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Annual Report

HEBRON

1917-1918



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE

TOWN OF HEBRON

FOR THE

Year Ending February 4

1918

1918
Advertiser Print
Norway, Maine

Town Officers

Clerk

FRED H. MARSHALL

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

A. E. GEORGE

F. D. STURTEVANT

G. I. CONANT

Treasurer

FRED H. MARSHALL

Superintending School Committee

C. W. CUMMINGS

C. C. DWYER

W. H. BERRY

Supervisor

CHESTER C. TUTTLE

Collector and Constable

C. W. CUMMINGS

Board of Health

W. H. BERRY

DR. O. S. PETTINGILL

C. C. DWYER

1274

Report of the Selectmen and Assessors

Real estate, resident.....	\$188,340 00	
Real estate, non resident.....	21,060 00	
Personal estate, resident.....	68,154 00	
Personal estate, non resident.....	6,185 00	
		<u>\$283,739 00</u>

No. taxable polls, 143.
 No. untaxable polls, 19.
 Poll tax, \$3.00.

Town raised at annual meeting held March 5, 1917:

For Support of Poor.....	\$ 500 00	
Summer work, roads and bridges.....	1,200 00	
To be expended on road from East He-		
bron Station to Turner line.....	500 00	
Snow bills.....	300 00	
Town Officers' bills.....	450 00	
Cutting bushes.....	200 00	
Miscellaneous	200 00	
Debt and Interest.....	1,200 00	
State Aid road.....	100 00	
Free High School.....	250 00	
Text Books.....	100 00	
Repairs and Insurance.....	125 00	
School committee and Office acct.....	25 00	
Superintendent of Schools.....	125 00	
Common Schools.....	1,000 00	
		<u>\$6,285 00</u>

State tax.....	\$1,747 31
County tax	494 65
Overlay	120 23
Supplementary	223 27

Total\$8,870 46

Rate per cent .0305.
 Commission for collecting .015.

LIVE STOCK

162 Horses	\$20,155 00	
4 Colts, 3 to 4 years	175 00	
426 Cows	16,750 00	
6 Oxen	555 00	
124 Three year olds	4,570 00	
		\$42,205 00

LIVE STOCK EXEMPT

87 Two-year-olds	\$ 2,255 00	
112 One-year-olds	1,766 00	
17 Sheep	82 00	
44 Swine	928 00	
		\$5,031 00
No. Carriages, 74	\$ 2,185 00	
No. Automobiles, 38	13,420 00	
No. Musical Instruments, 28	3,325 00	
No. Gasoline Engines, 24	894 00	
Stock in trade	4,275 00	
Bank stock, 2 shares	200 00	
Logs and lumber	4,270 00	
Wood and bark	1,045 00	
		\$29,614 00

ORDERS DRAWN FOR COMMON SCHOOLS, Year 1917 and 1918

Drawn for Teaching	\$1,762 00	
Textbooks	62 70	
Wood	166 90	
Janitors	45 50	
Repairs, insurance	49 87	
		\$2,086 97

AVAILABLE SCHOOL FUND

Town raised	\$1,000 00	
Received from State	997 18	
Town of Turner	166 36	
Town of Oxford	20 60	
		\$2,184 14

 ORDERS DRAWN FOR FREE HIGH SCHOOLS

Trustees Hebron Academy.....	\$530 00	
Town of Buckfield.....	90 00	
		<u>\$620 00</u>
Town raised.....	\$250 00	
State paid.....	420 00	
		<u>\$670 00</u>
Unexpended balance.....	\$50 00	

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPERINTENDENT

Order No.		
8	C. C. Tuttle.....	\$20 83
23	C. C. Tuttle.....	10 42
77	C. C. Tuttle.....	20 83
142	C. C. Tuttle.....	20 83
215	C. C. Tuttle.....	10 42
241	C. C. Tuttle.....	10 42
280	C. C. Tuttle.....	10 41
413	C. C. Tuttle.....	20 84
		<u> </u>
	Total	\$125 00
	Town raised.....	\$125 00

SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND OFFICE ACCOUNT

C. W. Cummings.....	\$ 1 00	
Office school committee.....	21 25	
Writing paper.....	2 75	
		<u> </u>
	Total	\$25 00
	Town raised.....	\$25 00

ORDERS DRAWN FOR HIGHWAY

Order No.		
2296	C. F. Sawyer.....	\$ 1 18
2311	Silas Dunbar.....	1 00
	6 N. D. Dixon.....	4 50
	11 Alton Conant.....	4 00
	28 A. E. George.....	3 90

