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of the  
TOWN of CARTHAGE  
for the  
Year Ending February 3, 1961

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# Town Officers for 1960

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*Clerk*

PEARL HUTCHINSON

*Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor*

STETSON G. HUTCHINSON                      ROBERT G. GORDON  
FRANK S. HUTCHINSON III

*Treasurer*

ROBERTA GORDON

*Superintending School Committee*

MILDRED C. SWETT    ETHEL C. NOYES    ELIJAH H. WHITE

*Superintendent of Schools*

WOODROW A. MERCIER

*Tax Collector*

LEE G. HUTCHINSON

*Constable*

GARY HUTCHINSON

*Health Officer*

A. E. BURGESS

*Sealer of Weights and Measures*

FRANK S. HUTCHINSON III

*Civil Defense Director*

ROBERT SMITH

*Budget Committee*

LEE G. HUTCHINSON  
HOLLIS SWETT

REGINALD SMITH  
MILLARD WEBSTER

LEO CARRIER

# TOWN WARRANT

*Franklin, S. S.*

*State of Maine*

*To Gary Hutchinson, a Constable in the Town of Carthage in said County,*  
*Greetings:*

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Carthage, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, Berry Mills, in said Town on the 6th day of March, A.D. 1961, 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.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect all Town Officers by nomination from the floor.

Article 3. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Town Reports of the Municipal Officers for the year ending February 3, 1961.

Article 5. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year,

Article 6.

1. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Administration of Schools including salaries of the Superintendent and Secretary and Office Expense.

|                                |                         |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1960 Appropriation \$ 1,007.59 |                         |
| 1961 Appropriation .....       | Recommended \$ 1,130.63 |

2. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Instruction including salaries of the Principal and Teachers, Professional Credits and Books and Supplies.

|                                |                         |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1960 Appropriation \$ 3,560.64 |                         |
| 1961 Appropriation .....       | Recommended \$ 3,292.52 |

3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Health Examinations, both Dental and Medical.  
 1960 Appropriation None  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 100.00
  
4. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Transportation including Contracted Services, Salary of the Bus Driver and Repair and Maintenance of the Bus.  
 1960 Appropriation \$ 2,391.46  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 3,029.17
  
5. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Operation of the School Plant including Janitor's Salary, Equipment for Janitor, Fuel and Public Utilities.  
 1960 Appropriation \$ 2,500.00  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 2,376.19
  
6. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Maintenance of the School Plant including Contracted Services, Replacement of Instructional Equipment, and Repair of Building and Equipment.  
 1960 Appropriation None  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 201.89
  
7. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Fixed Charges including Fire and Teachers' Liability Insurance.  
 1960 Appropriation \$ 245.24  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 71.30
  
8. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Capital Outlay including Renovation and New Equipment.  
 1960 Appropriation None  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 250.00
  
9. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Outgoing Transfer Accounts including both high school and elementary tuition.  
 1960 Appropriation \$ 2,700.00  
 1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 2,700.00

10. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Interest on the Permanent School Fund.

1960 Appropriation \$ 45.00  
1961 Appropriation ..... Recommended \$ 45.00

Article 7. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate and raise for Town debt on new Berry Mills Grammar School.

Recommended \$ 3,000.00

Article 8. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the repair of Summer Roads and Bridges.

Recommended \$ 400.00

Article 9. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the acquisition of Culverts.

Recommended None

Article 10. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for State Aid Road Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 44, 49, or 50, Chapter 23, R. S. 1954 as amended.

Recommended None

Article 11. To see what sum, if any, the Town will recommend to take from the Joint State Aid account for the purpose of applying Bituminous surface treatment to State Aid Roads, in excess of the requirements of Section L., 1935.

Recommended None

Article 12. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the purpose of Plowing and Sanding Winter Roads on Routes 2, 142, State Aid No. 3 and 4.

Recommended \$ 568.90

Article 13. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Winter Roads.

Recommended \$ 100.00

Article 14. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the care of the Poor.

Recommended \$ 1,000.00

Article 15. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate and raise for Aid to Dependent Children.

Recommended \$ 475.00

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of \$40.00, being dues to the Maine Municipal Association.

Recommended \$ 40.00

Article 17. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Discount on Taxes.

Recommended \$ 300.00

Article 18. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Overdrawn Accounts.

Recommended \$ 1,437.13

Article 19. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Abatements.

Recommended None

Article 20. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Current Expenses.

Recommended \$ 3,000.00

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to hire sums of money as may be necessary to pay Town Charges and Town Debts, in anticipation of Collection of Taxes and to issue and negotiate the note or notes of the Town so borrowed to an amount not to exceed in the aggregate the total tax levy of the preceding municipal year, as temporary loans.

Recommended Yes

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the S. S. Committee to arrange the place and number of Schools for the ensuing year to the best interests of the Town.

Recommended Yes

Article 23. To see whether or not the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of \$25.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the Natural Resources, Advantages and Attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, R. S. 1954.

Recommended \$ 25.00

Article 24. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the care of Cemeteries.

Recommended \$ 100.00

Article 25. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the necessary Bonds for the Town Officers.

Recommended \$ 40.00

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, on behalf of the Town, to sell and dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town, for non-payment of Taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable, and execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Recommended Yes

Article 27. To see what rate per-cent, and final date to be allowed on Discount of Taxes on the 1961 Commitment, Poll Tax excepted.

August 20 — 3%

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$105.00 in order to participate in a Franklin Area Family Counseling Service.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer to sell and assign unmaturred Tax Mortgage Liens for the amount unpaid and Interest and Cost.

Recommended Yes

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to fix a date when Taxes are due and payable.

Recommended December 1

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest beginning December the first, next, on all remaining unpaid taxes.

Recommended Yes

Article 32. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the Fire Department and to apportion same between the Berry Mills Company and the South Carthage Company.

Recommended \$150.00 for the So. Carthage Co.

Recommended \$150.00 for Insurance.

Recommended None for Berry Mills Co.



Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to have the Selectmen appoint a Budget Committee consisting of five citizens of the Town.

Recommended Yes

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to have printed in the Town Reports a true list of every Tax-payer's account.

Recommended Yes

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise \$100.00 for the benefit of the Rumford Community Hospital.

Recommended \$100.00

Article 36. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for cutting bushes on Town Roads.

Recommended None

Article 37. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Office Equipment.

Recommended \$100.00

Article 38. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the Civil Defense and Public Safety Program.

Recommended \$150.00

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to arrange for the plowing and sanding of the Winter Roads to the best interest of the Town.

Recommended Yes

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to leave the care of all Roads in the hands of the Selectmen.

Recommended Yes

Article 41. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for Street Lights and Maintenance.

Recommended \$160.00

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise \$40.00 for Town Dump.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the old desks and seats.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Grange Hall, Berry Mills, in said Town, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon on said day of said meeting, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Carthage, this 3rd day of February, A.D. 1961.

STETSON HUTCHINSON,  
ROBERT G. GORDON,  
FRANK S. HUTCHINSON III,

*Selectmen of Carthage*

# Report of Selectmen and Assessors

*To the Citizens of the Town of Carthage:*

Valuation of Property and Number of Polls Taxed in 1960

## VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE

|              |              |
|--------------|--------------|
| Resident     | \$ 96,260 00 |
| Non-Resident | 155,480 00   |
|              | <hr/>        |
| Total        | \$251,740 00 |

## PERSONAL ESTATE

|              |              |
|--------------|--------------|
| Resident     | \$ 20,790 00 |
| Non-Resident | 3,980 00     |
|              | <hr/>        |
| Total        | \$ 24,770 00 |

|                       |       |              |
|-----------------------|-------|--------------|
| Grand Total Valuation | <hr/> | \$276,510 00 |
|-----------------------|-------|--------------|

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Total Value of Land       | \$174,310 00 |
| Total Value of Buildings  | 77,430 00    |
| Number of Polls Taxed     | 78           |
| Number of Polls Not Taxed | 6            |
| Rate of Poll Tax          | \$3 00       |
| Rate of Taxation          | \$0 083      |
| Rate of Collection        | \$0 02       |

## TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

|                         | No.   | Value       |
|-------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Taxable Neat Cattle     | 86    | \$ 5,160 00 |
| Domestic Fowl           | 1,590 | 595 00      |
| Other Taxable Livestock | 14    | 935 00      |
|                         |       | <hr/>       |
| Total                   |       | \$ 6,690 00 |

## EXEMPT POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

|                               | No. | Value     |
|-------------------------------|-----|-----------|
| Cattle, 18 months and younger | 49  | \$ 735 00 |
|                               |     | <hr/>     |
| Total                         |     | \$ 735 00 |

## ALL OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

|                         | Value        |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Stock in Trade          | \$ 3,150 00  |
| Boats                   | 850 00       |
| Radios and Television   | 4,900 00     |
| Machinery and Equipment | 1,500 00     |
| Livestock               | 6,690 00     |
| Other Property          | 7,680 00     |
|                         | <hr/>        |
| Total                   | \$ 24,770 00 |

