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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

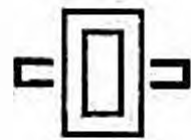
OF THE

TOWN OF POLAND

MAINE

For the Year Ending February 14th

1931



PRESS OF
MERRILL & WEBBER COMPANY
AUBURN, MAINE

APR 7 1931

TOWN OFFICERS 1930

Town Clerk

C. C. MITCHELL

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

LEO G. TORREY ELMER F. WALKER
HERBERT G. BERRY

Town Treasurer

C. C. MITCHELL

Constables

ALMON WATERHOUSE GEO. BLAIR

Collector and Constable

ARTHUR B. GRANT

Road Commissioner

EUGENE R. RIDLEY

School Board

ROGER L. GOWELL CHAS. P. PULSIFER
IDA K. GRANT

Board of Health

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

Health Officer

GEO. P. PULSIFER

Sealer of Weights and Measures

ALMON WATERHOUSE

Fire Warden

ALMON WATERHOUSE

Deputy Fire Warden

R. L. CHIPMAN

ANNUAL REPORT

Of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

For the Year Ending February 14, 1931

Real estate, resident,	\$ 690,685 00	
Real estate, non-resident,	329,290 00	
Total real estate,		\$1,019,975 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$ 143,965 00	
Personal estate, non-resident,	47,350 00	
Total personal estate,		\$ 191,315 00
Grand total,		\$1,211,290 00

Kinds and Value of Personal Property

Live Stock	No.	Value
Horses,	197	\$ 14,360 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years old,	7	275 00
Colts, 2 to 3 years old,	1	50 00
Colts under 2 years old,	2	65 00
Cows,	478	26,780 00
Oxen, bulls,	17	1,090 00
Three years old,	90	4,925 00
Two years old,	108	5,125 00
Hens over 50 in No.,	1946	1,930 00
Swine over 10 in No.,	74	1,760 00
Total amount,		\$ 56,360 00

Exempt Livestock and Poultry

Live Stock	No.	Value
One year old,	136	\$ 3,395 00
Sheep to 35 in number,	22	176 00
Swine to 10 in number,	91	1,475 00
Poultry to 50 in number,	4145	4,133 00
Total exempt stock,		<u>\$ 9,179 00</u>

All Other Kinds of Personal Property

Money at interest,	1	\$ 10,000 00
Stock in trade,	9	14,000 00
Small boats,	66	2,025 00
Logs,	200M	1,600 00
Lumber,	358M	3,580 00
Automobiles,	1	80 00
Musical instruments,	94	9,040 00
Radios,	73	5,255 00
Furniture,	20	33,600 00
Finished products in mills,	1	2,000 00
Material in stock,	2	15,500 00
Other property,		38,275 00
Total,		<u>\$134,955 00</u>
Live stock brought forward,		<u>56,360 00</u>
Total amount of personal property,		<u>\$ 191,315 00</u>

Rate of Taxation

\$39.00 on \$1,000.00. Poll tax, \$3.00. No. of polls taxed, 393. No. of polls not taxed, 59.

Collector's commission, \$0.01 on \$1.00 and postage.

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 tax,	\$ 9,771 98
County tax,	2,357 34
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Total,	\$ 12,129 32

VOTED BY THE TOWN MARCH 10, 1930

Schools,	\$ 12,000 00
Repairs school property,	1,000 00
Graduation,	50 00
School flags,	25 00
Salaries, Town Officers,	1,000 00
Roads and bridges,	5,000 00
Common road patrol,	1,000 00
Snow fence,	1,000 00
Snow bills,	2,500 00
State aid road,	732 00
Maintenance,	1,000 00
Maintenance Third Class road,	726 00
Rogers Fibre Co. road,	500 00
Hard scrabble road,	400 00
No. Raymond road,	100 00
Harris Hill road,	500 00
Black Cat road,	300 00
Jackson road,	300 00
John Schellinger road,	1,000 00
Geo. Chipman road,	200 00
Turn Black Cat road and White Oak Hill,	300 00
Support of poor,	3,500 00
A. A. Dwinal Post, G. A. R.,	25 00
Contingent Fund,	500 00
Advertising,	300 00
Collectors' commission and abatements,	700 00
Bonds and interest,	1,765 00
School board,	75 00
Repairs Town buildings,	300 00
Pine blister rust control,	200 00

County nurse,	50 00
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Total,	\$ 37,048 00
State tax,	\$ 9,771 98
County tax,	2,357 34
Overlay,	1,592 51
Excise tax,	886 06
Supplemental tax,	221 10
Voted by town,	37,048 00
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Total commitment, to collector,	\$ 51,876 99
Received from collector,	\$ 50,434 31
Uncollected taxes,	343 22
Abatements,	227 62
Due from taxes, 1930,	856 84
Watering tubs,	15 00
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	\$ 51,876 99

COLLECTOR'S COMMISSION AND
ABATEMENTS

Appropriated,		\$ 700 00
A. B. Grant commission,	\$ 826 11	
Abatements,	227 26	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,053 37
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Overdrawn,		\$ 353 37
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	UNPAID TAXES, 1926	
Roy Edwards,		\$ 1 00
G. M. Jordan,		15 70
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		\$ 16 70
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	UNPAID TAXES, 1927	
Bert Ames,		\$ 33 09
G. M. Jordan,		15 24

Arthur Strout,	10 48
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	\$ 58 81

UNPAID TAXES, 1928

John Bragdon,	\$ 87
L. O. Grant,	7 87
Bert Ames,	31 35
Nelson Edwards,	3 00
Roy Edwards,	4 05
Fred Edwards,	3 00
Frank Galipeau,	8 25
G. M. Jordan,	16 12
Roy McCleary,	31 52
D. F. Reed,	17 50
Arthur Strout,	3 70
Geo. E. Tripp,	3 00
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	\$ 130 23

UNPAID TAXES, 1929

E. G. Boyker,	\$ 4 64
Chas. Leo Burns,	3 00
Onesine Dalbec,	3 00
Roy Edwards,	5 05
Geo. Foster,	13 25
L. O. Grant,	12 43
Mrs. Jas. Hasey,	1 44
Clara Jackson,	14 76
Frank R. Lothrop,	3 82
Edward Martin,	3 35
John Morrison,	3 41
Roy McCleary,	29 45
Leander Perkins,	3 41
John M. Pulsifer, Jr.,	3 00
Arthur Poland,	5 05

Silas Strout,	3 00
Lester Strout,	2 05
Ralph Strout,	3 00
M. C. Sawyer,	4 03
Arthur Strout,	3 00
Fred Sylvester,	7 10
Gardner E. Tripp,	2 64
Harold Tripp,	2 93
Geo. E. Tripp,	3 41
Philip Eignault,	3 82
Henry Tellier,	3 00
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	\$ 147 04

UNPAID TAXES, 1930

Resident

Bertrand Ames,	\$ 36 54
Leon Auger,	6 90
M. T. Burnham,	77 30
Everett G. Boyker,	1 56
Frank Bussiere,	3 00
John Bragdon,	3 98
Zeri Berry,	5 34
Lois Berry,	1 95
Frank Doughty,	28 16
I. T. Emery,	3 00
Roy Edwards,	3 00
Geo. Foster,	8 00
Geo. Frank,	3 00
Granville Foye,	3 00
Leslie O. Grant,	6 90
Frank Galipeau,	10 80
Ornan Glover,	4 56
Theodore E. Hall,	5 93
G. M. Jordan,	16 65
Frank R. Lothrop,	3 00
Everett Lothrop,	4 95

Eddie Martin,	3 00
John Morrison,	3 00
Roy McCleary,	23 08
Wilfred T. Perrier,	12 75
Leander Perkins,	3 00
Levi Stone,	13 92
Silas Strout,	3 00
Ralph Strout,	3 00
Wm. Strout,	3 00
Mellen C. Sawyer,	3 00
Fred Sylvester,	6 12
Martin Strelneck,	4 95
Freeman Thurston,	3 00
Geo. H. Tripp,	8 88
Gardner E. Tripp,	3 00
Harold Tripp,	3 00
Irving Thurlow,	3 00
Kenneth Witham,	3 00
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	\$ 343 22

ABATED TAXES, 1930

Resident

Wilson, P. G., error in assessing,	\$ 24 96
Fern, Bean, gone,	3 00
Cole, Warren, error in assessing,	3 90
Chaplin, John, poor,	20 94
Campbell, Chas., poor,	2 93
Clark, Amasa, soldier,	38 10
Cullen, Gerald, gone,	3 00
Cronin, F. J., gone,	3 00
Dark, Geo., paid in Freeport,	6 90
Doyon, Peter, gone,	3 00
Goodwin, Clifford, paid in McFalls,	3 00
Garriepy, Jos., gone,	3 00
Hunnewell, Mrs. Annie, soldier's widow,	7 80

Hobbs, Edwin, error in assessing.	3 00
Johnson, Allen, gone,	3 00
Kramer, Richard, gone,	3 00
Lawrence, Phil J., gone,	3 00
Martin, Bernard, paid in Saco,	3 00
Merrill, Alton, gone,	5 93
Merrill, Thos. O., gone,	3 00
Perry, Lawrence, gone,	3 00
Riendeau, Ralph, gone,	3 00
Rafuse, H. C., gone,	3 12
Strout Lester, buildings burned,	7 80
Strout, Jos., soldier,	19 11
Smith, Jas., paid in Auburn,	3 00
Tripp, Geo. E., paid in Minot,	3 00
Thurlow, Richard, poor,	10 60
Tapley, Jas., gone,	3 00
Wilson, Arthur, paid in Gray,	3 00
Wharton, H. F., paid in Wollaston, Mass.,	3 00