33	I. W. Ellingwood.....	32 50
34	C. M. Conant.....	8 59
41	Erving Monk.....	1 13
43	Ernest Gurney.....	7 00
46	Lester Packard.....	5 75
48	F. H. Woodward.....	25 00
49	F. H. Woodward.....	2 36
51	W. C. Ridley.....	18 00
52	Atlee Sturtevant.....	24 75
53	Ernest Gurney.....	27 00
54	F. H. Woodward.....	30 00
601	Lester Packard.....	5 00
602	Lester Packard.....	28 63
604	W. C. Ridley.....	21 38
58	Ben Beals.....	13 99
59	F. H. Woodward.....	1 46
60	F. H. Woodward.....	21 25
61	W. B. Ramsdell.....	38
65	Atlee Sturtevant.....	22 25
66	W. C. Ridley.....	23 63
67	Ernest Gurney.....	18 30
81	H. T. Glover & Son.....	111 11
82	Atlee Sturtevant.....	12 00
84	N. D. Dixon.....	24 76
87	Ernest Gurney.....	27 00
88	W. B. Ramsdell.....	15 00
89	Geo. Packard.....	5 63
90	Walter Jasper.....	3 63
91	Wallace Bradbury.....	2 88
92	Harry Record.....	3 63
93	F. H. Woodward.....	41 25
94	F. H. Woodward.....	2 15
95	Erving Monk.....	1 75
96	W. W. Harrington.....	30 00
97	Atlee Sturtevant.....	2 50
99	W. W. Harrington.....	3 00
101	I. W. Ellingwood.....	248 33
102	N. D. Dixon.....	11 25
114	Donald Ramsdell.....	14 63
115	F. C. Ramsdell.....	31 50
116	W. C. Ridley.....	6 75
117	W. C. Ridley.....	7 88
118	W. C. Ridley.....	4 50

119 Lester Packard.....	13 50
120 Lester Packard.....	1 66
121 Atlee Sturtevant.....	5 00
122 Atlee Sturtevant.....	8 50
124 C. W. Cummings.....	14 00
125 Ernest Gurney.....	4 50
126 Ernest Gurney.....	13 50
127 L. L. Snell.....	37 25
128 W. G. Conant.....	5 00
129 A. E. George.....	15 50
130 H. T. Glover & Son.....	10 00
131 H. T. Glover & Son.....	42 00
132 I. W. Ellingwood.....	16 00
133 I. W. Ellingwood.....	81 75
305½ W. W. Harrington.....	5 00
306½ W. W. Harrington.....	22 00
143 Berger Mfg. Co.....	55 20
147 Berger Mfg. Co.....	43 00
144 A. E. George.....	9 00
145 W. A. Nichols.....	2 70
152 F. H. Woodward.....	5 36
153 C. M. Conant.....	9 10
159 F. H. Woodward.....	55 75
307½ N. D. Dixon.....	4 50
308½ A. L. Chaplin.....	28 30
176 R. B. Stone.....	22 00
178 C. A. Patten.....	15 25
179 L. J. Saunders.....	9 00
193 W. W. Harrington.....	5 00
195 Fred Keen.....	5 00
201 H. T. Glover.....	6 00
202 Lester Packard.....	5 00
203 W. C. Ridley.....	5 00
207 N. D. Dixon.....	5 00
217 F. H. Woodward.....	6 25
218 F. H. Woodward.....	1 13
227 Almon DeCoster.....	15 23
229 I. W. Ellingwood.....	30
257 F. G. Millett.....	36 00
261 W. C. Ridley.....	8 25
263 F. H. Woodward.....	6 25
265 Geo. Allen.....	2 75
610 C. H. Scothorne.....	3 00

282 F. D. Sturtevant.....	37 22	
284 C. H. George.....	10 00	
289 Geo. Packard.....	8 45	
290 D. B. Perry.....	1 86	
291 D. P. Perry.....	7 50	
295 H. E. George.....	9 50	
296 H. E. George.....	1 50	
297 H. E. George.....	4 50	
298 G. I. Conant.....	47 00	
302 C. W. Cummings.....	11 75	
303 H. H. Merrill.....	25 50	
304 H. W. Bearce.....	12 00	
309 E. C. Foster.....	12 50	
310 L. R. Webber.....	10 00	
316 Merton Stone.....	5 00	
322 F. H. Marshall.....	5 50	
309½ L. E. Whitman.....	6 75	
336 N. D. Dixon.....	9 00	
337 H. T. Glover & Son.....	85 00	
349 J. L. Bumpus.....	2 60	
310½ Fred Kemp.....	18 00	
		\$1,959 67
Received from State.....	\$50 00	
Town raised.....		1,200 00

Overdrawn		\$759 67
Overdrawn, 1916.....		790 85

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SNOW BILLS

Order

No.

Order No.