## MONEY RAISED AND ASSESSED

|                                  |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| School Budget                    | \$ 12,449 93 |
| Town Debt — Grammar School       | 3,000 00     |
| Summer Roads and Bridges         | 700 00       |
| Plowing and Sanding              | 568 90       |
| Winter Roads                     | 50 00        |
| Town Poor                        | 1,000 00     |
| Aid to Dependent Children        | 400 00       |
| Maine Municipal Association      | 40 00        |
| Discount on Taxes                | 100 00       |
| Overdrawn Accounts               | 1,671 55     |
| Current Expenses                 | 3,000 00     |
| Maine Publicity Bureau           | 25 00        |
| Bonds — Town Officers            | 40 00        |
| Fire Department — South Carthage | 100 00       |
| Fire Department — Berry Mills    | 200 00       |
| Fire Department — Insurance      | 125 00       |
| Street Lights and Maintenance    | 350 00       |
| Town Dump                        | 40 00        |
|                                  | <hr/>        |
| Total                            | \$ 23,860 38 |

## Statement of Accounts

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### CURRENT EXPENSES

|  |    |          |          |
|--|----|----------|----------|
| Appropriated                                 | \$ | 3,000 00 |          |
| Overdraft Appropriation                      |    | 405 31   |          |
| Rec'd of State of Maine — Porcupine Bounties |    | 4 50     |          |
| Dog License Refund                           |    | 42 54    |          |
| Rent of Tax Acquired Property                |    | 10 00    |          |
| Making Change                                |    | 168 64   |          |
|  |    |          |          |
| Available                                    | \$ | 3,630 99 |          |
|  |    |          |          |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960                  | \$ | 405 31   |          |
| Expended                                     |    | 3,595 19 | 4,000 50 |
|  |    |          |          |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961                  | \$ | 369 51   |          |

### Detail of Expenditures

|  |    |        |
|--|----|--------|
| Stetson Hutchinson, First Selectman                              | \$ | 300 00 |
| Robert Gordon, Second Selectman                                  |    | 295 00 |
| Frank Hutchinson, III, Third Selectman                           |    | 290 00 |
| Roberta Gordon, Treasurer  |    | 100 00 |
| Pearl Hutchinson, Town Clerk                                     |    | 25 00  |
| Lee G. Hutchinson, Tax Collector, and<br>Collecting Excise Taxes |    | 508 79 |
| Glenn E. Fields, Auditor   |    | 210 00 |
| Pearl Hutchinson, Vital Statistics                               |    | 6 39   |
| Knowlton & McLeary, Printing Reports                             |    | 297 34 |
| Interest on Temporary Loans                                      |    | 673 00 |
| The Kyes Agency — Insurance                                      |    | 32 41  |
| Lien Costs   |    | 109 50 |
| Porcupine Bounties   |    | 3 00   |
| Freight on Surplus Foods   |    | 304 18 |
| Lights — Office and Garage                                       |    | 27 37  |
| Making Change  |    | 168 64 |
| Ballot Clerks  |    | 60 00  |
| Marking Town Lot Lines   |    | 20 00  |
| Gary Hutchinson, Constable                                       |    | 14 00  |
| A. E. Burgess, Health Officer                                    |    | 10 00  |

|   |    |          |       |
|---|----|----------|-------|
| Robert Gordon, Use of Car                           | \$ | 20 00    |       |
| Frank Hutchinson, III, Use of Car                   |    | 10 00    |       |
| Frank Hutchinson, III, Sealer of Weights & Measures |    | 10 00    |       |
| Lee G. Hutchinson, Moderator                        |    | 5 00     |       |
| Ads   |    | 10 50    |       |
| Miscellaneous (Supplies, Etc.)                      |    | 85 07    |       |
|   |    |          | <hr/> |
| Total, as above                                     | \$ | 3,595 19 |       |

#### CIVIL DEFENSE AND PUBLIC SAFETY PROGRAM

|                                      |    |        |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 629 30 |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 629 30 |

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS

##### Berry Mills Company:

|                                      |    |        |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 132 65 |       |
| Appropriated                         |    | 200 00 |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Available                            | \$ | 332 65 |       |
| Expended                             |    | 11 31  |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 321 34 |       |

##### South Carthage Company:

|                             |    |        |        |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|--------|
| Appropriated                | \$ | 100 00 |        |
| Overdraft Appropriation     |    | 17 73  |        |
|                             |    |        | <hr/>  |
| Available                   | \$ | 117 73 |        |
| Expended                    | \$ | 134 27 |        |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 |    | 17 73  | 152 00 |
|                             |    |        | <hr/>  |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 34 27  |        |

##### Insurance on Fire Companies:

|                                      |    |        |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 28 75  |       |
| Appropriated                         |    | 125 00 |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Available                            | \$ | 153 75 |       |
| Expended                             |    | 144 98 |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 8 77   |       |

## MEDICAL CARE OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

|                                      |    |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 26 91 |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 26 91 |

## WINTER ROADS

|                                      |    |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 38 39 |
| Appropriated                         |    | 50 00 |
|                                      |    | <hr/> |
| Available                            | \$ | 88 39 |
| Expended                             |    | 89 60 |
|                                      |    | <hr/> |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961          | \$ | 1 21  |

## TOWN DUMP

|              |    |       |
|--------------|----|-------|
| Appropriated | \$ | 40 00 |
| Expended     | \$ | 40 00 |

## STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION

|                                      |    |          |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 1,500 00 |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 1,500 00 |

## STATE AID TOOLS

|                                      |    |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 18 47 |
| Transferred to Surplus               | \$ | 18 47 |

## PLOWING AND SANDING

|                              |    |          |
|------------------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriated                 | \$ | 568 90   |
| Received from State of Maine |    | 4,620 50 |
| Overpayment Returned         |    | 49 00    |
|                              |    | <hr/>    |
| Available                    | \$ | 5,238 40 |

|                             |    |                      |
|-----------------------------|----|----------------------|
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 1,879 05             |
| Expended                    |    | 5,720 10    7,599 15 |
|                             |    | <hr/>                |

|                             |      |          |
|-----------------------------|------|----------|
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 | * \$ | 2,360 75 |
|-----------------------------|------|----------|

\* This overdraft will be paid by the State of Maine.

## Detail of Expenditures

|                                   |             |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Use of Plow — John Murphy         | \$ 1,238 40 |             |
| George Mason                      | 14 00       |             |
| Edmond Maillet                    | 999 95      | \$ 2,252 35 |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
| Use of Loader — Lloyd Pratt       | \$ 146 00   |             |
| Thomas Welch                      | 286 00      | 432 00      |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
| Use of Truck — John Murphy        | \$ 216 20   |             |
| Edmond Maillet                    | 593 25      | 809 45      |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
| Use of Bulldozer — Hurchial Noyes |             | 15 00       |
| Use of Sander — Town of Carthage  | \$ 21 90    |             |
| Edmond Maillet                    | 74 20       | 96 10       |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
| Labor — John Murphy               | \$ 477 50   |             |
| George Mason                      | 12 50       |             |
| Edmond Maillet                    | 565 50      |             |
| Stetson Hutchinson                | 963 75      |             |
| Phillip Benner                    | 28 75       |             |
| Clifford Bickford                 | 10 00       | 2,058 00    |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
| State Highway Commission          |             | 57 20       |
|                                   |             | <hr/>       |
| Total, as above                   |             | \$ 5,720 10 |

## CUTTING BUSHES ON TOWN ROADS

|                                      |           |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ 111 01 |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ 111 01 |

## CULVERTS

|                                      |           |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ 239 59 |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ 239 59 |



## SUMMER ROADS AND BRIDGES

|                                      |    |        |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 195 15 |       |
| Appropriated                         |    | 700 00 |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Available                            | \$ | 895 15 |       |
| Expended                             |    | 974 67 |       |
|                                      |    |        | <hr/> |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961          | \$ | 79 52  |       |

## Detail of Expenditures

|                                    |    |        |        |
|------------------------------------|----|--------|--------|
| Dynamite                           | \$ | 33 00  |        |
| Use of Tractor — Arthur Hutchinson |    | 64 00  |        |
| Plank — Hurchial Noyes             |    | 421 50 |        |
| Use of Truck — Lionel Gaudette     | \$ | 8 45   |        |
| Ardene Proctor                     |    | 96 65  |        |
| Allison Maxwell                    |    | 10 65  | 115 75 |
|                                    |    |        | <hr/>  |
| Gravel                             |    | 20 50  |        |
| State Highway Commission           |    | 135 96 |        |
| Miscellaneous Supplies             |    | 10 13  |        |
| Labor — (Under \$40.00 per man)    |    | 173 83 |        |
|                                    |    |        | <hr/>  |
| Total, as above                    | \$ | 974 67 |        |

## MAINTENANCE OF UNIMPROVED ROADS

|                                      |    |          |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 351 14   |       |
| Received from State of Maine         |    | 1,875 42 |       |
|                                      |    |          | <hr/> |
| Available                            | \$ | 2,226 56 |       |
| Expended                             |    | 1,875 42 |       |
|                                      |    |          | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 351 14   |       |

