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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

# ARROWSIC

MAINE

FOR THE

Year Ending February 20

1908

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BATH, MAINE  
TIMES COMPANY, PRINTERS  
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## Town Warrant

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SAGADAHOC, SS.

To Cornelius T. Willis, Esq., a Constable of Arrowsic,  
County of Sagadahoc,—Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Arrowsic, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at town house in said town on Monday the second day of March, A. D. 1908, 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 choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 3—To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of the town officers.

ART. 4—To choose selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor.

ART. 5—To choose a treasurer.

ART. 6—To choose a collector.

ART. 7—To choose a road commissioner.

ART. 8—To choose one member of school committee.

ART. 9—To see if the town will vote to maintain a school at the South school house the ensuing year.

ART. 10—To choose a truant officer.

ART. 11—To choose a constable.

ART. 12—To choose an auditor.

ART. 13—To choose a pound keeper and provide a pound.

ART. 14—To choose surveyors of lumber, wood and bark.

ART. 15—To choose fence viewers, tythingman, and all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 16—To see if the town will vote to use the school houses for religious meetings the ensuing year.

ART. 17—To vote and fix a date when taxes for the ensuing year shall become due and payable.

ART. 18—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of free text books for the ensuing year.

ART. 19—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of school houses for the ensuing year.

ART. 20—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for contingent expenses for the ensuing year.

ART. 21—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

ART. 22—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor for the ensuing year.

ART. 23—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges for the ensuing year.

ART. 24—To see if the town will vote yes or no upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine, for the year 1907, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid for highways for the year 1908.

ART. 25—To see if the town will raise, appropriate and set apart, for the permanent improvement of the main highways within the town, such sum of money as is contemplated and directed by Section 5 of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, being the sum of \$16.

ART. 26—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay on town debt and interest on notes.

ART. 27—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay high school tuition for the year ensuing.

ART. 28—To see if the town will vote to pay men \$1.75 and horses \$1.25 per day for working on town highways the ensuing year.

ART. 29—To see if the town will vote that all persons shall pay tolls on the Arrowsic bridge the ensuing year.

ART. 30—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to regulate the tolls on the Arrowsic bridge.

ART. 31—To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as prepared by the selectmen.

ART. 32—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to destroy B. T. Moths the ensuing year.

The selectmen will be in session at the town house one-half hour before the time of said meeting for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Hereof fail not to make due return of this Warrant with your doings to the town clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of February, A. D., 1908.

J. McFADDEN,  
GEORGE P. SPINNEY,  
GEORGE L. FARR,  
Selectmen of Arrowsic.

# Financial Statement

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1907.

## TOWN VALUATION

Real estate	\$54,572 00
Personal	22,023 00

## APPROPRIATIONS

For the support of poor	240 00
Text books	10 00
Repairs	20 00
Common schools	225 00
High school tuition	60 00
Contingent expenses	225 00
Debt and interest	150 00
Highways and bridges	225 00
State road	400 00
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	\$1,555 00

## ASSESSMENTS

Rate of taxation .022 on \$1.00	
\$76,595 at .022	\$1,685 09
62 polls at \$3.00	186 00
Supplemental tax	33
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	\$1,871 42

## COMMITMENTS 1907

Text books	\$10 00
Repairs on school houses	20 00
Contingent expenses	225 00
Common schools	225 00
Support of poor	240 00
Highways and bridges	225 00
State road	400 00
Debt and interest	150 00
High school tuition	60 00
State tax	194 63
County tax	106 99
Overlayings	14 48
Supplemental	33
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	\$1,871 43

J. McFADDEN,  
 GEORGE P. SPINNEY,  
 GEORGE L. TARR,

Assessors.



## Report of Treasurer

Account with C. C. SHEA, Treasurer

DR.

To cash in treasury	\$ 68 85
Due on tax bills of 1904	57 87
Due on tax bills of 1905	143 56
Due on tax bills of 1906	745 97
Due on tax bills of 1907	1,871 10
High school tuition from State	34 00
Bath Iron Works for piling	48 00
Dog license refunded	13 64
State on account of Chas. White	38 34
Mrs. Arabine Hall, for Walker Getchell estate	50 00
Dog license from town clerk	14 00
Account of Chas. White	101 00
Maine Gen. Hospital to bal. Chas. White bill	1 70
High school tuition from State	30 00
Amount of State school fund	128 01
Arrowsic bridge, fish money	20 00
Arrowsic bridge tolls	330 86
Note of Geo. L. Tarr	10 00
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	\$3,706 90

CR.