\$ 209 09

ABATED TAXES, 1930

Non-Resident

Fred Moran, sold to E. E. Tucker,	\$ 15 60
Mrs. Hannah Millett, error in assessing.	2 93

\$ 18 53

SOLD FOR TAXES, 1930

Non-Resident

Herbert Callahan,	\$ 23 40
Geo. Dunn, heirs of,	11 70
W. H. Cook,	3 90
Fred Edwards,	6 83
John Lavin,	3 90
Morris Mitchell,	154 05

Mr. Hudson,	1 95
Bartholemi Perrier,	6 83
Percy Ridlon,	3 90
Chas. Records, heirs of,	15 60
Roy Raynor,	12 68
Frank E. Spaulding,	15 60
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	\$ 260 34

SOLD FOR TAXES, 1930

Resident, Real Estate

Bert Ames,	\$ 89 70
Leon Auger,	13 65
Lois Berry,	21 45
I. T. Emery,	27 30
Roy Edwards,	4 88
L. C. Foster, heirs of,	60 45
Mrs. Bessie Fields, heirs of,	39 00
Mrs. Jos. Fortier,	8 97
Leslie O. Grant,	31 20
Frank Galipeau,	5 10
Ornan Glover,	3 90
Mrs. Jas. Hasey,	13 65
Theodore E. Hall,	9 38
G. M. Jordan,	66 30
Eddie Martin,	2 48
John Morrison,	7 80
Roy McCleary,	85 80
Wilfred T. Perrier,	18 25
Leander Perkins,	2 34
Mrs. Annie Sawyer, heirs of,	23 40
Lester Strout,	1 17
Mellen C. Sawyer,	39 00
Harold Tripp,	15 09
Harvey Walker,	6 24
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	\$ 596 50

260.34

856.84

DUE FROM TAX DEEDS

Roy McCleary, 1921,	\$	49 47
Roy Edwards, 1925,		5 42
Roy Edwards, 1926,		4 12
G. M. Jordan, 1926,		56 10
Bertrand Ames, 1927,		36 50
Mrs. Jas. Hasey, 1927,		11 90
G. M. Jordan, 1927,		7 80
Bertrand Ames, 1928,		75 25
Everett Boyker, 1928,		17 50
Fred Edwards, 1928,		5 25
Roy Edwards, 1928,		4 37
Mrs. Bessie Fields, heirs of, 1928,		35 00
Frank Galipeau, 1928,		31 50
Mrs. Jas. Hasey, 1928,		12 25
G. M. Jordan, 1928,		59 50
Mrs. Annie Sawyer, heirs of, 1928,		21 00
P. G. Wilson, 1928,		14 00
Geo. Dunn, 1929,		12 30
Roy McCleary, 1929,		90 20
Everett G. Boyker, 1929,		20 50
Mrs. Jas. Hasey, 1929,		14 35
Frank Galipeau, 1929,		33 35
L. O. Grant, 1929,		32 80
Mrs. Bessie Fields, heirs of, 1929,		41 00
L. C. Foster, heirs of, 1929,		63 55
Roy Edwards, 1929,		5 13
John Morrison, 1929,		6 56
Leander Perkins, 1929,		2 56
Mrs. Annie Sawyer, heirs of 1929.		24 60
Lester Strout,		10 25
Mellen C. Sawyer,		41 00
Harold Tripp,		28 70
Bertrand Ames,		94 30
Fred Edwards,		6 15
Chas. Records,		16 40
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	\$	990 63

WATERING TUBS

Roy Kimball,	\$	5 00
Excelsior Grange,		5 00
J. A. Pike,		5 00
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	\$	15 00

CONTINGENT

Dr.

Excise tax,	\$	886 06
Bank stock tax,		1,994 67
Rec'd, State Treasurer in error,		173 00
Interest check account,		95 09
M. W. Richardson, house rent,		20 00
Gledhill Huskin, compensation refund ins.,		29 52
Interest on excise tax,		10 80
Warren Cole, rent, pasture Old Town Farm,		5 00
Norris Hanscom, rent,		32 30
Fidelity Trust Co., refund interest on note,		25 00
H. Ricker & Sons, Bond H. Fund,		3,000 00
Fidelity Trust Co., loan,		10,000 00
Overlay in assessing,		1,592 51
Received from railroad and telegraph tax,		292 87
Supplemental tax,		221 00
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	\$	18,377 82

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Geo. E. Chipman, Board of Health,	\$	6 00
C. C. Mitchell, postage and recording,		86 54
Geo. P. Pulsifer, Health Officer,		210 00
Telephone and postage,		
A. B. Grant, postage and constable work,		34 22
Central Maine Power Co., lights town hall,		23 62
Central Maine Power Co., stable,		12 69
Donald Pulsifer, wood town office,		3 00
Jordan & Jordan, auditor,		100 00

York County Mutual Fire Ins. Co., office, farm and stable insurance,	52 90
A. A. Woodsum, wood for office.	12 00
Storer's Print Shop, printing stationery,	19 45
Loring, Short & Harmon, valuation book and office supplies,	23 60
Geo. P. Pulsifer, town officers bonds,	85 00
Gledhill, Huskins & Co., compensation ins.,	634 76
Leo G. Torrey, office Record book,	4 65
H. G. Berry, cash paid out,	15 96
Hall, Martin Co., office supplies,	13 66
Safety Fire Extinguisher Co., part for exting.,	32 50
Merrill & Webber Co., printing town report,	132 60
Leo G. Torrey, cash paid out,	25 35
D. C. Tripp, truant officer,	2 00
Town of Mechanic Falls Fire Dept., fire Baker cottage,	58 00
Town of Mechanic Falls Fire Dept., Cyrus Cole place,	94 00
Town of Mechanic Falls Fire Dept., Jos. Strout,	45 00
City of Auburn Fire Dept., Claud Trask,	35 00
City of Auburn Fire Dept., C. W. Sawyer,	35 00
City of Auburn Fire Dept., Frank Lothrop,	35 00
Tascus Atwood, legal services, Mar. 1927 to July 1930,	58 75
Frank Millett, placing names on soldiers' monument at McFalls,	50 00
Fidelity Trust Co., note, interest,	5,077 78
National Used Car Market Report, subscrip- tion,	6 00
Dr. W. W. Bolster, attending accident at Poland Corner,	5 00
Almond Waterhouse, janitor town hall,	38 00
State Treasurer, error on check from State,	173 00
Johnson I. Higgins, insurance town hall,	150 00
Jessie E. Ochampaugh, election clerk,	8 00
Geo. W. Blair, gate tender,	8 00

Frank C. Currier, gate tender,	8 00
B. A. Carpenter, ballot clerk,	8 00
Fidelity Trust Co., Grange note and Hackett Fund,	100 00
Linwood S. Durgin, liability insurance on truck,	51 00
C. E. Chipman, insurance on town stable house,	6 50
Fidelity Trust Co., note and interest,	5,125 00
Mrs. C. E. Chipman, ballot clerk,	8 00
H. H. Hayes Sons, disinfectant supplies,	6 54
John G. West, typewriter supplies,	5 50
Harriet M. Spiller, telephone and postage,	14 00
Lewiston Sun Journal, advertising taxes,	14 25
Elmer F. Walker, cash paid out,	7 75
Poland Telephone Co., installing phone and service,	6 60
A. J. Weston Co., coal town hall,	8 89
Ida E. Strout, ballot clerk,	8 00
Dr. H. E. Doughty, reporting births and deaths,	25
Dr. J. A. Williams, reporting births and deaths,	4 75
Dr. W. W. Bolster, reporting births and deaths,	50
Dr. Gard Twaddle, reporting births and deaths,	50
Dr. L. A. Sweatt, reporting births and deaths,	2 50
Dr. L. H. Poore, reporting births and deaths,	25
Dr. H. W. Beck, reporting births and deaths,	25
Fidelity Trust Co., H. R. Sons, bond to Hack- ett Fund,	5,000 00
Fidelity Trust Co., interest on H. R. Sons bond to Hackett Fund,	143 75
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	\$15,937 81

TOWN OFFICERS

Appropriated,		\$ 1,000 00
C. C. Mitchell Treas., bal. salary, 1929,	\$ 95 00	
R. L. Chipman, bal. salary, 1929,	81 00	
Leo G. Torrey, bal. salary, 1929,	72 00	
H. C. Felker, bal. salary, 1929,	66 00	
H. G. Berry, part salary,	134 00	
Leo G. Torrey, part salary,	235 00	
Elmer F. Walker, part salary,	125 00	
C. C. Mitchell, treas. salary,	175 00	
Harriet M. Spiller,	203 72	
C. C. Mitchell, Town Clerk,	44 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,230 72
Overdrawn,		\$ 230 72

SCHOOL BOARD

Appropriation,		\$ 75 00
Mary B. Chipman, salary 1929,	\$ 25 00	
Roger L. Gowell, salary 1929,	25 00	
Chas. L. Pulsifer, salary 1929,	25 00	
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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation,		\$ 50 00
Paid Am. Red Cross, Lewiston and Auburn Chapter,	\$ 50 00	

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation,		\$ 25 00
Paid F. A. Millett, A. A. Dvinal Post G. A. R.,	\$ 25 00	