## Detail of Expenditures

|                            |    |        |  |
|----------------------------|----|--------|--|
| Use of Truck — Albert Fiel | \$ | 120 70 |  |
| Ardene Proctor             |    | 42 55  |  |
| Allison Maxwell            |    | 58 65  |  |
| - Robert Childs            |    | 104 65 |  |

|                                |    |        |             |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|-------------|
| Use of Truck — Glendon Smith   | \$ | 122 49 |             |
| Milton Stinchfield, Jr.        |    | 133 13 | \$ 582 17   |
| <hr/>                          |    |        |             |
| Culverts                       |    |        | 308 74      |
| Gravel — Edith Hutchinson      |    |        | 172 00      |
| Foreman — Lawrence Kelley      |    |        | 79 50       |
| Bulldozer — Herbert Kelley     | \$ | 198 00 |             |
| Albert Fiel                    |    | 140 00 | 338 00      |
| <hr/>                          |    |        |             |
| Use of Loader — Herbert Kelley | \$ | 120 00 |             |
| Albert Fiel                    |    | 45 50  |             |
| Ardene Proctor                 |    | 100 00 | 265 50      |
| <hr/>                          |    |        |             |
| Mileage — Lawrence Kelley      |    |        | 12 00       |
| Labor — Bernard Hebner         | \$ | 37 50  |             |
| Donald Whittemore              |    | 56 88  |             |
| Elwin Brown                    |    | 23 13  | 117 51      |
| <hr/>                          |    |        |             |
| Total, as above                |    |        | \$ 1,875 42 |

## TOWN POOR

|                             |    |          |             |
|-----------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Appropriated                | \$ | 1,000 00 |             |
| Overdraft Appropriation     |    | 1,060 42 |             |
| <hr/>                       |    |          |             |
| Available                   |    |          | \$ 2,060 42 |
| <br>                        |    |          |             |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 1,060 42 |             |
| Expended                    |    | 1,732 12 | 2,792 54    |
| <hr/>                       |    |          |             |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 |    |          | \$ 732 12   |

## STATE POOR

|                              |    |          |             |
|------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Received from State of Maine | \$ | 1,066 64 |             |
| <br>                         |    |          |             |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960  | \$ | 213 40   |             |
| Expended                     |    | 1,385 86 | 1,599 26    |
| <hr/>                        |    |          |             |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961  |    |          | * \$ 532 62 |

\* This Overdraft will be paid by the State of Maine.

## AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

|                             |    |        |        |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|--------|
| Appropriated                | \$ | 400 00 |        |
| Overdraft Appropriation     |    | 148 24 |        |
|                             |    | <hr/>  |        |
| Available                   | \$ |        | 548 24 |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 148 24 |        |
| Expended                    |    | 473 40 | 621 64 |
|                             |    | <hr/>  |        |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 | \$ |        | 73 40  |

## POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

|                             |      |        |        |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| Overdraft Appropriation     | \$   | 39 85  |        |
| Received                    |      | 273 30 |        |
|                             |      | <hr/>  |        |
| Available                   | \$   |        | 313 15 |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 | \$   | 39 85  |        |
| Expended                    |      | 402 83 | 442 68 |
|                             |      | <hr/>  |        |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 | * \$ |        | 129 53 |

\* This balance will be paid by the Towns that the money was expended for.

## CARE OF CEMETERIES

|                                      |    |       |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|-------|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 66 60 |       |
| Expended                             |    | 89 31 |       |
|                                      |    | <hr/> |       |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961          | \$ |       | 22 71 |

## MAINE MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

|              |    |       |  |
|--------------|----|-------|--|
| Appropriated | \$ | 40 00 |  |
| Expended     | \$ | 40 00 |  |

## BONDS FOR TOWN OFFICERS

|              |    |       |  |
|--------------|----|-------|--|
| Appropriated | \$ | 40 00 |  |
| Expended     | \$ | 40 00 |  |

## MAINE PUBLICITY BUREAU

|              |    |       |  |
|--------------|----|-------|--|
| Appropriated | \$ | 25 00 |  |
| Expended     | \$ | 25 00 |  |

## OVERLAY

|                        |    |        |
|------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated           | \$ | 175 32 |
| Transferred to Surplus | \$ | 175 32 |

## COUNTY TAX

|              |    |        |
|--------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated | \$ | 610 70 |
| Expended     | \$ | 610 70 |

## DISCOUNT ON TAXES

|                                      |    |        |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 89 95  |
| Appropriated                         |    | 100 00 |
|                                      |    | <hr/>  |
| Available                            | \$ | 189 95 |
| Discounts Taken                      |    | 314 34 |
|                                      |    | <hr/>  |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961          | \$ | 124 39 |

## ABATEMENTS

|                                      |    |       |
|--------------------------------------|----|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ | 66 55 |
| Abatements Given                     |    | 25 75 |
|                                      |    | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ | 40 80 |

## Detail of Abatements

|                          |    |       |
|--------------------------|----|-------|
| 1960 Taxes:              |    |       |
| Alfred Broomhall         | \$ | 3 00  |
| Clara Alfredson          |    | 8 30  |
| Stanwood Virgin          |    | 11 30 |
| Everett Thomas           |    | 3 00  |
| Roy Bishop               |    | 05    |
| E. E. Gardiner, Heirs of |    | 10    |
|                          |    | <hr/> |
| As above                 | \$ | 25 75 |

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

| Account             | Principal | Interest  |          |           |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
|                     |           | 2-5-60    | Earned   | 2-3-61    |
| Frank Hutchinson    | \$ 100 00 | \$ 3 89   | \$ 3 11  | \$ 7 00   |
| F. W. Brown         | 100 00    | 25 73     | 3 77     | 29 50     |
| W. E. Putnam        | 200 00    | 61 99     | 7 88     | 69 87     |
| Ada M. Smith        | 115 00    | 13 80     | 3 87     | 17 67     |
| I. P. Staples       | 50 00     | 5 21      | 1 66     | 6 87      |
| Flora Maxwell White | 75 00     | 4 10      | 2 38     | 6 48      |
| Total               | \$ 640 00 | \$ 114 72 | \$ 22 67 | \$ 137 39 |

## NOTES PAYABLE

|                                     |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance on School Note —            |              |
| February 5, 1960 (4% Note)          | \$ 18,756 80 |
| Expended                            | 2,249 72     |
|                                     | <hr/>        |
| Balance, February 3, 1961           | \$ 16,507 08 |
| (Paid Interest of \$750.28 in 1960) |              |

## TEMPORARY LOANS

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Balance, February 5, 1960 | \$ 10,000 00 |
| Amount Borrowed in 1960   | 3,000 00     |
|                           | <hr/>        |
| Total                     | \$ 13,000 00 |
| Notes Paid in 1960        | \$ 13,000 00 |

## 1960 TAXES

|                                      |                  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Commitment                           | \$ 23,184 33     |
| Supplemental                         | 213 94           |
|                                      | <hr/>            |
| Total                                | \$ 23,398 27     |
| Paid to Treasurer                    | \$ 21,788 24     |
| Liens Placed                         | 847 37           |
| Discounts                            | 314 34           |
| Abatements                           | 25 75            |
| Transferred to Tax Acquired Property | 385 22 23,360 92 |
|                                      | <hr/>            |
| Delinquent, February 3, 1961         | \$ 37 35         |

|                        |    |       |
|------------------------|----|-------|
| Sherman Gordon         | \$ | 8 30  |
| Albert Jamison         |    | 8 30  |
| William Robbins        |    | 8 30  |
| Helen Skidgell         |    | 8 30  |
| Jos. Welch & H. Gagnon |    | 4 15  |
| <hr/>                  |    |       |
| Delinquent, as above   | \$ | 37 35 |

## TAX LIEN SUMMARY

| Year  | Bal. 2-5-60 | Liens<br>Placed | Collected   | To                          |                        |
|-------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
|       |             |                 |             | Tax<br>Acquired<br>Property | Surplus<br>Bal. 2-3-61 |
| 1960  |             | \$847 37        |             | \$ 68 47                    | \$ 778 90              |
| 1959  | \$ 7,622 40 |                 | \$ 4,628 33 | 333 02                      | \$19 25 2,641 80       |
| 1958  | 6,116 76    |                 | 5,692 68    | 424 08                      |                        |
| <hr/> |             |                 |             |                             |                        |
|       | \$13,739 16 | \$847 37        | \$10,321 01 | \$825 57                    | \$19 25 \$3,420 70     |

