia E. McKnight,		8	00		
Blanche Stone,		5	00		
Ada Frank,		15	00		
Mrs. Fred Strout,		2	04	11 2	
Arthur F. Grant,		10	76		
A. J. Weston Co.,		16	25		
H. W. Perkins, -		3	00		
E. C. Jordan,		13	24		
Ida Emery,		10	00		
George Edwards,		3	00		
Harriet M. Spiller,		6	75		
Frank T. Sawyer,		4	00		
A. E. Hodgkins,		12	69		
Blanche Birney.		6	00		
Mrs. Henry L. Tripp,		4,	50		
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				994	1.84
REPAIR	ACCOUNT			, , ,	
			<b>A</b>	1 600	00
Town appropriation,			\$	1,500	UU

# EXPENDITURES

A. J. Lawrence,		- \$	1 80
Clarence S. Pulsifer,			20 23
Chas. L. Pulsifer,	30	LI.	21 00
Donald Pulsifer,			11 75
Meserve Lumber Co.,			354 09
Forest Walker,			99 25

Hiram Ricker & Sons Co.,	317	76		
Ralph Brackett,	2	50		
E. A. Libby,	80	89		
Robert Brown,	2	40		
E. R. Ridley,	71	75	-	
Virgil E. Libby,	12	25		
A. J. Weston Co.,	68	.05		
Bailey Bros.,	239	14		
A. M. Thurlow,	130	00	5.	
A. B. Cobb,	77	50		1
E. C. Jordan,	18	70		
E. O. Boyker,	58	50		
Walter F. Davis,	10	70	-	
Arthur B. Haskell,	358	<b>7</b> 9		
Expended,		\$ _	1,957	05
Overdrawn Feb. 15, 1929,	7	\$	457	05

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$\tilde{\mathbf{S}}$	Teacher	4	+	
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Name	Name	Sm	<b>&gt;</b>	Wages
SPRING				
	•		10	400.00
White Oak Hill	Evelyn Harmon,	12	10	\$20.00
Harris Hill	Alice Card,	14	12.7	17.00
Poland	Lydia N. Thorn,	31	26.9	20.00
South Poland	Emma Johnson,	28	26.1	20.00
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,	33	31	20.00
Minot Corner Gram.	Stella M. Lane,	19	17.8	
Hacketts Mills	Erma E. Tibbetts,	27	24.2	17.00
West Poland Pri.	Margaret Wadsworth,	30	24.5	20.00
West Poland Gram.	Ruhy B. Willard,		17.9	20.00
Herrick Valley	Irene M. King,		10.5	17.00
Bailey Hill	Irene B. Lothrop,	22		20.00
Tripp City	Lyndora M. Pratt,	6	4.6	15.00
Empire	Georgia E. McKnight,		21.8 $4.5$	
Johnson Hill	Annie C. Walton,	J	±.0	17.00
WIN	TER TERM 1929, 9 WE	EKS		
Lower White Oak Hill	Doris Thurlow,	16		\$18.00
Harris Hill	Emma Johnson,	19		20.00
Poland	Alice B. Mitchell			20.00
South Poland	Helen L. Strout,	34		20.00
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,	34		20.00
Minot Corner Gram.	Ruby B. Willard,	20		20.00
Hacketts Mills	Isabel V. Giddinge,	21		17.00
West Poland Pri.	Alice Card,	29		20.00
West Poland Gram.	Elizabeth W. Whitney,	20		20.00
Herrick Valley	Annie C. Walton,	14		17.00
Bailey Hill	Evelyn Harmon,	21		20.00
Empire	Georgia E. McKnight,	23		17.00
Johnson Hill	Erma E. Tibbetts,	6		17.00
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Lower White Oak Hill			9	\$18.00
			14.6	
Harris Hill Poland	Alice B. Mitchell,	.L U	11.0	20.00
South Poland	Helen L. Strout,	34	27.3	
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,		32.4	
Minot Corner Gram.	Ruby B. Willard,		19	
Hacketts Mills	Isabel V. Giddinge,		21.16	17.00
West Poland Pri.	Alice Card,		23.9	
West Poland Gram.	Elizabeth W. Whitney,		17.7	
Herrick Valley	Annie C. Walton,	14		17.00
Bailey Hill	Evelyn Harmon,	18	15	
Empire	Georgia E. McKnight,		22.1	
Johnson Hill	Erma E. Tibbetts,	9	7.02	
	Total number of week	s. 34	Ł.	
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## WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

To Arthur B. Grant, Constable of the Town of Poland in the County of Androscoggin and State of Maine.