SCHOOL FLAGS

Appropriation,		\$ 25 00
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Paid J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$	39 75
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Overdrawn,	\$	14 75

BLISTER RUST CONTROL

Appropriation,	\$	200 00
Rec'd of Nellie McCann,		7 00
Rec'd of L. S. Wheeler,		10 50
Due from W. S. Frank,		7 00
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Total,	\$	224 50
Paid J. Alden Chipman,	\$	31 50
Paid K. B. Kimball,		122 15
Paid Harold L. Wilson,		1 50
Paid F. R. Landry,		66 15
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	\$	221 30
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Unexpended,	\$	3 20

REPAIR TOWN BUILDINGS

Appropriation,	\$	300 00
W. W. Huston, labor Town stable house,	\$	11 50
Meserve Lumber Co., lumber Town stable house,		14 10
E. A. Libby, lumber Town Farm,		18 60
Norris Hanscom, labor and pump box, Town stable house,		2 85
W. W. Huston, labor Town Farm barn,		28 75
Forrest Walker, mill work Town Farm barn,		3 00
Bailey Bros., paint Town Hall,		3 40
Chas. Campbell, painting pillars T. H.,		8 00

Myron Strout, plastering Town Farm,	10 00	
E. A. Libby, lumber Town Farm.	9 00	
E. C. Jordan, glass, putty, etc.,	5 75	
H. G. Berry, labor on well T. stable house,	10 00	
E. F. Walker, pump, pipe, etc., T. stable house,	26 53	
Meserve Lumber Co., screens and screen doors, Town Hall,	43 55	
	<u> </u>	\$ 195 03
Balance unexpended,		<u> </u> \$ 104 97

TOWN BONDS AND INTEREST

Appropriation,		\$ 1,765 00
Paid Lewiston Trust Co., interest,	\$ 382 50	
Paid C. L. Keene, bond and interest,	1,382 50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 1,765 00

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN

Assets

Town Hall,	\$ 20,000 00
Selectmen's Office,	2,000 00
Town Farm,	5,000 00
Old Town Farm,	2,000 00
Town Stable and House,	2,500 00
School Houses,	17,700 00
Town Farm inventory, stock, tools and equipment,	2,500 00
Road equipment inventory,	365 00
Due from tax deeds,	990 63
Due from unpaid taxes,	1,552 84
Cash on hand,	893 57
	<u> </u> \$ 55,502 04

Liabilities

Town Hall Bonds,	\$ 16,000 00	
School pay roll,	2,041 43	
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Balance,		<hr/> \$ 37,460 61

RECOMMENDATIONS

We would recommend the following appropriations for 1931:

Roads and bridges,	\$ 9,000 00
Snow bills,	3,500 00
Collector's commission and abatements,	1,000 00
Support of poor.	3,500 00
Town Officers' salaries,	1,500 00
Contingent,	1,000 00
Maintenance of State road,	1,200 00
Maintenance of 3rd class road,	1,010 00
Snow Fence,	1,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

LEO G. TORREY,
ELMER F. WALKER,
HERBERT G. BERRY,
Selectmen of Poland.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

A. W. HACKETT FUND

Unexpended balance, 1930,	\$	33	26	
Interest on Hackett Fund,			683	86
			727	12

Dr.

Irving Walker,	\$	116	14	
Lawrence Walker,			174	24
Vernette Winslow,			156	01
Chas. Campbell,			6	00
James Hasey,			274	73
			727	12

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tripp were hired to run the town farm from April 1, 1930 to April 1, 1931.

Disease among the cows was found and we found it advisable to sell the entire herd for beef. This caused the town quite a loss.

We have found the place to be kept neat and clean and the two paupers, Joe Jordan and Maggie Alexander to be well cared for.

Mrs. Sanborn is still being cared for by Mrs. Sadie Barr of East Poland.

The town of Poland has sued the City of Auburn over a bill of goods we furnished Thos. O. Merrill and won the suit. His residence and settlement was established in the City of Auburn.

TOWN FARM, 1931

Dr.

8	Cows,	\$	650	00
2	Horses,		200	00
1	Bull,		75	00
1	2 yr. old heifer,		45	00
1	Calf,		15	00
1	Veal Calf,		10	00
50	Hens,		70	00
7	Hogs,		110	00
14	Tons hay and straw,		140	00
	Grain on hand,		23	00
7	Bags fertilizer,		14	00
97	Cans corn,		19	40
75	Lbs. pork,		10	50
37	Cords wood,		270	00
50	Bu. potatoes,		75	00
7	Bu. beans,		42	00
50	Jars preserves,		14	00
	Groceries on hand,		20	76
	Apples and vegetables,		13	00
	Strainer pads on hand,		2	00
	J. F. Strout, blacksmith work,		11	75
	Morey Farm, blacksmith work,		11	90
	Poland Tel. Co., telephone,		28	35
	Virgil Libby, butter,		50	50
	Ralph Brackett, sawing wood,		24	00
	Cen. Me. Power Co., lights,		34	43
	Elmer Tripp, salary,		720	00
	H. E. Hanscom, labor,		89	75
	H. E. Hanscom, milk,		2	31
	M. W. Richardson, grain,		27	55
	Leon C. Records, meat, fish and bread,		68	39
	Perryville Drug Co., medicine,		2	58
	A. L. Woodsome, fish,		50	
	M. L. Mills, meat,		1	68

Foye Wescott, labor,	9 00
Foye Wescott, chickens,	1 50
Dr. L. M. Brown, veterinary,	41 00
A. J. Weston Co., lime,	1 50
C. M. Waterhouse, 3 cows,	250 00
C. M. Waterhouse, milk pads,	4 00
Hiram Tripp, labor,	16 50
Alton Berry, labor,	44 50
Wm. J. Crossman, Rawleigh Products,	4 90
Alvah D. Strout, fertilizer,	16 00
Harry M. Mills, labor,	1 75
John Emery, cow,	75 00
Chas. Austin, trucking cow,	3 00
Henry A. Stone, cow,	70 00
W. R. Harris, rep. harness,	3 30
Byron L. Strout, sheet iron,	2 40
Sabra McAlister, 2 cows, 1 calf,	195 00
Briggs Garage, 6 dry cells,	1 75
C. C. Giddings, trucking cows,	3 00
Geo. L. Curtis, labor,	7 50
Mrs. L. H. Curtis, papering,	6 00
Mrs. Fred Wescott, 13 pullets,	13 00
Norris Hanscom, labor,	98 00
Merrill & Denning, medicine,	2 75
J. W. Penney & Sons Co., rep. stove door,	79
Arthur F. Grant, seed beans,	3 00
E. C. Jordan, supplies,	33 27
Arthur F. Grant, supplies,	16 72
A. W. Martin, grain,	423 31
A. W. Martin, supplies,	229 73
Fred Tufts, labor,	6 10
Morris Diamond, linen and clothing for Maggie Alex- ander,	13 76

H. J. Johnston, team labor,	3 00
H. J. Johnston, bull service,	4 00
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Total,	\$ 4,497 38

TOWN FARM, 1930-31

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6 Cows,	\$ 450 00
1 Calf,	15 00
2 Horses,	200 00
35 Cords wood,	215 00
7 Bu. beans,	42 00
10 Tons hay,	100 00
Grain on hand,	28 00
5 Bags fertilizer,	10 00
57 Hens,	60 00
50 Bu. potatoes,	40 00
Apples and vegetables,	10 00
72 Cans corn,	14 40
58 Qts. preserves,	17 40
1 Box strainer pads,	2 00
Groceries on hand,	20 00
Potatoes sold,	77 47
Beans sold,	91 06
Milk, sold T. C. S.,	493 89
Peas, sold T. C. S.,	27 79
Dividend 2 no. Preferred Stock T. C. S.,	4 61
Wood sold,	35 65
Cows sold,	390 00
Hog sold,	35 00
Hens sold,	19 93
Apples sold,	1 50
Eggs sold,	18 33
Pigs sold,	26 50
Lettuce and cucumbers sold,	76
Veal calves,	54 00

Telephone,	5 50
Team work on Road and others,	181 01
Rec'd various,	310 26
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Total,	\$ 2,997 06
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Balance against Farm, Feb. 15, 1931,	\$ 1,500 32

SUPPORT OF POOR OFF FARM

Appropriated,	\$ 3,500 00
Rec'd from Town of Gray (Al. Thompson),	159 49
State paupers,	399 31
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Total,	\$ 4,058 80

Colby Berry,	\$ 407 55
Silas May,	261 73
James Hasey,	121 41
Mel Frank,	362 51
Mrs. Algernon Cox,	250 00
Lewis Walker,	13 99
Ella Sanborn,	560 00
Bertha M. Carr (State pauper),	351 24
Al. Thompson (Town of Gray),	44 40
Jeremiah Tripp, children,	111 55
Perley Cole (Hospital and burial),	297 00
Rosco G. Cox,	140 00
Dr. J. A. Williams (dr. poor, 1929- 1930),	175 00
E. A. Thurlow,	36 70
Wynona Edwards Rowe (Hospital bill),	93 00
Clarence Bonney,	34 59
Elmer Bonney,	103 00

Theop. Barbarick,	10 00
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Total,	\$ 3,367 57
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Balance,	\$ 691 23
George Walker, dependent soldier,	324 00
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Balance,	\$ 367 23

MOTHERS' AID

Mrs. Bridgham,	\$ 120 00
Mrs. Birney,	240 00
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	\$ 360 00
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Unexpended,	\$ 7 23

Respectfully submitted,

LEO G. TORREY,
ELMER F. WALKER,
HERBERT G. BERRY,
Overseers of Poor, Poland.