By paid County tax	106 99
Paid State tax	194 63

Paid dog license to State	14 00
Due on tax bills of 1904	30 00
Due on tax bills of 1905	49 80
Due on tax bills of 1906	81 78
Due on tax bills of 1907	259 52
Paid 129 town orders	2,967 82
Cash in Treasury	2 36
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	\$3,706 90

## SCHEDULES OF NOTES

C. C. Crosby	\$1,500 00
Bath Safe Deposit Bank	1,000 00
Zella R. Shea	250 00
Geo. L. Tarr	10 00
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	\$2,760 00

C. C. SHEA, Treasurer

## Collector's Report

Due C. C. Shea, Collector of taxes, 1904	\$30 00
Due C. C. Shea, Collector of taxes, 1905	49 80
Due C. C. Shea, Collector of taxes, 1906	81 78
Due C. C. Shea, Collector of taxes, 1907	259 52
	\$421 10

### PAUPER ACCOUNT

DR.

Paid Geo. E. Gove, clothing for Mary Breen	\$3 55
Dr. A. E. Wyman, prof. services, etc. for Chas. White	16 44
S. G. Damren, boarding and conveying Chas. White	17 80
Geo. E. Gove, boarding Mary Breen	30 00
Maine Gen. Hospital, boarding Chas. White	71 00
A. M. Getchell, boarding Jane Clary	5 00
Maine Gen. Hospital, caring for Chas. White	4 00
Maine Gen. Hospital, boarding Chas. White	26 00
Geo. E. Gove, boarding Mary Breen	25 00
Geo. P. Spinney, tel. and under-clothes for Chas. White	2 40
Geo. E. Gove, boarding Mary Breen	25 00
Rufus McKenney, justice work on acct. Chas. White	1 50

Geo. C. Higgins, boarding Edwin Oliver	20 00
Geo. C. Higgins, boarding Edwin Oliver	20 00
Geo. C. Higgins, boarding Edwin Oliver	20 00
Mrs. John Williamson, boarding Jane Clary	39 00
Mrs. John Williamson, boarding Jane Clary	39 00
Geo. E. Gove, boarding Mary Breen	76 00
Dr. E. F. Stetson, medical attendance for Jane Clary	5 25
Geo. C. Higgins, boarding Edwin Oliver	18 00
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	\$464 94

## CR.

By appropriation	\$240 00
Received from State, acct. of Chas. White	141 04
Overexpended	83 90
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	\$464 94

## CONTINGENT ACCOUNT

## DR.

Paid The Times Company	14 45
Geo. Haggett, destroying B. T. Moths	6 16
Geo. D. Loring, town books	4 20
G. C. Beals, destroying B. T. Moths	4 32
Geo. P. Spinney, B. T. Moth clippers	1 25
Geo. P. Spinney, posting fish notice	50
D. C. Stinson, destroying B. T. Moths	1 25
George E. Hughes, legal services	1 00
John A. Fisher, register of deeds services on Rowsic Park	11 90
George E. Hughes, legal services	11 02
W. P. McFadden, destroying B. T. Moths	75

Staples & Glidden, legal advice	5 00
J. McFadden, board of assessors	4 20
R. McKenney, justice work	1 50
M. C. Drummond, snow bill, 1907	2 00
Alfred Beals, snow bill, 1907	1 20
C. C. Shea, snow bill, 1907	1 00
W. F. Hagan, watering tub	3 00
B. F. Stinson, snow bill, 1907	3 50
H. A. Preble, destroying B. T. Moths	1 50
C. T. Willis, services as constable	3 75
C. C. Shea, destroying B. T. Moths	1 58
George E. Hughes, justice fee	25
C. C. Shea, watering tub	3 00
C. C. Shea, services as Supt. of schools	12 00
D. M. Humphreys, insurance on school houses	12 00
C. C. Shea, stationery and postage	6 48
C. C. Shea, rebate on tax of Geo. P. Matthews	3 00
J. McFadden, stationery and postage	1 00
J. McFadden, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	38 88
Geo. P. Spinney, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	15 00
Geo. L. Tarr, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	18 00
J. McFadden, services as town clerk	10 00
C. C. Shea, commissions on bills of 1905	52 62
C. C. Shea, commissions on bills of 1906	52 70
C. C. Shea, commissions on bills of 1907	48 35

C. C. Shea, board on settlement days	4 55
C. C. Shea, commission as treasurer, 1907	32 50
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	\$395 36

## CR.

By appropriation	225 00
Overexpended	170 36
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	\$395 36

## SCHOOL ACCOUNT

## DR.

Paid Sadie Murphy, spring term, Dist. No. 1	\$49 50
Laura E. Pinkham, spring term, Dist. No. 2	82 50
Sadie Murphy, fall term, Dist. No. 1	54 00
Ethel Burt, fall term, Dist. No. 2	84 00
M. C. Drummond, boarding teacher	33 00
M. C. Drummond, boarding teacher	36 00
C. C. Shea, wood for schools	15 75
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	\$354 75
Unexpended	71 65
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	\$426 40

## CR.

By unexpended balance from 1906	\$73 39
Appropriation	225 00
Amount from school fund	128 01
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	\$426 40

## TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

DR.