## DETAIL OF UNPAID TAX LIENS

|                                   | Amount of<br>Lien | Filing,<br>Recording,<br>& Dis-<br>charging<br>Liens | Interest<br>Thru<br>2-3-61 | Regis-<br>tered<br>Mail<br>Charges | Total       |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1960 Tax Liens:                   |                   |  |                            |                                    |             |
| Ruel Berry                        | \$ 139 03         | \$ 8 00  | \$ 1 00                    | \$ 20                              | \$ 148 23   |
| John Bennett                      | 12 45             | 4 00   | 13                         | 20                                 | 16 78       |
| Roy Bishop                        | 24 84             | 4 00   | 26                         | 20                                 | 29 30       |
| Lurlene Fish                      | 22 83             | 4 00   | 24                         | 20                                 | 27 27       |
| John C. Hammond                   | 60 17             | 4 00   | 62                         | 20                                 | 64 99       |
| Lovid Hill                        | 43 57             | 4 00   | 45                         | 20                                 | 48 22       |
| Conrid Houghton                   | 29 88             | 4 00   | 31                         | 20                                 | 34 39       |
| Lawrence Houghton                 | 72 63             | 4 00   | 74                         | 20                                 | 77 57       |
| Elva Maxwell, Heirs               | 41 50             | 4 00   | 43                         | 20                                 | 46 73       |
| Lloyd Millett                     | 141 10            | 4 00   | 1 46                       | 20                                 | 146 76      |
| George Naugler                    | 33 20             | 4 00   | 34                         | 20                                 | 37 74       |
| Helen Skidgell                    | 62 25             | 4 00   | 64                         | 20                                 | 67 09       |
| Quentin Smith                     | 12 45             | 4 00   | 13                         | 20                                 | 16 78       |
| William & Charlotte<br>Thomas     | 20 75             | 4 00   | 21                         | 20                                 | 25 16       |
| Clyde Wardwell                    | 29 05             | 4 00   | 31                         | 20                                 | 33 56       |
| Joseph Welch &<br>H. Gagnon       | 33 20             | 4 00   | 34                         | 20                                 | 37 74       |
| Total 1960<br>Liens               | \$ 778 90         | \$ 68 00   | \$ 7 61                    | \$ 3 80                            | \$ 858 31   |
| 1959 Tax Liens:                   |                   |  |                            |                                    |             |
| J. C. Marble, Jr.                 | \$ 563 64         | \$ 32 00   | \$ 39 93                   | \$                                 | \$ 635 57   |
| J. C. Marble, Jr. &<br>Mary Green | 1,851 85          | 52 00  | 131 20                     | 20                                 | 2,035 25    |
| Alvin Brown                       | 65 88             | 4 00   | 4 66                       |                                    | 74 54       |
| Minot Flagg                       | 46 97             | 4 00   | 3 33                       | 20                                 | 54 50       |
| Kermit Houghton                   | 31 57             | 4 00   | 2 23                       |                                    | 37 80       |
| Lloyd Millett                     | 54 94             | 4 00   | 6 20                       | 20                                 | 65 34       |
| Edwin Willoughby                  | 26 95             | 4 00   | 1 91                       | 20                                 | 33 06       |
|                                   | \$ 2,641 80       | \$ 104 00  | \$ 189 46                  | \$ 80                              | \$ 2,936 06 |

Any registered mail charges when discharging the lien would have to be added to the total column. Interest will also have to be added after February 3, 1961.

## TAX ACQUIRED PROPERTY

|                           | Balance<br>2-5-60 | From<br>Tax<br>Liens | 1960<br>Taxes | Charges<br>or<br>(Credits) | Sold       | Balance<br>2-3-61 |
|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| James Hall                | \$ 52 34          |                      |               |                            |            | \$ 52 34          |
| Illona Howard             | 178 44            |                      | \$ 35 00      |                            |            | 213 44            |
| Stillman Turner           | 163 02            |                      | 31 00         |                            |            | 194 02            |
| Lyman Adams               | 35 10             |                      |               | (\$35 10)                  |            | 00 00             |
| Lawrence Allen            | 85 80             |                      |               |                            |            | 85 80             |
| D. Briggs &<br>D. Stewart | 21 45             |                      |               | (\$21 45)                  |            | 00 00             |
| Asa Flagg                 | 832 19            |                      | 70 13         | 545 29                     | \$1,447 61 | 00 00             |
| Roy Bishop                |                   | \$ 97 66             | 40 00         |                            |            | 137 66            |
| Theodore Knox             |                   | 13 35                | 13 00         |                            |            | 26 35             |
| George Morse              |                   | 34 83                | 10 79         | 23 28                      | 68 90      | 00 00             |
| Roland Provencher         |                   | 44 50                |               | ( 44 50)                   |            | 00 00             |
| F. E. Stevens             |                   | 323 70               | 166 42        | 31 38                      | 521 50     | 00 00             |
| Clarence Stewart          |                   | 24 48                |               | ( 24 48)                   |            | 00 00             |
| Harold Walker             |                   | 31 15                | 71 48         | 5 39                       | 108 02     | 00 00             |
| Ralph Virgin              |                   | 174 30               |               | ( 10 00)                   |            | 184 30            |
| H. & M. J. Smith          |                   | 61 60                | 66 40         | 11 63                      | 139 63     | 00 00             |
| Total                     | \$1,368 34        | \$825 57             | \$504 22      | \$481 44                   | \$2,285 66 | \$893 91          |

The above ending balances do not include any charges for recording liens nor interest.

SUMMARY OF OVERDRAFTS AND UNEXPENDED  
BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 3, 1961

## Unexpended Balances:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Abatements                     | \$ 40 80 |
| Insurance on Fire Depts.       | 8 77     |
| Fire Company — Berry Mills     | 321 34   |
| Medical Care School Children   | 26 91    |
| Civil Defense                  | 629 30   |
| State Aid Road Construction    | 1,500 00 |
| Cutting Bushes on Town Roads   | 111 01   |
| Maintenance — Unimproved Roads | 351 14   |



|                               |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Culverts                      | \$ 239 59   |
| Street Lights and Maintenance | 98 00       |
| Education                     | 1,680 63    |
|                               | <hr/>       |
| Total Unexpended Balances     | \$ 5,007 49 |

## Overdrafts:

|                               |           |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Current Expenses              | \$ 369 51 |
| Discounts on Taxes            | 124 39    |
| Fire Company — South Carthage | 34 27     |
| Care of Cemeteries            | 22 71     |
| Summer Roads                  | 79 52     |
| Plowing and Sanding           | 2,360 75  |
| Town Poor                     | 732 12    |
| State Poor                    | 532 62    |
| Poor of Other Towns           | 129 53    |
| Aid to Dependent Children     | 73 40     |
| Winter Roads                  | 1 21      |
|                               | <hr/>     |
| Total Overdrafts              | 4,460 03  |

Net Unexpended Balances \$ 547 46

Note: The Overdraft Appropriation as shown in the articles of the Town Warrant for the coming year is \$1,437.13.

## ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN SURPLUS

Balance, February 5, 1960 (Town Debt) \$ 13,014 17

## Add — Decreases:

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Excise Taxes Applied Against Commitment | \$ 1,462 07 |
| Amount Paid — Not on Warrants           | 88          |
| 1959 Tax Lien to Surplus                | 19 25       |
|   | <hr/>       |
| Total Decreases                         | 1,482 20    |

Total \$ 14,496 37

## Less — Increases:

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Use of Sander            | \$ 20 70 |
| Reduction of School Note | 2,249 72 |
| Overlay                  | 175 32   |

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1960 Supplemental Taxes               | \$ 213 94   |
| 1959 Supplemental Taxes               | 6 00        |
| Uncommitted 1959 Tax Lien             | 20 42       |
| Adjustment of Tax Acquired Property   | 610 44      |
| State Aid Tools — Write off           | 18 47       |
| Interest on Taxes                     | 58 21       |
| Costs and Interests on Liens          | 858 28      |
| Excise Taxes Collected                | 1,827 33    |
|                                       | <hr/>       |
| Total Increases                       | \$ 6,058 83 |
|                                       | <hr/>       |
| Balance, February 3, 1961 (Town Debt) | \$ 8,437 54 |
|                                       | <hr/>       |

Respectfully submitted,

STETSON G. HUTCHINSON,  
ROBERT G. GORDON,  
FRANK S. HUTCHINSON, III,

Selectmen of Carthage

**COMPLETE ACCOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED TO RESIDENTS  
OF THE TOWN OF CARTHAGE FOR THE YEAR 1960**