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

COMMON ROADS

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 290 00
Wendell Strout,	232 75
Roy Edwards,	154 00
H. W. Ricker & Son,	11 33
John Morrison,	134 75
Sidney Peach,	51 50
C. P. Strout,	187 25
Mellen Sawyer,	206 76
Charles Morey,	51 58
Donald Pulsifer,	345 00
E. F. Korn,	181 00
W. E. Tripp,	169 75
R. Cobb,	169 75
F. B. Strout,	156 00
Silas Strout,	136 50
Roy McCleary,	102 30
Leslie Grant,	45 50
D. C. Tripp,	22 50
Fred Wescott,	28 50
J. C. Penney & Son,	7 90
Benjamin Davis and truck,	459 75
Ralph Brackett and truck,	372 00
E. C. Jordan,	50 73
Irvin Tripp,	6 13
Channing Edwards,	83 42
Isaiah Emery,	152 25
W. R. Harris,	8 15
Floyd Kimball,	6 00
New Eng. Metal Cul. Co.,	348 60

Andrew Giddinge and truck,	303 50
Frank Fields and truck,	65 00
Arthur Martin,	10 06
Foye Wescott,	28 00
Bailey Brothers,	40 56
B. L. Ames,	38 50
D. C. Austin,	35 00
Henry St Clair,	1 75
W. W. Huston,	5 25
Berger Manf. Co.,	189 34
C. M. Blair,	161 00
C. E. Keene,	194 50
Fairfield Edwards,	22 17
Meserve Lumber Co.,	48 30
Warren Keene,	15 00
Arthur Strout,	99 50
Acie Strout,	17 50
Emery Bunker,	2 70
F. D. Blake,	10 00
Mellen Frank,	127 50
A. F. Emery,	62 50
M. F. Burnham,	4 50
A. J. Weston & Co.,	52 78
Clarence Pulsifer,	3 50
A. E. Hodgkins,	57
Victor R. Stevens,	7 00
Lewis Whittier,	14 75
Elmer Tripp,	97 21
F. T. Sawyer, smithwork,	77 60
G. R. Hunnewell, dynamite etc.,	14 82
Northern Road Equip. Co.,	7 00
Frank Stone,	7 50
E. C. Rawson,	3 00
A. F. Grant,	6 11
W. H. Storer,	2 44
Llewellyn Bryant,	24 00
A. E. Verrill,	35 00

Henry Martin,	77 00
Mrs. Mildred Bailey, gravel,	14 25
Geo. H. Tripp,	14 00
M. C. R. R., freight,	1 38
E. A. Libby, gravel,	78 60
Herbert Haskell,	3 50
B. S. Tenney, gravel,	10 05
Alonzo Wilson and truck,	20 00
E. R. Ridley's truck,	332 50
R. P. Yeaton,	2 25
John Edwards, gravel,	11 25
E. R. Ridley, envelopes, caps, etc.,	3 91
	\$ 6,575 75

Appropriated for roads and bridges,	\$ 5,000 00
Check returned by Donald Pulsifer,	20 00
Dynamite sold to James Fernald,	50
Dynamite sold to A. B. Grant,	68
Dynamite sold to A. H. Chisholm,	3 50
Culvert sold to Harry Davis,	15 00
Allowed at Special Town Meeting,	2,000 00
	\$ 7,039 68

BUSHES CUT AND BURNED ON
STATE HIGHWAYS

W. E. Tripp,	\$ 17 50
Royal Cobb,	17 50
Roy Edwards,	52 50
Harold Tripp,	3 50
Isaiah Emery,	15 75
C. M. Blair,	15 75
E. F. Korn,	14 00
Sidney Peach,	115 50
Wendell Strout,	31 50
Lester Mitchell,	3 50
Silas Strout,	59 50
Arthur Strout,	56 00

Henry Martin,	21 00	
Emery Bunker,	58 53	
F. B. Strout,	17 50	
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Amount expended, paid from com- mon road money,		\$ 500 03
State Aid maintenance, appropri- ated,		\$ 1,000 00
State Aid maintenance, expended,	\$ 1,091 68	
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Overdrawn,		\$ 91 68

COMMON ROAD PATROL

Leslie Grant,	\$ 80 50
E. R. Ridley,	45 00
M. F. Lane and team,	221 75
Donald Pulsifer,	55 00
F. C. Wescott,	65 03
Benjamin Davis,	28 00
E. R. Ridley's truck,	47 25
Elmer Tripp,	22 55
Levie Stone,	107 95
Lewis Whittier,	41 00
C. C. Giddinge,	5 25
D. C. Tripp,	24 00
C. E. Keene,	29 75
John Morrison,	61 25
Roy Edwards,	7 00
E. F. Korn,	10 50
Silas Strout,	7 00
Arthur Strout,	28 00
R. Cobb,	10 50
Ralph Brackett,	25 00
F. B. Strout,	26 25
Roy McCleary,	4 66
Henry Martin,	15 75

Wendell Strout,	7 00
Frank Fields,	10 00
Ralph Harlow,	8 75
Lowell Brown,	8 75
A. E. Verrill,	7 00
Mellen Sawyer, gravel,	24 00
Thomas Bergeron,	17 50
C. P. Strout,	10 50
C. D. Austin,	64 50
G. H. Tripp,	35 00
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Amount expended,	\$ 1,161 94
Raised by Town,	1,000 00
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Overdrawn,	\$ 161 94

HARD SCRABBLE ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 20 00
John Morrison,	10 50
Mellen Sawyer,	12 25
C. M. Blair,	17 50
C. P. Strout,	17 50
E. R. Ridley's truck,	19 50
Roy Edwards,	3 50
R. Cobb,	10 50
E. F. Korn,	10 50
Acie Strout,	10 50
Ralph Brackett and truck,	30 00
A. E. Verrill,	17 50
Lowell Brown,	17 50
Henry Martin,	17 50
Frank Fields and truck,	55 00
Benjamin Davis and truck,	30 00
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	50 00
Ralph Harlow,	17 50
Wendell Strout,	10 50
F. L. Havey,	15 00

Harlow Humphrey,	24 75	
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Amount expended,		\$ 417 50
Raised by Town,		400 00
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Overdrawn,		\$ 17 50

WHITE OAK HILL

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 15 00	
John Morrison,	10 50	
R. Cobb,	10 50	
Mellen Sawyer,	10 50	
C. P. Strout,	10 50	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	30 00	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	30 00	
Frank Fields and truck,	30 00	
E. R. Ridley's truck,	13 00	
Donald Pulsifer truck,	20 00	
F. B. Strout,	10 50	
W. E. Tripp,	10 50	
E. F. Korn,	10 50	
C. M. Blair,	10 50	
A. E. Verrill,	10 50	
Ralph Harlow,	10 50	
J. Whittier,	10 50	
Lewis Whittier,	14 00	
Lowell Brown,	10 50	
Herbert Haskell,	10 50	
E. Chadman,	7 00	
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Amount expended,		\$ 295 50
Raised by Town,		300 00
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Unexpended,		\$ 4 50

SCHELLINGER ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 45 00
Roy Edwards,	12 25

W. E. Tripp,	29 75	
Berger Manf. Co., culverts,	76 44	
E. R. Ridley's truck,	45 50	
John Morrison,	21 00	
R. Cobb,	28 00	
E. F. Korn,	26 25	
C. M. Blair,	14 00	
C. P. Strout,	28 00	
Mellen Sawyer,	21 00	
Silas Strout,	21 00	
Arthur Strout,	21 00	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	90 00	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	70 00	
Frank Fields and truck,	60 00	
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	100 00	
Acie Strout,	21 00	
Henry Martin,	17 50	
F. B. Strout,	26 25	
A. E. Verrill,	29 75	
Lowell Brown,	26 25	
Herbert Haskell,	24 50	
Ralph Harlow,	28 00	
J. Whittier,	28 00	
Wendell Strout,	21 00	
Lewis Whittier,	45 50	
E. Chadman,	10 50	
V. E. Winslow and truck,	26 00	
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Amount expended,		\$ 1,013 44
Raised by Town,		1,000 00
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Overdrawn,		\$ 13 44

RANGE HILL ROAD

John Morrison,	\$ 14 00
W. E. Tripp,	14 00
R. Cobb,	14 00

E. R. Ridley's truck,	26 00	
Andrew Giddinge,	14 00	
Benjamin Davis truck,	40 00	
Ralph Brackett truck,	40 00	
Henry Martin,	10 50	
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Amount expended,		\$ 172 50
Raised by Town,		200 00
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Unexpended,		\$ 28 50

HACKETT'S MILLS ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 20 00
John Morrison,	14 00
R. Cobb,	14 00
E. R. Ridley's truck,	26 00
W. E. Tripp,	14 00
E. F. Korn,	14 00
Frank Stone, gravel,	26 25
Mellen Sawyer,	14 00
Silas Strout,	3 50
Arthur Strout,	14 00
F. B. Strout,	3 50
A. E. Verrill,	14 00
Lowell Brown,	14 00
Henry Martin,	14 00
C. M. Blair,	14 00
C. P. Strout,	14 00
Acie Strout,	10 50
Ralph Harlow,	14 00
Herbert Haskell,	3 50
Benjamin Davis and truck,	26 00
Ralph Brackett and truck,	40 00
Frank Fields and truck,	40 00
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	40 00
J. Whittier,	8 75
H. L. Redman and truck,	45 00