Paid Crocker-Shaw Company, school books	\$1 97
Unexpended	8 03
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	10 00

CR.

By appropriation	\$10 00
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## SCHOOL HOUSE ACCOUNT

DR.

Paid C. C. Crosby, shingles and lumber, North school house	\$4 81
C. C. Shea, labor on school house	5 25
Johnson Bros., nails for school houses	2 74
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	\$12 80
Unexpended	\$7 20
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	\$20 00

CR.

By appropriation	\$20 00
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## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

DR.

Paid City of Bath, tuition	\$20 00
City of Bath, tuition	20 00
City of Bath, tuition	20 00
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	\$60 00

CR.

By appropriation	\$60 00
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## STATE ROAD

## DR.

Paid C. T. Willis, labor	\$10 50
W. P. McFadden, labor	24 50
Will Clark, labor	10 50
B. F. Stinson, labor	18 37
Howard C. Clark, labor	10 50
D. C. Stinson, labor with team	52 00
Rufus McKenney, labor	27 13
C. C. Shea, labor	36 37
M. C. Drummond, labor	39 50
C. C. Crosby, lumber	67 35
W. H. & J. L. Spinney, lumber and labor	86 40
J. L. Spinney, gravel	40 00
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	\$423 12

## CR.

By appropriation	\$400 00
Overexpended	6 10
Lumber not used	17 02
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	\$423 12

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

## DR.

Paid H. R. White, team on road machine	\$20 00
W. H. & J. L. Spinney, team on road machine	20 00
Will Clark, labor on road	5 25
W. P. McFadden, labor on road	14 63
Howard C. Clark, labor and material	7 25
D. C. Stinson, labor on road	8 50
C. L. Eaton, labor on Back river bridge	2 25



P. W. Day, labor on road	1 00
R. McKenney, labor on road	6 75
M. C. Drummond, repairs on road machine	7 67
M. C. Drummond, teamsters' board	6 00
M. C. Drummond, labor and material	70 76
W. P. McFadden, labor on road	4 50
C. C. Shea, labor and material	19 57
O. R. Fletcher, labor	18 75
C. C. Crosby, lumber for roads and bridges	36 19
W. F. Potter, labor on Back river bridge	2 50
W. F. Hagan, labor	75
B. F. Stinson, labor and material	4 15
M. L. Stinson, labor	10 00
Howard Clark, labor	1 25
C. T. Willis, labor	12 75
W. H. & J. I. Spinney, lumber	22 19
Geo. L. Tarr, labor	75
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	\$303 41

CR.

By appropriation	\$225 00
Overexpended	78 41
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	\$303 41

## ARROWSIC BRIDGE

DR.

Paid Percy & Small, Locust treenails	\$5 25
J. R. Bailey, oak piling	9 00
F. W. Carlton, repairing the bridge	400 62
F. W. Carlton, material and labor on bridge	45 96

C. C. Crosby, lumber	43 97
W. P. McFadden, labor	3 00
P. W. Day, labor, oil and tickets	7 80
J. McFadden, labor	5 25
R. McKenney, labor	2 62
M. C. Drummond, labor	2 25
C. C. Shea, labor	6 65
Johnson Bros., nails for bridge	1 30
Eastern S. S. Co., iron work	3 31
J. H. Allen & Co., spikes for bridge	1 40
W. H. & J. L. Spinney, lumber	236 94
Geo. L. Tarr, labor and material	2 85
John W. Snipe, labor	3 00
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	\$781 17

## CR.

By tolls from bridge	\$330 86
Fish money	20 00
Overexpended	430 31
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	\$781 17

## INTEREST AND DEBT ACCOUNT

## DR.

Faid Peoples Safe Deposit & Savings Bank inter- est, 1907	\$85 00
C. C. Crosby, interest, 1907	75 00
Zella R. Shea, interest, 1907	12 00
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	\$172 00

CR.

By appropriation	\$150 00
Overexpended	22 00
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	\$172 00

## LIABILITIES

Amount of notes	\$2,760 00
Estimated commission due	7 78
Due Bath High school	20 00
Unpaid order	1 20
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	\$2,788 98

## RESOURCES

Uncollected taxes	421 10
Due from State on account of State road	203 05
Lumber for roads	17 02
Cash in treasury	2 36
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	\$643 53
Town debt	\$2,145 45

Having examined the foregoing accounts I believe them to be correct.

C. C. CROSBY, Auditor.

## School Report

The following report of schools for the year 1907, is respectfully submitted.