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Poland, qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1929, at ten 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 hear and act upon reports of town officers and committee on accounts.
- Art. 3. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
- Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more road commissioners and fix their compensation.
- Art. 5. To see if the town will vote to elect a Commission of five to hire and fix the compensation of road commissioner, said commission to include our three selectmen together with a man from the west, and one from the south or east part of the town. This commission to name its own chairman. Members of the commission, other than the selectmen, to receive for their services, the sum of \$10 each per year.
- Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to pass over all special road and bridge appropriations except those pertaining to State Aid Third Class roads and snow bills, and raise

and appropriate one common road and bridge fund, said appropriation to be expended by the commission elected in Article No. 5.

- Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay tuition of scholars attending High Schools of other towns, support Common Schools, and for school textbooks and supplies.
- Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to re-open the Tripp City school.
- Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to continue the Johnson Hill school.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school property.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expenses of graduation exercises of Poland schools, under the direction of the Superintending School Committee.
- Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salary of Superintendent of Schools and other town officers.
- Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of roads and bridges.
- Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise \$1,000.00 for common road patrol.
- Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to buy or hire a tractor or truck for road work and snow removal and the necessary equipment to attach to same or act in any other manner relating thereto.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or hire to purchase a tractor or truck for road work and snow removal, this sum to include

the necessary equipment to attach to same or act in other way relating thereto.

- Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to sell one or both of the town teams or act in any other manner relating thereto.
- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay snow bills.
- Art. 19. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising necessary money to entitle the town to State Aid, as provided in Section 19 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1916.
- Art. 20. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$732.00 for the improvement of the section of State Aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission, in addition to the amount regularly raised for care of ways, highways and bridges.

The above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 18, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

- Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of State Highways during the ensuing year, under provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913 and Chapter 272 of the Public Laws of 1915.
- Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 to be expended on the road between the Rogers Fibre Co. and the G. T. R. R. siding, the Rogers Fibre Co. agreeing to give \$250.00.
- Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$25.00 from J. R. Long and raise the sum of \$75.00 to widen the turn at State road on road running from New Gloucester Town line on Raymond road to State road at Shaker Village.
  - Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and

appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to expend on the Hardscrabble road near Chas. McKinley's and extending toward Minot Corner.

- Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and expend to improve the road around Middle Lake continuing the work done in 1928 between H. Ricker & Sons' sand bank and John Schellinger's.
- Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to continue the road from Harris Hill schoolhouse to the Mechanic Falls line.
- Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to repair the Mannis Hill so-called, below Burbank Strout's.
- Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to fix the swamp hill and gravel the swamp between the Black Cat Hill turn and West Poland four corners.
- Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money not to exceed \$100.00 for the purpose of purchasing and placing in the Town Hall, a bronze tablet erected to the memory of Edward Payson Ricker.
- Art. 30. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor.
- Art. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay collector's commission and abatements.
- Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and donate to A. A. Dwinal Post, G. A. R., to help defray the expenses of Memorial Day.
- Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$50.00 for placing the names of the ex-soldiers of the war of 1865 within the jurisdiction of the A. A. Dwinal Post, on a Bronze Memorial Tablet attached to the soldiers' monument at Mechanic Falls.

- Art. 34. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to expend for school flags, as required by the Maine school laws.
- Art. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and expend for the purpose of advertising the resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.
- Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 to pay the Town Bond, due September 1, 1929, and \$810.00 to pay interest on Town Bonds, due in 1929.
- Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to place guard railings in dangerous places around town.
- Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$75.00 to pay the school board.
- Art. 39. To see what date the town will fix for payment of taxes.
- Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to make poll taxes payable on presentation of bill.
- Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to allow the Town Treasurer and Selectmen to hire necessary money to pay bills until taxes are collected.
- Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to have the town books audited for the ensuing year.
- Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to raise \$300.00 for the repair of town buildings.
- Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and expend the sum of \$200.00 to continue work of White Pine Blister Rust control.
- Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to accept the Trust Fund of \$100.00 according to the provisions of the will of Annie L. Littlefield.

- Art. 46. To see if the town will raise and expend such sum of money for the maintenance of State Aid roads and Third Class roads as shall be necessary to prevent a forfeiture of apportionment from the State.
- Art. 47. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and expend to continue gravelling the road beginning at the "square house" and extending towards George Chipman's.
- Art. 48. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125.00 for the services of a county public health nurse working under the supervision of the Maine Public Health Association.
- Art. 49. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to make up for overdrawn accounts and what sum they will vote for same.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Town Hall on the day of the meeting at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Poland this twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1929.

Signed,

R. L. CHIPMAN,
LEO G. TORREY,
H. C. FELKER,
Selectmen of Poland.

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