Louis Whittier,	10 50	
M. F. Lane,	21 00	
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Amount expended,		\$ 492 50
Raised by Town,		500 00
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Unexpended,		\$ 7 50

SPECIAL RESOLVE ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 130 00	
Wendell Strout,	35 00	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	175 00	
E. R. Ridley's truck,	97 50	
W. E. Tripp,	78 75	
R. Cobb,	82 75	
Roy Edwards,	71 75	
F. B. Strout,	85 75	
John Morrison,	29 75	
Isaiah Emery,	82 25	
Mellen Sawyer,	59 50	
C. M. Blair,	84 00	
Silas Strout,	68 25	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	120 00	
C. P. Strout,	70 00	
Arthur Strout,	64 75	
Foye Wescott,	38 50	
E. F. Korn,	56 00	
Elmer Tripp,	38 50	
Andrew Giddinge,	47 50	
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Amount expended,		\$ 1,525 50
Received from State,		1,490 00
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Overdrawn,		\$ 35 50

BLACK CAP TURN ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 20 00
Mellen Sawyer,	3 50

E. F. Korn,	10 50	
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	30 00	
F. B. Strout,	14 00	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	43 00	
C. M. Blair,	10 50	
Roy Edwards,	14 00	
R. Cobb,	14 00	
C. P. Strout,	17 50	
Arthur Strout,	17 50	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	30 00	
Silas Strout,	10 50	
A. E. Verrill,	10 50	
Ralph Harlow,	10 50	
Wendell Strout,	10 50	
Lowell Brown,	10 50	
Henry Martin,	3 50	
Fred Wescott,	21 00	
Amount expended,		\$ 301 50
Raised by Town,		300 00
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Overdrawn,		\$ 1 50

REPAIRS ON THIRD CLASS ROAD

Roy McCleary,	\$ 180 28
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	75 00
A. E. Verrill,	28 00
Frank Fields and truck,	30 00
Andrew Giddinge,	21 00
E. R. Ridley's truck,	22 00
John Morrison,	14 00
F. B. Strout,	10 50
Acie Strout,	10 50
E. R. Ridley,	25 00
Kenneth Dunn,	10 50
R. Cobb,	10 50
W. E. Tripp,	10 50

Emery Bunker, gravel,	1 80	
Mellen Sawyer,	10 50	
E. F. Korn,	10 50	
C. M. Blair,	10 50	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	27 00	
C. P. Strout,	10 50	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	27 00	
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Amount expended,		\$ 545 58
Raised by Town,		726 00
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Unexpended,		\$ 180 50

BLACK CAP SWAMP ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 20 00	
John Morrison,	10 50	
R. Cobb,	14 00	
Mellen Sawyer,	10 50	
E. R. Ridley's truck,	19 50	
Roy Edwards,	10 50	
E. F. Korn,	14 00	
C. M. Blair,	10 50	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	35 00	
Silas Strout,	10 50	
Arthur Strout,	10 50	
F. B. Strout,	10 50	
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	25 00	
Lewis Whittier,	7 00	
C. P. Strout,	10 50	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	30 00	
A. E. Verrill,	10 50	
Lowell Brown,	10 50	
Ralph Harlow,	10 50	
Wendell Strout,	10 50	
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Amount expended,		\$ 290 50

Raised by Town,	300 00
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Unexpended,	\$ 9 50

HARRIS HILL ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 30 00	
John Morrison,	15 75	
C. M. Blair,	29 75	
R. Cobb,	15 75	
E. R. Ridley's truck,	26 00	
W. E. Tripp,	15 75	
F. B. Strout,	15 75	
E. F. Korn,	14 00	
Mellen Sawyer,	15 75	
C. P. Strout,	15 75	
Silas Strout,	12 25	
Acie Strout,	10 50	
Arthur Strout,	15 75	
Roy Edwards,	8 75	
A. E. Verrill,	15 75	
Ralph Brackett and truck,	45 00	
Benjamin Davis and truck,	20 00	
Frank Fields and truck,	25 00	
Donald Pulsifer and truck,	45 00	
Henry Martin,	15 75	
Frank Stone,	26 25	
Lowell Brown,	15 75	
E. Chadman,	3 50	
Wendell Strout,	10 50	
Ralph Harlow,	15 75	
M. F. Lane and team,	8 75	
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Amount expended,	\$ 488 50	
Raised by Town,	500 00	
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Unexpended,	\$ 11 50	

RAYMOND ROAD

Roy Edwards,	\$	15 75
Benjamin Davis and truck,		29 25
E. R. Ridley's truck,		29 25
Arthur Strout,		15 75
Silas Strout,		15 75
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Amount expended,	\$	150 75
Raised by Town,		100 00
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Overdrawn,	\$	5 75

SNOW ROADS

E. R. Ridley,	\$	75 00
Arthur Tripp,		210 00
Harold Tucker,		132 89
F. B. Strout,		26 25
Stanley Tripp,		33 53
F. D. Edwards,		18 86
E. A. Libby,		25 22
Channing Edwards,		5 83
H. W. Ricker & Sons,		2,500 00
E. R. Strout,		5 83
E. C. Jordan,		90
Roy Edwards,		29 75
F. C. Wescott,		5 25
E. L. Dudley,		3 00
Silas Strout,		50 75
Benjamin Davis and truck,		45 00
Wendell Strout,		52 50
Arthur Strout,		43 75
A. F. Emery, plowing Casco road,		18 75
A. F. Emery, contract, State road,		56 25
A. F. Emery, contract, State road,		112 50
Northern Road Equipment Co., lease of truck and plow,		3,000 00

Northern Road Equipment Co., 5 gal. Pestone for truck,	13 65	
H. W. Ricker & Sons, gas, oil and Pestone,	17 12	
H. W. Ricker & Sons, grease, etc., Express, parts for snow-plow,	333 21	
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Amount expended,		\$ 6,816 54
Raised by Town,	\$ 2,500 00	
Raised by Town, special meeting,	3,000 00	
Rec'd from State for snow removal,	738 46	
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Overdrawn,		\$ 578 08

THIRD CLASS ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 192 50
John Morrison,	120 75
Roy Edwards,	103 25
E. R. Ridley's truck,	181 50
Kenneth Dunn,	113 75
W. E. Tripp,	124 25
R. Cobb,	124 25
Mellen Sawyer,	122 50
Silas Strout,	83 25
E. F. Korn,	102 05
C. M. Blair,	122 50
C. P. Strout,	105 00
Arthur Strout,	78 75
Ralph Brackett and truck,	265 50
Frank Fields and truck,	330 00
Benjamin Davis and truck,	282 75
Andrew Giddinge truck,	288 00
F. B. Strout,	75 25
Acie Strout,	71 75
Donald Pulsifer truck,	230 00

Sidney Peach,	70 00	
A. E. Verrill,	96 25	
Roy McCleary,	35 78	
Emery Bunker, gravel,	80 85	
New Eng. Metal Cul. Co.,	88 20	
Alonzo Wilson and truck,	80 00	
Henry Martin,	21 00	
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Amount expended,		\$ 3,589 63
Received from State,		3,549 08
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Overdrawn,		\$ 40 55

STATE AID ROAD

E. R. Ridley,	\$ 85 00
John Morrison,	42 00
W. E. Tripp,	42 00
E. R. Ridley's truck,	66 00
E. F. Korn,	56 00
R. Cobb,	42 00
Mellen Sawyer,	56 00
C. P. Strout,	49 00
F. B. Strout,	45 50
A. E. Verrill,	59 50
C. M. Blair,	59 50
Andrew Giddinge,	14 00
Benjamin Davis truck,	99 00
Ralph Brackett truck,	108 00
Donald Pulsifer truck,	99 00
Acie Strout,	43 75
Lowell Brown,	42 00
Henry Martin,	31 50
Ralph Harlow,	45 50
Herbert Haskell, gravel and labor,	83 05
John Edwards, gravel,	76 70
J. Whittier,	24 50
Lewis Whittier,	24 50

E. Chadman,	30 72
C. E. Keene,	10 50
G. H. Tripp,	133 00
Darrell Tripp,	1 75
Carrol Cash,	1 75
Harold Tripp,	24 50
New Eng. Metal Cul. Co.,	90 94

Amount expended, \$ 1,587 16

Received from State,	\$ 833 44
Voted by Town,	732 00

\$ 1,565 44

Overdrawn, \$ 21 72

	Raised	Expended
Common roads,	\$ 7,039 68	\$ 6,575 75
Snow roads,	6,238 46	6,816 54
Bushes cut and burned on State highways,		500 03
Harris Hill road,	500 00	488 50
Hackett's Mills road,	500 00	492 50
Schellinger road,	1,000 00	1,013 44
Hardscrabble road,	400 00	417 50
White Oak Hill road,	300 00	295 50
Raymond road,	100 00	105 75
Range Hill road,	200 00	172 50
Black Cap Swamp road,	300 00	290 50
Black Cap Turn,	300 00	301 50
Repairs on Third Class road,	726 00	545 58
Common road patrol,	1,000 00	1,161 94
Special resolve road,	1,490 00	1,525 50
Third Class road,	3,549 08	3,589 63
State Aid road,	1,565 44	1,587 16

State Aid maintenance,	1,000 00	1,091 68
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Total,	\$ 26,208 66	\$ 26,971 50
Overdrawn,		\$ 762 84

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE R. RIDLEY,
Road Commissioner.