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Abbott, John               | \$ 7 15 |
| Alfredson, Clara           | 8 30    |
| Archibald, Ernest & Minnie | 81 85   |
| Barnett, Alfred            | 7 15    |
| Barnett, Thomas & Lois     | 127 50  |
| Benner, Philip             | 276 08  |
| Berry, Raymond             | 69 40   |
| Berry, Ruel                | 168 99  |
| Berry, Sidney              | 94 30   |
| Bickford, Clifton          | 259 05  |
| Biden, George              | 257 81  |
| Bishop, Roy                | 24 84   |
| Blodgett, Minnie           | 87 15   |
| Blodgett, Ralph            | 11 30   |
| Bradeen, Donald            | 120 04  |
| Bradeen, Harris            | 11 30   |
| Broomhall, Alfred          | 3 00    |
| Brown, Alvin               | 175 64  |

|                              |         |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Brown, Elwin                 | \$ 4 15 |
| Burgess, A. E.               | 58 10   |
| Carrier, Leo & Clarice       | 438 34  |
| Carrier, Theodore            | 14 94   |
| Chase, Llewellyn             | 3 00    |
| Clark, Josiah                | 90 15   |
| Coburn, John G.              | 338 22  |
| Davis, Lena                  | 89 23   |
| Drake, Clarence              | 3 00    |
| Ellis, Kenneth               | 32 05   |
| Ellis, Mary                  | 84 66   |
| Epps, James                  | 3 00    |
| Fish, Benjamin               | 3 00    |
| Fish, Lurlene                | 22 83   |
| Flagg, Asa                   | 75 62   |
| Flagg, Kenneth               | 3 00    |
| Flagg, Minot                 | 54 87   |
| Gaudette, Lionel             | 143 27  |
| Girardin, Alfred             | 54 88   |
| Girardin, George             | 90 15   |
| Gordon, Robert & Roberta     | 135 80  |
| Gordon, Sherman              | 8 30    |
| Hammond, John C.             | 71 47   |
| Hammond, Lovisa              | 60 18   |
| Hatch, Rex & Marion          | 208 84  |
| Hill, Lovid                  | 46 57   |
| Hill, Philip                 | 3 00    |
| Houghton, Conrid             | 37 03   |
| Houghton, Emeral             | 3 00    |
| Houghton, Kermit             | 45 33   |
| Houghton, Lawrence           | 83 93   |
| Howard, Elmer                | 3 00    |
| Hutchinson, Arthur           | 529 23  |
| Hutchinson, Cecil            | 15 45   |
| Hutchinson, Earl             | 45 33   |
| Hutchinson, Edith            | 41 50   |
| Hutchinson, Gary             | 3 00    |
| Hutchinson, Lee G.           | 376 50  |
| Hutchinson, Frank Jr.        | 7 15    |
| Hutchinson, Frank 3rd        | 135 79  |
| Hutchinson, Ivus             | 42 33   |
| Hutchinson, Mabel — Heirs of | 3 32    |
| Hutchinson, O. V. — Heirs of | 167 66  |

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Hutchinson, Pearl W.        | \$ 272 24 |
| Hutchinson, Stetson         | 22 51     |
| Hutchinson, T. I.           | 153 65    |
| Hutchinson, Wilhelmina      | 58 10     |
| Jackson, Donald             | 11 30     |
| Jackson, Erwin              | 8 30      |
| Jackson, Robert             | 11 30     |
| Jamison, Albert             | 11 30     |
| Johnson, Angier             | 81 76     |
| Knox, Eugene                | 3 00      |
| Knox, Theodore              | 7 15      |
| Marean, Harold C.           | 12 45     |
| Mason, Dorothy & George     | 383 88    |
| Mason, Dorothy & B. Johnson | 45 65     |
| McLennan, Fred              | 7 15      |
| Noyes, C. C.                | 81 85     |
| Noyes, C. C. & Son          | 206 66    |
| Noyes, Hurchial             | 229 18    |
| Noyes, Roy & Annabelle      | 166 51    |
| Packard, Roger              | 11 30     |
| Peterson, George            | 156 55    |
| Rafter, Philip              | 86 83     |
| Robbins, William            | 11 30     |
| Ruff, Eleanor               | 53 95     |
| Ruff, Norman & Eleanor      | 185 60    |
| Ruff, William               | 4 15      |
| Skidgell, Everett           | 3 00      |
| Skidgell, Helen             | 70 55     |
| Snell, John                 | 81 85     |
| Smith, Harry L.             | 159 36    |
| Smith, Reginald             | 137 46    |
| Smith, Robert               | 73 55     |
| Stevens, F. E.              | 166 42    |
| Swett, J. Hollis & Harriet  | 151 98    |
| Swett, Mildred              | 43 58     |
| Swett, R. D.                | 31 22     |
| Swett, R. C. — Heirs of     | 195 05    |
| Thomas, Esther              | 4 15      |
| Thomas, Everett Jr.         | 3 00      |
| Thomas, William & Oharlotte | 27 90     |
| Turner, Stillman            | 11 30     |
| Tyler, Hollis               | 131 65    |
| Virgin, A. D.               | 3 00      |

|                            |    |        |
|----------------------------|----|--------|
| Virgin, Ralph              | \$ | 75 62  |
| Virgin, Stanwood           |    | 11 30  |
| Virgin, Wallace            |    | 7 15   |
| Walker, Harold             |    | 71 48  |
| Webster, Earl              |    | 90 15  |
| Webster, Millard           |    | 308 42 |
| Welch, Joseph & H. Gagnon  |    | 40 35  |
| Willoughby, Edwin B.       |    | 3 00   |
| White Brothers             |    | 76 78  |
| White, Elijah Sr.          |    | 139 95 |
| White, Hurchial            |    | 75 62  |
| White, Robert              |    | 3 00   |
| White, Zilla               |    | 92 13  |
| Whittemore, Donald & Alice |    | 95 13  |
| Whittemore, Ralph          |    | 3 00   |
| Wright, Roger              |    | 3 00   |
| Bonney, Max W.             |    | 3 00   |

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**COMPLETE ACCOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED TO NON-  
RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF CARTHAGE FOR THE YEAR  
1960**

|                              |    |        |
|------------------------------|----|--------|
| Adams, Irving                | \$ | 78 85  |
| Allen, Lawrence              |    | 41 50  |
| Allen, Stuart                |    | 107 90 |
| Arsenault, B. & E. Robichaud |    | 31 13  |
| Belanger, Henry              |    | 53 95  |
| Bennett, John                |    | 12 45  |
| Blanchard, C. F. — Heirs of  |    | 834 15 |
| Blanchard, John              |    | 83 00  |
| Blood, Oliver                |    | 12 45  |
| Burhoe, James                |    | 124 50 |
| Burtchell, Linwood R.        |    | 50 63  |
| Carver, Harry                |    | 176 38 |
| Central Maine Power Co.      |    | 286 35 |
| Ohadbourne, Philip           |    | 41 50  |
| Clark, Raymond               |    | 24 90  |
| Crossman, Helen              |    | 74 70  |
| Davis, C. F. & M.            |    | 41 50  |
| Diamond National Corp.       |    | 224 10 |
| Dickson, Thomas, Jr.         |    | 95 45  |

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Dickson, Thomas Sr.          | \$ 249 00 |
| Fish, Cameron                | 8 30      |
| Flagg, William & Freda       | 14 53     |
| Foster, C. E. — Heirs of     | 124 50    |
| Gardner, E. E. — Heirs of    | 141 00    |
| Gill, Erlon                  | 28 22     |
| Goglia, Bertha               | 107 89    |
| Gulf Oil Corp.               | 43 99     |
| Hall, Ralph                  | 120 35    |
| Hanson, H. W.                | 53 95     |
| Hill, Philip                 | 34 03     |
| Horne, Merrill & Earl        | 18 68     |
| Harlow, Robert               | 26 98     |
| Hutchinson, Lee G. 2nd       | 83        |
| Johnson, Hubert              | 110 80    |
| Kaulback, Frank              | 46 90     |
| Kingsbury, Carl M.           | 58 93     |
| Lait, A.                     | 33 20     |
| LaPointe, Robert J.          | 41 92     |
| Largesse, A. N.              | 56 02     |
| Lowe, H. M. — Heirs of       | 99 60     |
| Maillett, Philip             | 99 60     |
| Maine Cons. Power Co.        | 871 50    |
| Marble, J. C. Jr.            | 624 16    |
| Marble, J. C. Jr. & M. Green | 1,989 93  |
| March, Harry B. — Heirs of   | 67 23     |
| Masterman, Gladys            | 45 65     |
| Maxwell, Elva — Heirs of     | 41 50     |
| McKay, William               | 69 72     |
| Merrill, Forest & G. Emery   | 31 13     |
| Millett, Lloyd               | 141 10    |
| Mitchell, Josie              | 6 64      |
| Morrison, Vivian             | 82        |
| Morse, George                | 10 79     |
| Naugler, George              | 33 20     |
| Oxford Paper Company         | 190 90    |
| Rice, Lillian                | 157 29    |
| Robbins, E. R.               | 4 15      |
| Robbins, John & Evelyn       | 83 00     |
| Sammon, George               | 20 75     |
| Sanborn, Bert                | 12 45     |
| Small, A. E.                 | 16 60     |
| Smith, Harry & M. J.         | 66 40     |

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Smith, Quentin            | \$ 12 45 |
| Spaulding, Walter         | 72 21    |
| Stowell, Newton & Rand    | 290 50   |
| Swett, Ethel              | 6 64     |
| Timberlands, Inc.         | 3,627 08 |
| Toothaker, Maurice        | 257 30   |
| Voter, Virgil & Lila      | 56 03    |
| Wardwell, Clyde           | 29 05    |
| Wardwell, Mildred         | 33 20    |
| Watson, Philip            | 70 55    |
| Webb, Daniel              | 16 60    |
| White, Gordon             | 31 13    |
| Whittemore, Edwin & Hazel | 22 82    |
| Williams, Stanley         | 20 75    |
| Williamson, Howard & E.   | 83       |
| Willoughby, Edwin         | 29 05    |
| Winter, Ralph             | 240 70   |
| Worthley, Robert          | 18 67    |

## Tax Collector's Report

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February 3, 1961.