The receipts and expenditures for 1907 are as follows:

Unexpended for year 1906		\$73 39
Appropriation		225 00
Amount from school fund		128 01
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		\$426 40
Wood	\$15 75	
Paid teachers	201 00	
Paid board	138 00	
Unexpended	71 65	
	<hr/>	\$426 40

### NORTH SCHOOL,

Spring term: 11 weeks, taught by Sadie Murphy, scholars, average 9.

Fall term Sadie Murphy, 12 weeks, 12 scholars, average 9.

### SOUTH SCHOOL.

Spring term, Laura E. Pinkham, 11 weeks, number of scholars 7, average 5 1-2.

Fall term, Ethel F. Burt, 12 weeks, number of scholars 6, average 5.

C. C. SHEA,

Superintendent of Schools.

## Delinquent Tax Payers

Under Chapter 166 of the Public Laws of 1906 of  
Maine we insert the following:

On bills of 1904.

Stinson, J. F., heirs of	\$30 00
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1905.

Boynton, Isaac	3 00
Erskine, A. O.	3 00
Erskine, Geo. H.	3 00
Farnsworth, Frank	3 00
Stinson, J. F., heirs of	30 00
Wynn, M. J.	7 80

1906.

Boynton, Isaac	3 00
Erskine, Geo. H.	3 00
McKenney, Alfred	3 00
Morton, C. F.	7 25
Potter, W. F.	8 20
Snipe, J. W.	3 00
Snipe, F. H.	9 33
Stinson, J. H., heirs of	31 25
Wynn, M. J.	8 00

Non-Residents.

Southard, F. E.	5 75
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1907.

Erskine, G. H.	3 00
Boynton, Isaac	3 00
Lawrence, K. R., heirs of	23 94
Lawrence, E. T.	3 00
Lawrence, J. D.	3 70
McKenney, Alfred H.	3 00
Morton, C. F.	4 54
Merrill, D. A.	4 40
Oliver, George	3 00
Potter, W. F.	28 43
Snipe, H. W.	7 90
Snipe, J. W.	3 00
Snipe, B. P., heirs of	17 68
Snipe, F. H.	11 10
Stinson, J. F., heirs of	27 50
Wheeler, T. C.	9 60
Wheeler, Georgie E.	92

## Non-Residents.

Emmons, J. P., heirs of	5 55
Hogan, N. H., heirs of	6 00
Jordan, F. R., Jr.	4 40
Powers, L. W.	5 50
Southard, F. E., heirs of	7 70
White, John, heirs of	6 60
White, E. D., heirs of	28 60
Osborne, J. G.	55
Armstrong, Rose E.	77
Basset, George	22
Babcock, Christina	33

Brookings, W. G.	44
Bryar, G. B.	33
Brug, Edward L.	33
Benjamin, W. W.	I 32
Cutliff, W. A.	33
Curier, Frank W.	33
Conby, W. F.	33
Cooper, Robert F.	33
Colley, Geo. A.	22
Clifford, Fannie E.	33
Cross, Arthur W.	33
Chapman, Geo. S.	33
Cross, Alice H.	33
Daley, Edward F.	44
Dorr, Conie E.	77
Denning, Rufus	33
Delaite, Charles L.	66
Fanning, Susan M.	99
Fay, Annie A.	33
Goodwin, Colvin G.	33
Greig, N. L.	33
Humphrey, John B.	I 32
Hughes, W. P., and Chute Harvey T.	5 94
Jacques, George A.	33
Jacques, John M.	33
Kimball, Grace O., Mrs.	33
Lay, Chas. E.	33
Lay, Clara L.	33
Libby, B. R.	22
McNoughty, Susie E.	22
Moloney, Charles A.	22

Mann, Addie V., Mrs.	33
Margeson, Carrie E.	44
Mortell, S. A.	33
Marshall, Jessie M.	33
Marshall, J. M.	33
Maurch, H. G.	99
Muzzey, Norman S.	66
Nutting, Elizabeth W.	33
Nye, A. M.	33
Organ, Minnie	44
Ourish, Karl H.	33
Parson, Leslie E.	22
Peobody, Joseph D.	22
Peny, Albert E.	33
Pierce, L. Alberta	22
Pierce, Hiram M.	66
Pulsifer, A. G., Mrs.	22
Pulsifier, Katharine A.	66
Quialey, John H.	66
Quinn, G. E.	22
Ralph, Margaret	22
Silva, Frank	I 21
Stanley, John Jr.	33
Smith, Arthur C.	44
Smith, Frank H.	33
Stigelman, Marie J. C.	66
Stigelman, Kathe. A. M.	33
Stone, Edward W.	33
Tedford, Nellie	33
Tedford, Joseph A.	33
Thurston, Wm. A.	66
Towle, Daniel	33
Wooding, Roy R.	33
Wright, Ella Y.	33