REPORT OF TREASURER

C. C. Mitchell, in account with Town of Poland for year
ending February 15, 1931.

Debits

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1930,	\$ 4,732 26
Nellie McCann, blister rust,	7 00
L. S. Wheeler, blister rust,	10 50
Gledhill-Huskins, agency, refund,	29 52
State Treasurer, State Aid,	132 00
State Treasurer, Special Resolve road,	1,490 00
State Treasurer, tax on bank stock,	1,994 67
State Treasurer, Third Class roads,	3,549 08
State Treasurer, State Aid roads,	833 44
State Treasurer, State paupers,	399 31
State Treasurer, snow removal,	738 46
State Treasurer, snow removal paid in error,	173 00
State Treasurer, State school fund,	3,748 32
State Treasurer, railroad and telegraph tax,	292 87
M. W. Richardson, house rent,	20 00
Norris Hanscom, house rent,	32 30
H. C. Felker, horse collar,	4 50
Excelsior Grange, paid on note,	100 00
Excelsior Grange, interest,	46 67
Town of New Gloucester, snow fence,	299 00
Town of Minot, tuition,	867 22
Warren Cole, rent old town farm pasture,	5 00
Meserve Lumber Co., shingles returned,	6 50
Donald Pulsifer, check returned,	20 00
E. R. Ridley, dynamite and culvert,	19 68
Fidelity Trust Co., interest checking account,	95 09
Fidelity Trust Co., interest refunded,	25 00

Fidelity Trust Co., loans,	10,000 00
Town of Gray, Al. Thompson,	159 49
Town Farm,	1,773 26
Rogers Fibre Co.,	250 00
City of Lewiston, interest on bonds.	40 00
Hiram Ricker & Sons, interest on bonds,	75 00
Fidelity Trust Co., interest on bank book, 9138,	198 55
Fidelity Trust Co., interest on bank book, 9139,	333 64
Hiram Ricker & Sons, bond,	3,000 00
C. C. Mitchell, dog licenses,	250 00
Hall rent,	104 00
Lewiston Trust Co., interest on excise tax,	10 80
A. B. Grant, 1925 tax,	2 80
A. B. Grant, 1926 tax,	60 74
A. B. Grant, 1927 tax,	115 93
A. B. Grant, 1928 tax,	181 98
A. B. Grant, 1929 tax,	189 19
A. B. Grant, 1930 tax,	47,198 25
A. B. Grant, excise tax,	3,236 06
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	\$ 86,851 08

Credits

Selectmen's orders,	\$ 72,354 34
County tax,	2,357 34
Maintenance patrolled roads,	1,091 60
State tax,	9,771 98
State Aid,	132 00
Hedge hogs,	25
Dog licenses,	250 00
Balance, Feb. 15, 1931,	893 57
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	\$ 86,851 08

C. C. MITCHELL,
Treasurer.

A. W. HACKETT FUND

To bank book, 9138,	\$ 7,978 35
To bank book, 9139,	4,590 81
City of Lewiston, bonds,	1,000 00
Excelsior Grange note,	800 00
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	\$ 14,469 16

LANE CEMETERY FUND

Bank book, 1895,	\$ 105 34
Bank book, 28116,	64 87
Bank book, 28417,	162 67
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	\$ 332 88

WHITE OAK HILL CEMETERY

To bank book, 45367,	\$ 778 93
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ANNIE L. LITTLEFIELD FUND

To bank book, 35165,	\$ 110 30
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ANNETTE M. BROWN

To bank book, 3650,	\$ 337 82
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EMPIRE CEMETERY FUND

To bank book, 5004,	\$ 1,069 98
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CHARLES G. THURSTON FUND

To bank book, 5677,	\$ 207 15
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C. C. MITCHELL,

Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

RECORD OF MARRIAGES

1930

- Feb. 14 Emmons Rolfe and Helen Maxwell.
 Mar. 30 Lawrence R. Tripp and Edna M. Strout.
 Apr. 12 Arthur E. Thurlow and Bernice L. Roy.
 June 4 Gordon A. Holden and Francis Rideout.
 14 Claude E. Thurlow and Lisle J. Vauner.
 27 Kenneth E. Tripp and Phyllis McMorau.
 28 Harold J. Goss and Dorothy C. Pulsifer.
 July 13 Warren R. Payson and Marion H. Dembrack.
 18 Manley B. Strout and Jennie Winslow.
 19 Philip M. Mayberry and Alice A. Phillips.
 29 Delma Small and Mary Verrill.
 Aug. 24 Maurice H. Cray and Gladys W. Harmon.
 Sept. 15 Raymond G. Gauthier and Dorothy Anderson.
 Oct. 1 Charles W. Sprague and Ruth Schellinger.
 15 James B. House and Janett Downing.
 Nov. 9 Aubrey J. Emery and Helen M. Verrill.
 18 Fred L. Strout and Dorothy M. Smith.
 29 Fred I. Sawyer and Gertrude L. Hanscome.
 Dec. 30 Willard M. Tripp and Mary A. Winslow.

RECORD OF BIRTHS

- | 1930 | Name of Child | Name of Parents |
|--------|------------------|---|
| Jan. 2 | Harlan Elsworth, | Thomas O Verrill and Erma
W. Tripp. |
| | 21 | Robert Junior, Samuel Goldsmith and Mary
E. Farwell. |
| Feb. 3 | James Anthony, | James J. Shea and Eva Ma-
honey. |
| | 16 | Vance Cole, William Dion and Stella Cole. |

- Mar. 20 Leland Errol, Jr., Leland E. Weeks and Mildred I. Field.
- May 12 Clarence Henry, Louis B. Whittier and Muriel K. Haskell.
- 19 George Bernard, Jr., Geo. B. Fahey and Katherine Riley.
- 29 June Irene, Geo. H. Martin and Alice E. Smith.
- June 2 Mary Jane, Lester C. Mitchell and Katherine S. Rand.
- 12 Dorothy Carolyn, Merle A. Chipman and Georgia E. Hamilton.
- 29 Amos Allston, Philip Dunn and Grace Jordan.
- July 8 Charles Augustus, Chas. A. Reynolds and Rozella Merrill.
- 10 Dorothy Louise, Leander M. Perkins and Mellie E. Ray.
- 10 Alfred Robert, Jr., Alfred R. Morrison and Mary A. Wescott.
- 21 Richary Henry, Henry W. Pulsifer and Hattie L. Spaulding.
- Aug. 8 Bert Manley, Robert H. Fernald and Florence M. Adams.
- 10 Everett Louis, Kelsey E. Young and Dorris E. Martin.
- 14 Hilda Ruth, Chas. E. Hueston and Emily E. Keene.
- 22 — —, Wendall C. Strout and Annie Farwell.
- Sept. 1 Beatrice Eva, — — and Edith M. McCleary.
- 8 Helen Winona, Silas Strout and Junie L. Tripp.
- 30 Lyle Vincent, Roy McCleary and Ethel L. Nichols.
- Oct. 16 Linwood Leroy, Warren E. Keene and Nena A. Strout.
- Nov. 6 Robert Edward, Herman F. Carey and Mabel I. Merrill.

- 15 James Towle, Frank Heffron and Honoria
Drescoll.
- Dec. 10. Manley Burnham, Jr., Manley B. Strout and
Junie Winslow.

RECORD OF DEATHS

1930

- Jan. 15 Poland, Freeland M. Blair.
23 Portland, Clara B. Hoffres.
- Feb. 16 Athol, Mass., Emma L. Dunn.
- Mar. 22 Poland, Charles S. Strout.
- Apr. 4 Lewiston, Mary E. Fuller.
12 Poland, Robert J. Farwell.
18 Poland, Lester G. Strout.
29 Poland, Russell J. Rideout.
- May 8 Lewiston, Lila J. Johnson.
24 Raymond, William H. Gowell.
- June 20 Poland, Augustus J. McAllister.
20 Poland, Edward Edwards.
26 Auburn, Maurice Bickford.
- July 28 Poland, Chloe G. Thurlow.
28 Portland, Mary Hyde.
29 Poland, Mareitta Harris.
- Aug. 5 Poland, Everett L. Macomber.
21 Poland, Luella A. Carpenter.
30 Poland, Abbie M. Herrick.
- Sept. 16 Lewiston, Alice M. Harris.
16 Poland, Otis W. Burgess.
30 Poland, George W. Miller
- Oct. 16 Freeport, Ella S. Delano.
31 Poland, Wm. F. Newmeyer.
- Nov. 19 Poland, Hiram W. Ricker.
- Dec. 9 Poland, Arabelle H. Chipman.
14 Poland, Arlettia L. Philbrick.

C. C. MITCHELL,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH AND HEALTH OFFICER

February 18, 1931

To the Citizens of Poland:

The following cases have been reported to me the past year and likewise I have reported to the State Department of Health at Augusta.

Chicken Pox,	7
German Measles,	1
Measles,	1
Mumps,	21
Pneumonia,	2
Pink Eye,	1
Poliomyelitis,	1
Vincent's Angina,	1
Whooping Cough,	12
Total,	47

I have disinfected one dwelling for poliomyelitis. One child was cultured to determine the cause of sickness, which proved to be Vincent's angina. Have attended four Board of Health meetings and issued 810 health certificates to food handlers, and all other business pertaining to this office have been attended to.