Reference to the list of 1960 Tax Mortgage Liens in this report shows that not only were the large non-resident assessments paid in full this year, but that the normal list is the smallest of any year since 1955. All items in the Delinquent List below will soon be paid or in litigation.

| DELINQUENT 1960 TAXES   |    |          |
|-------------------------|----|----------|
| Gordon, Sherman         | \$ | 8 30     |
| * Jamison, Albert       |    | 8 30     |
| Robbins, William        |    | 8 30     |
| Skidgell, Helen         |    | 8 30     |
| Welch, Jos. & H. Gagnon |    | 4 15     |
|                         |    | \$ 37 35 |

\* Paid after closure of books.

Respectfully submitted,

LEE G. HUTCHINSON, Collector



## Treasurer's Report

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|   |  |
|---|--|
| Cash in Bank or On Hand, February 5, 1960   | \$ 4,058 71                            |
| Receipts:   |  |
| Taxes — Current Years   | \$ 21,788 24                           |
| Taxes — Prior Years   | 84 45                                  |
| Tax Liens   | 10,321 01                              |
| Excise Taxes  | 1,827 33                               |
| Costs and Interests on Tax Liens  | 858 28                                 |
| Interest on Taxes   | 58 21                                  |
| Departmental:   |  |
| Gen. Gov't.   | \$ 47 04    \$ 478 64                  |
| Poor  | 1,066 64    273 30                     |
| Highways  | 6,495 92    49 00                      |
| Education   | 12,988 00    6 50                      |
|   | \$ 20,597 60    \$ 807 44    21,405 04 |
| Use of Sander   | 20 70                                  |
| Temporary Loans   | 3,000 00                               |
| Sale of Tax Acquired Property   | 2,295 66                               |
| Uncommitted Tax Lien  | 20 42                                  |
| Total Receipts  | 61,679 34                              |
| Total Available   | \$ 65,738 05                           |
| Total Disbursements:  |  |
| Per Warrants  | \$ 59,402 27                           |
| Plus — Difference between Beginning and<br>Ending Balances — Collector of<br>Internal Revenue | 26 40                                  |
| Checks Issued — Not on Warrant  | 88                                     |
|   | 59,429 55                              |
| Cash in Bank or On Hand, February 3, 1961   | \$ 6,308 50                            |

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERTA GORDON, Treasurer.

# Report of Audit

February 3, 1961  
Dixfield, Maine

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Carthage:

In accordance with the request of your Municipal Officers, I have completed an examination of the accounts of the Town of Carthage for the year ending February 3, 1961.

In my opinion, based upon this examination, the accompanying Balance Sheet fairly represents the financial condition of your Town as of February 3, 1961.

## BALANCE SHEET

February 3, 1961 compared with February 5, 1960

|                       | ASSETS       |              |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                       | Feb. 3, 1961 | Feb. 5, 1960 |
| Cash                  | \$ 6,308 50  | \$ 4,058 71  |
| Uncollected Taxes     | 37 85        | 78 45        |
| Tax Liens and Deeds   | 3,420 70     | 13,739 16    |
| Cemetery Trust Funds  | 777 39       | 754 72       |
| Accounts Receivable   | 3,022 90     | 2,092 45     |
| Tax Acquired Property | 893 91       | 1,368 34     |
|                       | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
| Total Assets          | \$ 14,460 75 | \$ 22,091 83 |

## LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

|                                     |              |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Liabilities:                        |              |              |
| Ministerial School Funds Borrowed   | \$ 750 00    | \$ 750 00    |
| Reserve for Cemetery Trust Funds    | 777 39       | 754 72       |
| Reserve for Income Taxes Withheld   | 351 80       | 378 20       |
| Notes Payable — New School Building | 16,507 08    | 18,756 80    |
| Notes Payable — Temporary Loan      | 00 00        | 10,000 00    |
| Reserve for Accrued Salaries        | 941 66       | 841 66       |
|                                     | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
| Total Liabilities                   | \$ 19,327 93 | \$ 31,481 38 |

|                               | Feb. 3, 1961 | Feb. 5, 1960 |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Surplus or Town Debt:         |              |              |
| General Surplus               |              |              |
| Town Debt                     | \$ 8,437 54  | \$ 13,014 17 |
| Net Unexpended Balances       | 3,570 36     | 3,624 62     |
|                               | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
| Town Debt — Net               | 4,867 18     | 9,389 55     |
|                               | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
| Total Liabilities and Surplus | \$ 14,460 75 | \$ 22,091 83 |
|                               | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |

## SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S CASH ACCOUNT

|                               |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Cash on Hand February 5, 1960 | \$ 4,058 71  |
| Receipts for the Year         | 61,679 34    |
|                               | <hr/>        |
| Total Available               | \$ 65,738 05 |
| Checks Issued                 | 59,429 55    |
|                               | <hr/>        |
| Cash on Hand February 3, 1961 | \$ 6,308 50  |
|                               | <hr/>        |

## RECONCILIATION WITH BANK

|                                      |              |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Bank Balance, February 1, 1961       | \$ 7,567 06  |
| Plus — Deposits 2-2-61               | 6,643 67     |
| — Deposit in Transit                 | 7 16         |
|                                      | <hr/>        |
| Total                                | \$ 14,217 89 |
| Less — Outstanding Checks            | 7,909 39     |
|                                      | <hr/>        |
| Check Book Balance, February 3, 1961 | \$ 6,308 50  |
|                                      | <hr/>        |

A complete audit report containing the following exhibits and schedules will be available at your Selectmen's Office, and also a copy of the audit report has been sent to the State Department of Audit.

- Exhibit A — Balance Sheet
- B — Summary of Cash Receipts and Disbursements
- C — Valuation, Tax Assessment and Collection
- D — Statement of Change in Surplus
- E — Statement of Departmental Operation

- Schedule 1 — Summary of Taxes
- 2 — Summary of Tax Liens and Deeds
- 3 — Summary of Tax Acquired Property
- 4 — Cemetery Trust Funds
- 5 — Notes Payable

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN E. FIFIELD, Auditor

# Town of Carthage School Report

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of the Town of Carthage, I hereby submit my eighth annual report of the Carthage School.

### STATISTICS:

| I. Teachers             |                   | Annual Salary |
|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Position                | Name              |               |
| Prin., Grades 6, 7, & 8 | C. Richard Dyke   | \$3,900 00    |
| Grades 3, 4, and 5      | Geraldine Geronda | \$3,600 00    |
| Grades 1 and 2          | Ruth Francis      | \$3,800 00    |

### II. Attendance — School Year 1959 - 1960

|                   | No. of Pupils | Ave. Att. for Year |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Grammar Room      | 21            | 19.36              |
| Intermediate Room | 27            | 25.23              |
| Primary Room      | 31            | 28.40              |
|                   | <hr/> 79      | <hr/> 72.99        |

### III. Perfect Attendance for the School Year 1959 - 1960

| Grade 7        | Grade 6          | Grade 5       |
|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| John Ellis     | Barry Hutchinson | Jeffrey Biden |
| Phyllis Fish   |                  |               |
| Jon Hutchinson |                  |               |

|              |                  |                   |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Grade 3      | Grade 2          | Grade 1           |
| Joseph Berry | April Barnett    | Frank Berry       |
|              | Barbara Blodgett | Judith Hutchinson |
|              | Patricia Mason   |                   |

## IV. School Enrollment for the Fall Term, 1960

|         |       |
|---------|-------|
| Grade 8 | 8     |
| Grade 7 | 7     |
| Grade 6 | 12    |
| Grade 5 | 0     |
| Grade 4 | 17    |
| Grade 3 | 11    |
| Grade 2 | 10    |
| Grade 1 | 9     |
|         | <hr/> |
| Total   | 74    |

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

A total of 15 students were enrolled for the Fall Term, 1960

**Dixfield High School**

Seniors: Larry Mason and William Skidgell

Juniors: Wendell Bishop and Gloria White

Sophomores: Elwin Brown — left September 12

Freshmen: Edmond Berry — left January 20, 1961; Mary Donna Bickford, Arnold Clark, Brenda Gordon, Arthur Varanelli, and Edward Fish — moved January 30, 1961.

**Mexico High School**

Senior: Theodore Carrier

Junior: Nancy Hutchinson

Sophomores: Beverly Hammond and John Shaw

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL TUITION

**Dixfield Schools**

Grade 7 — John Bickford

Grade 4 — Philip Benner

Grade 2 — Paul Benner and Lucille Stickney

Grade 1 — Louis Webster and Merle Kimball — entered November 28.

Pre-Primary — Beatrice Packard and Vicki Rafter

**Maine State School for the Deaf**

Betty Bickford

Rose Marie Flagg

## BUDGET

The Carthage Superintending School Committee submits the following budget for your approval.