Elmer F. Walker of South Poland was recommended for reappointment as plumbing inspector, and A. F. Waterhouse of West Poland for deputy plumbing in-

spector for this town, for 1931, and were so appointed by the State Department of Health.

We again offer free vaccination for small pox for the month of March and anyone wishing to take advantage of this will please notify me.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. P. PULSIFER,
Health Officer.

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

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

February 18, 1930

To Bonds on hand,		\$ 7,500 00
To Cash in Savings and Checking accounts,		139 77
		\$ 7,639 77
Apr. 12	To coupons cashed,	\$ 104 50
May 2	To coupons cashed,	15 00
July 1	To check from Boston Safe Deposit Co.,	15 00
July 24	To coupons cashed,	90 75
Oct. 31	To coupons cashed,	20 00
Nov. 1	To coupons cashed,	15 00
Dec. 31	To dividends on Saving account,	2 36
1931		
Jan. 3	To check from Boston Safe Deposit Co.,	15 00
Feb. 18	To coupons cashed,	78 75
18	To bonds with coupons cashed,	412 00
		\$ 8,408 13
1930		
Apr. 2	Paid rent for safe deposit box,	\$ 3 00
19	Paid E. A. Libby, trustee,	4 00
	Paid R. L. Gowell, trustee,	4 00
	Paid Almon Waterhouse, trustee,	4 00
	Paid Geo. P. Pulsifer, treas. and trustee,	79 00

May 2	Paid bank for return of coupons,	48 75
July 18	Paid W. T. Kilgore, Methodist,	41 00
Dec. 16	Paid Poland Community Church,	45 34
	Paid R. L. Gowell, Methodist,	30 68
	Paid Rev. Mr. Hapworth, Adventist.	25 28
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		\$ 285 05

February 18, 1931

To Bonds on hand,	\$ 3,500 00
To Certificates of Deposit, F. H. Smith Co.,	2,600 00
To Certificates of Deposit, National Bond & Mortgage Co., insured as to principal and interest,	1,000 00
To cash on hand and in savings account,	474 81
To cash in checking account,	148 27
To amount of Bonds less at end of year,	400 00
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	\$ 8,123 08
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	\$ 8,408 13

Our income has been materially reduced this past year on account of coupons on the Smith Bonds, (Chatham Apts. of Philadelphia and Arlington Apts. at Pittsburg) being defaulted on April 15, 1930. These bonds (\$2,600.00) have been deposited with a Bondholders Committee and it is understood the mortgage is to be foreclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. P. PULSIFER,
Treasurer.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE

Bureau of Plant Industry

BLISTER-RUST CONTROL

Board of Selectmen,
Poland, Maine.
Gentlemen:

The following is a brief summary of the White Pine Blister Rust Control work carried on in Poland in 1930:

No. of wild currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed by crew,	14,612
No. of cult. currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed by crew,	31
No. of acres eradicated by crew,	475
No. of wild currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed by Federal Scout,	200
No. of cult. currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed by Federal Scout,	7
Total no. of wild currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed in Town,	14,812
Total no. of cult. currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed in Town,	38
Total no. of acres eradicated in the Town,	475
Amount appropriated by the Town for Blister Rust work,	\$ 200 00
Cost of eradication to the Town,	\$ 202 32

With the completion of this year's work the initial Blister Rust program in Poland has been completed. The work this year was conducted under the direct supervision of Willis Kimball, and a foreman and the

owners did the necessary eradication work. Blister Rust was found to be doing considerable damage in the majority of pine lots examined.

On behalf of the Federal and State authorities, I want to thank you for your efforts in providing funds to carry on this Control Work, and assure you that your co-operation has been greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. KIMBALL,
Agent.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

	Tested	Adjusted	Condemned
No. of scales,	24	2	2
No. of weights,	155	3	
No. of liquid measures,	16		
No. of dry measures,	15		
Gas pumps,	22	10	
Oil pumps,	7		
Yard sticks,	1		

ALMON WATERHOUSE,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

There has been five fires in Town the past year, the most of them of an unknown origin.

I am glad to know that many are having their chimneys cleaned both Fall and Spring. Also caring for their ashes.

ALMON WATERHOUSE,
Fire Warden.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 26, 1931

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, 1931.

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 were 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 properly accounted for.

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 by the Road Commissioner were examined and found properly signed and authorized by the School Committee and the Selectmen.

We have found numerous clerical errors in the annual reports rendered by the Superintendent of Schools, both for the current year and prior years which are errors in summarizing and copying. We have recommended to your Selectmen a new combined voucher and report in triplicate form for the Superintendent of Schools which in our opinion will aid in eliminating many of the above mentioned inaccuracies.

A similar form of voucher and report is also recommended for the Road Commissioner, which if adopted will save much labor in copying.

Town orders drawn by the Board of Selectmen were supported by invoices made out to the Town of Poland and approved by two or more members of the Board. The record of town orders and the filing of invoices are kept in good order for ready reference.

The Treasurer of the Poland Ministerial Fund accounted for the funds in his possession and properly recorded the income and expenditures. Interest on the following named bonds held in this fund was defaulted April 15, 1930:

	Due	Bond No.	Amount Purchased
The Chatham Apartment Hotel 1st & Ref. 6½'s,	Apr. 14, 1941	743	\$100.00 May, 1928
The Chatham Apartment Hotel. 1st & Ref. 6½'s,	Apr. 14, 1943	2197	500.00 Apr., 1928
The Chatham Apartment Hotel 1st & Ref. 6½'s,	Apr. 14, 1943	2198	500.00 Apr., 1928
The Arlington Apartments 1st 6½'s,	Oct. 15, 1943	1441	500.00 Dec., 1928
The Arlington Apartments 1st 6½'s,	Oct. 15, 1943	2077	500.00 Sept., 1929
The Arlington Apartments 1st 6½'s,	Oct. 15, 1943	2078	500.00 Sept., 1929

The above bonds have been sent to a committee selected to care for the bondholders' interests.

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 ensuing year and recommend, for your consideration, the following budget:

Common schools,	\$ 9,500 00
Free high school tuition,	3,500 00
General repairs,	1,000 00
Graduation, common school,	50 00
School flags,	25 00

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER L. GOWELL,
CHARLES L. PULSIFER,
IDA K. GRANT.

I respectfully submit herewith the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools:

The past year has been very satisfactory from an educational view point.

It is the first time in years that the schools have not been broken up more or less by contagious diseases. Regular attendance by pupils is an important factor in maintaining a strong educational program.

Pupil progress has been excellent and much credit is due to the faithful efforts of the teachers.

The good roads have added greatly to our attendance problem.

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 continual 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.

A few recommendations follow:

1. Qualified teachers.
2. More reading material to be placed at the disposal of the pupils.

REPORT OF COUNTY SCHOOL NURSING IN POLAND FOR 1930

The fifteen schools of Poland were visited during September. Two hundred eighty-eight (288) pupils were inspected and of this number one hundred forty-two (142) were free from obvious defects. Twelve (12) had defective vision; four (4) defective hearing and twenty (20) had enlarged tonsils.

All children were weighed and measured and eighteen (18) of this number were underweight. One hundred two (102) notices were sent to parents and thirty-two (32) home calls were made to advise and help parents care for the defects. One (1) child was accompanied to a throat specialist for examination.

Since similar work was done last fall, fifty seven (57) children had teeth defects corrected; ten (10) had enlarged tonsils cared for and five (5) had glasses fitted. One (1) child who had a bad throat and ear condition for two years was given hospital treatment and for the children in another family, dental treatment was arranged without cost. Clothing was furnished a needy family and a layette was also given.

Arrangements are being made for three (3) other children to have hospital treatment for enlarged tonsils and for one (1) child to have examination for defective vision.

Miss Helen Fifield, Dental Hygienist spent two days on prophylactic work and examinations in preparation of awarding dental certificates for mouth hygiene. Eighty (80) children had their teeth cleaned.

Dr. Mitchell, State Health Officer, examined eighty

(80) children for throats and awarded sixty (60) certificates. Many children now will be ready to qualify as six point children.

The audiometer, a machine for testing the hearing was used. Two hundred fifty (250) children were examined and four (4) found to have defective hearing. Parents were notified and teachers were instructed to arrange seats to make it easy for them.

Health talks were given in each school. The drinking water and toilets were inspected and found satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE HOLGATE,
County School Nurse.

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.

TEACHERS' MEETING

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

Five 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

Our teachers are a splendid group. I wish to thank them for the fine spirit and kindness which they have shown in all 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

Unexpended balance, February 15, 1930,	\$ 298 35
State School Fund,	3,748 32
Town Appropriation,	9,000 00
Free High School Tuition,	3,000 00
Common School Tuition (Minot),	867 22
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Total Resources,	\$ 16,913 89

EXPENDITURES

Teachers,	\$ 9,216 00
Fuel,	813 88
Janitors,	499 29
Transportation,	2,206 00
High School Tuition,	3,230 00
Text books and supplies,	905 02
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Total,	\$ 16,870 19

Unexpended balance, Feb. 15, 1931,	43 70
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	\$ 16,913 89

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

City of Auburn,	\$ 550 ⁰ 00
Leavitt Institute,	240 00
M. F. H. S.,	2,100 00
Pennell Institute,	40 00
Pine Tree Academy,	100 00
Gould Academy,	200 00
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	\$ 3,230 00

GRADUATION ACCOUNT

Appropriation,	\$ 50 00
Howard & Brown, diplomas,	\$ 8 55
F. L. Perkins, printers,	5 75
Harriet M. Spiller,	2 90
Rev. Olaf Tandberg,	5 00
Almon Waterhouse,	5 00
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Total,	\$ 32 20

Unexpended balance, Feb. 15, 1931,	\$ 17 80
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TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

American Book Company,	\$ 41 90
Ginn & Company,	125 64
J. L. Hammett & Company,	74 09
Edward E. Babb & Company,	234 32
Lyons & Carnahan,	19 27
John C. Winston & Company,	5 99

Maine Public Health Assoc.,	6 50	
Bailey Bros.,	28 08	
E. J. Johnson,	6 42	
Merrill & Denning,	9 72	
Scott, Foresman & Company,	24 75	
D. C. Heath & Company,	3 74	
P. L. Peace & Company,	2 29	
Silver Burdett & Company,	157 70	
Beckley-Cardy Company,	3 80	
Webster Publishing Company,	54	
Harriet M. Spiller,	7 27	
E. C. Jordan,	1 10	
Milton Bradley & Company,	50 30	
Charles E. Merrill,	80 73	
A. E. Hodgkins,	7 27	
A. F. Grant,	13 15	
		\$ 905 02

REPAIRS

Appropriation,		\$ 1,000 00
Hiram Ricker & Sons,	\$ 29 97	
L. W. Haskell & Company,	4 39	
F. H. Yeaton,	3 50	
Briggs Garage,	4 50	
Elms Hardware Company,	3 69	
Bradford Conant Company,	81 62	
C. D. Austin,	8 95	
E. C. Ryder,	7 00	
Chas. F. Hueston,	4 50	
E. S. Damon,	3 00	
Walter F. Davis,	2 50	
Vernon Woodsome,	5 25	
P. L. Pease Company,	15 99	
E. A. Libby,	12 17	
E. C. Jordan,	43 35	
C. M. Haskell,	11 75	

Arthur B. Haskell,	180 70
Herbert Haskell,	50 00
Ray Hunnewell,	180 63
W. S. Marquis,	15 70
Davis Paint Company,	74 65
Arthur B. Grant,	4 00
Meserve Lumber Company,	143 86
A. J. Weston Company,	31 64
Antonio L'Heureux,	26 40
Bailey Bros.,	69 57
Roger L. Gowell,	3 75
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Overdrawn, Feb. 15, 1931,	\$ 23 03

COST OF TRANSPORTATION

Alden Chipman,	\$ 60 00
Walter Davis,	170 00
Barbara Field,	144 00
Virgil E. Libby,	180 00
John Myers,	435 50
Harry Thurlow,	280 00
Cleveland Tripp,	850 00
F. H. Yeaton,	86 50
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	\$ 2,206 00

Name of School	Name of Teacher	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Wages
SPRING TERM—12 WEEKS				
Johnson Hill	Evelyn Martin,	4	4	\$15.00
Herrick Valley	Annie C. Walton,	9	8.7	17.00
West Poland Pri.	Pearl B. Sinclair,	32	28.5	20.00
West Poland Gram.	Mary O. Verrill,	25	22.5	20.00
Poland	Alice B. Mitchell,	26	23+	20.00
Harris Hill	Margaret Dunn,	14	12	17.00
Bailey Hill	Evelyn W. Harmon,	17	14	20.00
Lower White Oak Hill	Doris Thurlow,	20	17.6	18.00
South Poland	Gertrude V. Conant,	28	21.5	20.00
Empire	Georgia E. McKnight,	24	22.1	17.00
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,	30	27.6	20.00
Minot Corner Gram.	Myra J. Robinson,	23	22+	20.00
Hacketts Mills	Dorothy C. Pulsifer,	20	17.7	18.00
FALL TERM—13 WEEKS				
Johnson Hill	Evelyn Martin,	7	3.8	\$15.00
Herrick Valley	Evelyn W. Harmon,	10	9	19.00
West Poland Pri.	Leah Ryder,	34	24.5	19.00
West Poland Gram.	Mae E. Robinson,	26	22.2	19.00
Poland	Alice B. Mitchell	30	25+	20.00
Harris Hill	Margaret Dunn,	15	10.1	17.00
Bailey Hill	Annie C. Walton,	18	14.5	18.00
Lower White Oak Hill	Doris Thurlow,	16	13.22	19.00
Upper White Oak Hill	Ina W. Cole,	15	11.8	15.00
South Poland	Lila Atherton,	33	30+	20.00
Empire	Alma Sawyer,	21	17+	18.00
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,	27	21.3	20.00
Minot Corner Gram.	Gertrude V. Conant,	25	20+	20.00
Hardscrabble	Louise P. Longley,	11	9.9	18.00
Hacketts Mills	Ellen S. Edwards,	23	19.7	19.00
WINTER TERM—9 WEEKS				
Johnson Hill	Laura E. Carter,	4		\$15.00
Herrick Valley	Evelyn W. Harmon,	10		19.00
West Poland Pri.	Leah Ryder,	35		19.00
West Poland Gram.	Mae E. Robinson,	25		19.00
Poland	Alice B. Mitchell,	27		20.00
Harris Hill	Margaret Dunn,	12		17.00
Bailey Hill	Annie C. Walton,	13		19.00
Lower White Oak Hill	Doris Thurlow,	13		19.00
Upper White Oak Hill	Ina W. Cole,	13		15.00
South Poland	Lila Atherton,	30		20.00
Empire	Alma Sawyer,	17		18.00
Minot Corner Pri.	Alice H. Frank,	25		20.00
Minot Corner Gram.	Gertrude V. Conant,	21		20.00
Hardscrabble	Louise P. Longley,	11		18.00
Hacketts Mills	Ellen S. Edwards,	24		19.00

School year consists of 34 weeks.

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 requested 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, ninth day of March, A.D., 1931 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 see if the Town will vote to elect three Selectmen, one to hold office for one year, one for two years and one for three years. One member of the Board of Selectmen to be elected at each annual meeting of the town thereafter for a term of three years.

Art. 4. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see if the Town, instead of electing a Road Commissioner, will vote to instruct all Selectmen when elected, to appoint a Road Commissioner.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to elect one or more road commissioners and to fix their compensation.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will

vote to raise and appropriate to pay tuition of scholars attending High School of other towns, support of common schools and for text books and supplies.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school property.

Art. 9. 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 Superintending School Committee.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of school flags and for maintenance of flag poles.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the salary of the Superintendent of Schools and other town officers.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to allow A. B. Ricker to remodel the Ricker Hill Schoolhouse into a two room building according to plans as approved by State Superintendent of Schools.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$750 for their part in remodeling the Ricker Hill Schoolhouse.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Johnson Hill School.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of roads and bridges.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for common road patrol.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote "Yes" or "No" in regard to snow removal on the roads in Town for winter of 1931-1932.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase snow fence for the winter of 1931-1932.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$4,410.00 to purchase the truck and snow plow we now have on lease.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay snow bills.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote "Yes" or "No" on the question of raising and appropriating necessary money to entitle the Town to State Aid as provided in Section 19 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1916.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to 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. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,010.00 for the maintenance of Third Class roads, such sum being necessary to prevent a forfeiture of apportionment from the State under provisions of Section 4, Chapter 260 of the Public Laws of 1929.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to repair the road leading from the Five Corners to the West Poland road.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400.00 to improve the Hardscrabble road at East Poland.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate on the road from Harris Hill Schoolhouse and Mechanic Falls line.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and expend on the Jackson road, continuing the work of 1930.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to improve the road near John Schellinger's continuing towards Summit Spring Hotel, continuing work done in 1930.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Rangeway leading from Jackson Road to the White Oak Hill Road.

Art. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate on the Rangeway road leading from the Jackson Road to the White Oak Hill Road.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$500.00 to complete work started on the Mannis Hill Road.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to pay Collector's commission and abatements.

Art. 34. 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 expenses of Memorial Day.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Contingent Fund.

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise to be expended and used for

advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$75.00 to pay the School Board.

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 to pay the Town Bond due September 1, 1931 and \$720.00 to pay interest on town bonds due in 1931.

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 uniform system of accounting as recommended by the State Auditors' department installed. Also to have the town books audited for the year 1931.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400.00 for the repair of town buildings.

Art. 44. To see if the Town of Poland will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 to be used for nursing work under the supervision of the Androscoggin County Red Cross.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to close the road known as the City Road, leading from the old John Murray residence, running north by the Barberick place, and intersecting the road leading from Rickers' Gate to Bailey Hill and to put up signs to warn travelers who use the road that they do so at their own risk.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will vote to close the short piece of road at the top of Cobble Hill to Rickers' gate.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to hire the money anticipated from the State in 1932 on construction of Third Class road to allow the Town to build two years road in 1931, the interest on this loan to be paid at no expense to the Town.

Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the School Committee to purchase land adjoining the West Poland School property for the purpose of enlarging the woodshed so that the toilets may be rebuilt to meet State requirements and to furnish suitable school grounds.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the School Committee to rebuild the woodshed at West Poland.

Art. 50. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of improving the West Poland school property according to the two preceding articles.

Art. 51. To see if the Town will vote to accept a list of jurors as compiled by the Selectmen.

Art. 52. To see what action the Town will vote to take on closing or selling the Town Farm for the ensuing year.

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., 1931.

Signed,
 LEO G. TORREY,
 ELMER F. WALKER,
 HERBERT G. BERRY,
 Selectmen of Poland.