TOWN OF CARTHAGE

|  | 1960 -<br>Elementary | 1961<br>Secondary | 1961 -<br>Elementary | 1962<br>Secondary | Receipts           | Taxation           |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 100 ADMINISTRATION                       |                      |                   |                      |                   |                    |                    |
| 110 Salaries                             |                      |                   |                      |                   |                    |                    |
| Board of Education                       | \$ 22 50             |                   | \$ 60 00             |                   |                    |                    |
| Superintendent                           | 697 27               |                   | 763 23               |                   |                    |                    |
| Secretary                                | 226 82               |                   | 246 40               |                   |                    |                    |
| 130 Office Expense                       | 50 00                |                   | 50 00                |                   |                    |                    |
| Supt. — Conventions                      | 11 00                |                   | 11 00                |                   |                    |                    |
|  | <u>\$ 1,007 59</u>   |                   | <u>\$ 1,130 63</u>   |                   |                    | <u>\$ 1,130 63</u> |
| 200 INSTRUCTION                          |                      |                   |                      |                   |                    |                    |
| 211 Principal's Salary                   | 150 00               |                   | 150 00               |                   |                    |                    |
| 213 Teachers' Salaries                   | 10,650 00            |                   | 11,750 00            |                   | Anticipated        |                    |
| Substitutes                              | 150 00               |                   | 150 00               |                   | State              |                    |
| 216 Professional Credits                 | 50 00                |                   | 50 00                |                   | Subsidy            |                    |
| 220 Books                                | 350 00               |                   | 350 00               |                   | 8,548 00           |                    |
| 230 Maps, Audio-Visual,<br>Library       | 200 00               |                   | 200 00               |                   | Balance            |                    |
| 240 Teaching Supplies                    | 325 00               |                   | 400 00               |                   | 1,259 48           |                    |
| 250 Office Supplies, Rank<br>Cards, Etc. | 50 00                |                   | 50 00                |                   |                    |                    |
|  | <u>\$ 11,925 00</u>  |                   | <u>\$ 13,100 00</u>  |                   | <u>\$ 9,807 48</u> | <u>\$ 3,292 52</u> |

|     |                                   |             |           |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| 400 | HEALTH                            |             |           |
|     | Dental and Medical                | \$ 100 00   |           |
| 500 | TRANSPORTATION                    |             |           |
| 510 | Salary                            | 785 00      | 262 50    |
| 520 | Contracted Services               | 986 00      |           |
| 540 | Insurance                         | 40 00       |           |
| 560 | Other Expenses, Gas,<br>Oil, Etc. | 900 00      |           |
|     |                                   | <hr/>       | <hr/>     |
|     |                                   | \$ 2,711 00 | \$ 262 50 |
| 600 | OPERATION OF PLANT                |             |           |
| 610 | Salaries                          | 800 00      |           |
| 630 | Fuel                              | 1,000 00    |           |
| 640 | Public Utilities                  | 550 00      |           |
| 650 | Supplies (Wax, Etc.)              | 150 00      |           |
|     |                                   | <hr/>       | <hr/>     |
|     |                                   | \$ 2,500 00 |           |
| 700 | MAINTENANCE OF PLANT              |             |           |
| 720 | Contracted Services               | 173 55      |           |
| 740 | Materials for Repair              | 50 00       |           |
|     |                                   | <hr/>       | <hr/>     |
|     |                                   | \$ 223 55   |           |



|                    |                  |                  |                    |
|--------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| \$ 173 22          |                  | \$ 73 22         | \$ 100 00          |
| 850 00             | 297 50           |                  |                    |
| 986 00             |                  | Balance          |                    |
| 45 00              |                  | 49 33            |                    |
| 900 00             |                  |                  |                    |
| <u>\$ 2,781 00</u> | <u>\$ 297 50</u> | <u>\$ 49 33</u>  | <u>\$ 3,029 17</u> |
| 880 00             |                  |                  |                    |
| 900 00             |                  |                  |                    |
| 550 00             |                  | Balance          |                    |
| 150 00             |                  | 103 81           |                    |
| <u>\$ 2,480 00</u> |                  | <u>\$ 103 81</u> | <u>\$ 2,376 19</u> |
| 175 00             |                  | Balance          |                    |
| 50 00              |                  | 23 11            |                    |
| <u>\$ 225 00</u>   |                  | <u>\$ 23 11</u>  | <u>\$ 201 89</u>   |

|      |                            | 1960 -       | 1961         |
|------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|      |                            | Elementary   | Secondary    |
| 800  | FIXED CHARGES              |              |              |
| 820  | Insurance                  |              |              |
|      | Teachers Liability         | 5 00         |              |
|      | Fire                       | 250 00       |              |
|      |                            | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
|      |                            | \$ 255 00    |              |
| 1200 | CAPITAL OUTLAY             |              |              |
| 1230 | Equipment                  | \$ 100 00    |              |
| 1400 | OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS |              |              |
| 1410 | Tuition                    | \$ 1,150 00  | \$ 6,850 00  |
|      | Interest on School Fund    | 45 00        |              |
|      |                            | <hr/>        | <hr/>        |
|      |                            | \$ 20,017 14 | \$ 7,112 50  |
|      | Grand Total                |              | \$ 27,129 64 |

| 1961<br>Elementary | - 1962<br>Secondary | Receipts                        | Taxation     |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| 5 00               |                     | Balance                         |              |
| 160 00             |                     | 93 70                           |              |
| <hr/>              | <hr/>               | <hr/>                           | <hr/>        |
| \$ 165 00          |                     | \$ 93 70                        | \$ 71 30     |
|                    |                     | Balance                         |              |
|                    |                     | \$ 77 98                        | \$ 250 00    |
| \$ 2,100 00        | 5,600 00            | Anticipated<br>State<br>Subsidy |              |
|                    |                     | 5,000 00                        | 2,700 00     |
| 45 00              |                     |                                 | 45 00        |
| <hr/>              | <hr/>               | <hr/>                           | <hr/>        |
| \$ 22,527 83       | \$ 5,897 50         | \$ 15,228 63                    | \$ 13,196 70 |
| \$ 28,425 33       |                     |                                 |              |

## CARTHAGE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

**Financial Statement**

|     |                                |             |              |
|-----|--------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 100 | ADMINISTRATION                 |             |              |
|     | Receipts                       |             |              |
|     | Appropriation                  | \$ 1,007 59 |              |
|     | Transferred from State Subsidy | 49 50       |              |
|     |                                | <hr/>       |              |
|     |                                |             | \$ 1,057 09  |
|     | Expended                       |             | \$ 1,057 09  |
| 200 | INSTRUCTION                    |             |              |
|     | Receipts                       |             |              |
|     | Appropriation                  | \$ 3,560 64 |              |
|     | Balance 1959-1960              | 786 36      |              |
|     | Interest on School Fund        | 45 00       |              |
|     | Transferred from State Subsidy | 8,398 45    |              |
|     |                                | <hr/>       |              |
|     |                                |             | \$ 12,790 45 |
|     | Expended                       |             | \$ 11,530 97 |
|     |                                |             | <hr/>        |
|     | Balance                        |             | \$ 1,259 48  |
| 400 | HEALTH                         |             |              |
|     | Balance 1959-1960              | \$ 100 00   |              |
|     | Expended                       | 26 78       |              |
|     |                                | <hr/>       |              |
|     | Balance                        |             | \$ 73 22     |
| 500 | TRANSPORTATION                 |             |              |
|     | Receipts                       |             |              |
|     | Appropriation                  | \$ 2,391 46 |              |
|     | Balance 1959-1960              | 582 04      |              |
|     | Receipts                       | 6 50        |              |
|     |                                | <hr/>       |              |
|     |                                |             | \$ 2,980 00  |
|     | Expended                       |             | \$ 2,930 67  |
|     |                                |             | <hr/>        |
|     | Balance                        |             | \$ 49 33     |

|      |                                |    |              |
|------|--------------------------------|----|--------------|
| 600  | OPERATION OF PLANT             |    |              |
|      | Appropriation                  | \$ | 2,500 00     |
|      | Expended                       |    | 2,396 19     |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      | Balance                        | \$ | 103 81       |
| 700  | MAINTENANCE OF PLANT           |    |              |
|      | Balance 1959-1960              | \$ | 223 55       |
|      | Expended                       |    | 200 44       |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      | Balance                        | \$ | 23 11        |
| 800  | FIXED CHARGES                  |    |              |
|      | Receipts                       |    |              |
|      | Appropriation                  | \$ | 245 24       |
|      | Balance 1959-1960              |    | 9 76         |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      |                                | \$ | 255 00       |
|      | Expended                       |    | 161 30       |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      | Balance                        | \$ | 93 70        |
| 1200 | CAPITAL OUTLAY                 |    |              |
|      | Balance                        | \$ | 100 00       |
|      | Expended                       |    | 22 02        |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      | Balance                        | \$ | 77 98        |
| 1400 | OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS     |    |              |
|      | Receipts                       |    |              |
|      | Appropriation                  | \$ | 2,700 00     |
|      | Transferred from State Subsidy |    | 4,540 05     |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      |                                | \$ | 7,240 05     |
|      | Expended                       | \$ | 7,240 05     |
|      |                                |    |              |
|      | STATE OF MAINE FUND            |    |              |
|      | State of Maine Subsidy Fund    |    | \$ 12,988 00 |
|      | Transferred to:                |    |              |
|      | Administration                 | \$ | 49 50        |
|      | Instruction                    |    | 8,398 45     |
|      | Outgoing Transfer Accounts     |    | 4,540 05     |
|      |                                |    | <hr/>        |
|      |                                |    | \$12,988 00  |

## RECAPITULATION

| Accounts                        | Receipts     | Expenditures | Balances    |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| 100 Administration              | \$ 1,057 09  | \$ 1,057 09  |             |
| 200 Instruction                 | 12,790 45    | 11,530 97    | \$ 1,259 48 |
| 400 Health                      | 100 00       | 26 78        | 73 22       |
| 500 Transportation              | 2,980 00     | 2,930 67     | 49 33       |
| 600 Operation of Plant          | 2,500 00     | 2,396 19     | 103 81      |
| 700 Maintenance of Plant        | 223 55       | 200 44       | 23 11       |
| 800 Fixed Charges               | 255 00       | 161 30       | 93 70       |
| 1200 Capital Outlay             | 100 00       | 22 02        | 77 98       |
| 1400 Outgoing Transfer Accounts | 7,240 05     | 7,240 05     |             |
|                                 | <hr/>        | <hr/>        | <hr/>       |
|                                 | \$ 27,246 14 | \$ 25,565 51 | \$ 1,680 63 |
|                                 |              | 1,680 63     |             |
|                                 | <hr/>        | <hr/>        | <hr/>       |
|                                 | \$ 27,246 14 | \$ 27,246 14 | \$ 1,680 63 |

## ACCRUED SALARIES ACCOUNT

|           |             |
|-----------|-------------|
| Receipts  | \$ 2,372 51 |
| Expended  | 1,430 85    |
|           | <hr/>       |
| Balance * | \$ 941 66   |

\* Accrued Salaries Account Balance — Money withheld from teachers' pay for the first half year which will be paid out during the summer months.

## CONCLUSION

You will note that the Carthage Superintending School Committee's budget will necessitate an additional \$746.77 to be raised by taxation.

The Carthage School Department wishes to extend thanks to the Carthage Women's Extension Group and the Carthage Mothers' Club for money donated for blasting rocks and leveling the area at the south end of the school building.

Our appreciation and thanks to the Carthage Mothers' Club for purchasing basketballs and electric floor polisher which they purchased for the Carthage School Department.

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to the School Committee, Town Officers, and Citizens for their cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

WOODROW A. MERCIER,

Superintendent of Schools.

# Progress Report of Mouth Health Project

CARTHAGE — DECEMBER 1960

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To the Carthage School Committee:

The first mouth health program in several years was completed on December 16, 1960, by a dental hygienist from the State Division of Dental Health. A total of 2½ days was used for the program.

Series of sodium fluoride applications, for partial prevention of dental decay, were offered to pre-schoolers and children in the second, fifth and eighth grades. These grades were selected because children in these age groups are getting their new permanent teeth. Best results occur when sodium fluoride is applied to teeth as soon as they erupt — before decay has time to occur.

In addition to the four series of sodium fluoride applications, each child received a mouth examination, a professional dental prophylaxis, and proper toothbrushing instructions. Mouth reports for parents were sent home by the children informing them of the condition of their child's mouth. The first grade children also received mouth examinations.

From the mouth examinations of all the children who participated in the program, it was found that:

a. Not one of the 28 children examined said they went to the dentist twice a year for regular dental check-ups. 9 children said they had been to a dentist once or twice. And 19 said they had never been to a dentist.

b. Not one of the 28 children said they brushed their teeth at least twice every day. 21 children said they brushed only when they thought of it, or were made to by parents. 7 children said they seldom remembered to brush their teeth.

c. 14 children had *over* 5 decaying teeth in their mouths. 6 children had *over* 10 decayed teeth each; and only 1 child had no visible signs of active dental decay.

The necessity for regular six-month dental check-ups, with needed corrections, and proper daily toothbrushing cannot be overemphasized. Lack of interest or understanding on the part of the parents will likely result in pain, discomfort, and possible loss of teeth by the children, as well as expensive dental bills. Parents may be unaware of the fact that teeth are complex, vital organs of the body—necessary for chewing, talking, and appearance. It is a well-recognized fact that regular six-month dental check-ups, which may involve a few small fillings, are much less expensive than the removal of several teeth with essential replacement or some other operation due to dental decay.

The dental hygienist wishes to thank Mr. Mercier, Mr. Dyke and all those who helped with this program, and for making her first visit to Carthage a very pleasant one.

Respectfully submitted,

LINDA WHITE, R.D.H.

Division of Dental Health

December 1960



## Walking Blood Bank Report

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It is our pleasure to submit a report to the Citizens of Carthage, Dixfield, and Peru on the achievements of the Dixfield American Legion Walking Blood Bank for the year 1960.

One year ago we had only 52 members and it is now most encouraging to note that we have now 432 persons typed and registered in our Walking Blood Bank. A total of 110 pints of blood have been donated for 33 of our patients at the Rumford, Lewiston, and Portland hospitals. It is imperative that we have more people register who will be able and willing to donate blood in times of need and emergency, as some of our older members are reaching the age where they can no longer give. Your help is needed if we are to provide adequate protection for the people of our area. Experience has proven that in small communities one large "Walking Blood Bank" is the only answer. In one unified effort there is less chance for duplication and confusion. The Bank is carefully controlled, with accurate records kept, to insure a systematic rotation of donors. This allows for no individual to be called upon too frequently. A Bank of this type also makes possible immediate and efficient action in any emergencies.

We certainly wish to thank the participating members who have made this project a success this past year, and if any of the citizens of the Carthage, Dixfield, and Peru area are ever in the need of a blood donor, please call us. We are proud to serve you.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. BROWN,  
HOWARD DONAHUE,

Co-chairmen.

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE  
 DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING,  
 BUREAU OF HEALTH

## Annual Report of Public Health Nursing Services

CARTHAGE — FOR THE YEAR 1960

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Public health, in simple terms, is the sum total of the health of individuals and families living in a community. An organized program for public health is one that offers those individuals and families every possible chance of living and enjoying life, free from the handicaps of preventable disease and disability. In more formal terms, the objective of a public health program is to bring to all the people the benefits of modern medical and related sciences including the care and rehabilitation of the sick and disabled, the promotion of healthful living, and the prevention and control of disease.

A number of people are involved in the attaining of this objective. All together they make up a "health team". The public health nurse is an essential member of this team. She shares in planning and action with other workers in the fields of health, education, and welfare; with physicians, hospitals, clinics; with school personnel; with citizen groups. One of her important functions is coordination with the others involved to provide public health services to individuals, families, and community. Citizens of the community are also essential members of the health team. Alert to the health needs of their community, taking their share of responsibility to meet these needs, their contribution as health workers is indispensable to the effectiveness of the public health program. A vital, dynamic, working "health team" in the local community strengthens the public health not only of that community, but also of the State and the Nation.

Some of the public health nursing activities in your community were as follows:

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Public health nursing visits made to, or in behalf of, individuals, families, or special health programs | 28 |
| Hearing tests done in the school   | 24 |

Tentative plans for the town of Carthage for the year 1961 are:

- (1) School physical examinations by the school physician and immunizations of children who need them.
- (2) To hold some Child Health Conferences so that the infants and pre-school children will receive a health examination by the physician and immunizations, as needed.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN ARNOLD, R.N.,

Public Health Nurse

# Report of Town Clerk

FOR YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 3, 1961

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## DOG LICENSES ISSUED

|            |          |
|------------|----------|
| 31 Males   | \$35 65  |
| 10 Females | 51 50    |
| 13 Spayed  | 14 95    |
| 4 Kennel   | 39 60    |
|            | <hr/>    |
|            | \$141 70 |

## VITAL STATISTICS

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Births    | 4 |
| Deaths    | 0 |
| Marriages | 3 |

Respectfully submitted,

PEARL HUTCHINSON,

Town Clerk.

# Report of South Carthage Fire Company

YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 3, 1961

Equipment on Hand:

One Combination Pumper and Tank — 500 Gallons  
 Five Smith Indian Pumps  
 Six Extinguishers — One Quart Size  
 One Length 4" Hand Suction Hose  
 One Length 2½" Hand Suction Hose  
 200 Feet — 1½" Linen Hose  
 500 Feet — 1¼" Rubber Hose  
 200 Feet — ¾" Garden Hose  
 Nozzles, Adaptors and Reducers (To Permit the 700 Feet to be  
 Used as One Line)  
 One First Aid Kit  
 One Set Fire Line Tools  
 One Roof Ladder — 16 Feet  
 Mechanics Tools — (Value \$25.00)

|                             |          |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Present Membership          | 9        |          |
| Called to Three Local Fires |          |          |
| Overdraft, February 5, 1960 | \$ 17 73 |          |
| Appropriation               | 100 00   |          |
|                             |          |          |
| Available                   |          | \$117 73 |
| Overdraft Approp.           | \$ 17 73 |          |
| Expended                    | 134 27   |          |
|                             |          |          |
|                             |          | \$152 00 |
|                             |          |          |
| Overdraft, February 3, 1961 |          | \$34 27  |

Respectfully submitted,

MILLARD WEBSTER



**KEEP MAINE GREEN**

"Make sure **YOU** are the one  
To keep Maine Green in '61"

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1960/61

**STATE OF MAINE  
COLLECTION**