5028 W. E. Bradbury.....	\$ 5 00
5027 Guy Farris.....	9 70
5028 Erving Monk.....	1 00 ✓
5029 G. L. Saunders.....	14 20
5030 W. G. Conant.....	26 85
2290 Marshall Bros.....	12 55
2291 H. W. Bearce.....	11 25
2292 H. T. Glover & Son.....	25 70
2293 H. T. Glover & Son.....	34 25

2295 Harry Merrill.....	2 50 ✓
2301 Moses Snell.....	1 10 —
2302 Lester Johnson.....	2 50 ✓
2304 H. E. Verrill.....	25 70
2305 F. I. Sturtevant.....	36 75
2306 F. H. Woodward.....	2 00
5031 F. H. Woodward.....	6 20
5032 Lester Packard.....	13 80
600 W. E. Bradbury.....	1 50
2307 Lester Packard.....	7 70
2308 Fred C. Sturtevant.....	3 00
2309 Atlee Sturtevant.....	21 00
2310 F. H. Marshall.....	23 25
1 W. G. Conant.....	27 60
2 Harry Merrill.....	7 50
3 L. G. Packard.....	9 53
4 Robie Sturtevant.....	48 00
13 Oliver C. Buck.....	37 80
14 Ralph B. Stone.....	8 20
15 Ralph B. Stone.....	3 20
2312 F. E. Gurney.....	19 80
2313 Clifford Scothorne.....	12 45
2314 N. D. Dixon.....	2 40
2315 C. F. Sawyer.....	10 40
16 F. H. Woodward.....	3 00
17 F. C. Ramsdell.....	3 00
18 Donald Ramsdell.....	3 00
300½ J. A. Hibbs.....	3 20
301½ R. B. Stone.....	8 10
31 I. W. Ellingwood.....	59 30
32 I. W. Ellingwood.....	5 40
35 Guy Farris.....	3 10
37 Lester Packard.....	6 50
38 Charles Hodgden.....	10 00
39 B. C. Keen.....	10 50
40 Erving Monk.....	1 00
44 L. L. Snell.....	5 80
45 Mellen Snell.....	5 00
47 L. J. Saunders.....	4 22
55 J. F. Moody, Jr.....	16 60
56 Baker Phillips.....	1 40
68 Archie Badger.....	80
79 H. G. Bowman.....	3 50
80 H. T. Glover & Son.....	10 50

83 O. P. Brown.....	13 75
85 W. H. Packard.....	10 95
86 Berry & Allen.....	16 80
123 L. R. Webber.....	2 50
138 C. W. Cummings.....	57 70
146 A. E. George.....	6 20
228 A. C. Whitman.....	21 85
607 Math Kainulmien.....	4 00
264 E. E. Johnson.....	90
609 Harry Brown.....	5 35
611 C. H. Scothorne.....	3 00
283 F. D. Sturtevant.....	23 00
285 C. H. George.....	9 00
292 D. B. Perry.....	21 17
293 J. F. Moody.....	10 00
299 G. I. Conant.....	33 30
300 H. E. George.....	22 00
305 H. W. Bearce.....	15 55
306 H. H. Merrill.....	12 50
308 E. C. Foster.....	7 20
320 G. L. Saunders.....	17 60
321 A. D. Kilbreth.....	3 75
323 R. B. Stone.....	27 21
325 Elmer Pratt.....	3 37
326 W. C. Ridley.....	7 32
327 Guy Farris.....	10 98
335 Lester Packard.....	24 67
339 Guy Farris.....	5 50
340 W. C. Ridley.....	5 00
341 M. J. French.....	4 95
348 J. L. Bumpus.....	14 75
400 I. W. Ellingwood.....	83 33
399 Marshall Bros.....	39 12
388 F. H. Woodward.....	24 93
387 W. G. Conant.....	30 92
350 F. B. Keen.....	45 40
351 G. L. Saunders.....	17 38
352 F. C. Sturtevant.....	10 37
355 R. B. Stone.....	51 46
356 C. F. Clark.....	9 72
357 Guy Farris.....	3 00
368 J. A. Hibbs.....	24 73
369 Merton Rawson.....	42 00
370 John Moody, Jr.....	18 00

371 E. E. Hutchinson.....	7 00
372 Fred Badger.....	3 00
373 A. B. Sturtevant.....	2 00
374 A. B. Sturtevant.....	54 60
375 E. E. Hutchinson.....	52 20
376 L. R. Webber.....	12 42
377 Lesley Packard.....	38 12
378 G. W. Packard.....	5 41
612 Fred Badger.....	4 00
383 G. I. Conant.....	34 16
384 F. D. Sturtevant.....	34 76
385 E. M. Keen.....	34 81
386 Kall Heikkinnen.....	7 00
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Total	\$1,749 96
Town raised	300 00
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Overdrawn	\$1,449 96
Overdrawn 1916	\$336 44

STATE AID NO. I

Order
No.

221 F. H. Woodward.....	\$24 00
223 W. C. Ridley.....	18 75
224 N. D. Dixon.....	13 75
225 Ernest Gurney.....	16 25
226 Lester Packard.....	18 75
230 H. T. Glover.....	33 25
248 Berger Mfg. Co.....	31 72
608 W. W. Harrington.....	13 75
250 W. C. Ridley.....	5 00
252 W. W. Harrington.....	15 00
256 Lyman Irish	5 50
258 F. H. Woodward.....	26 00
259 F. H. Woodward.....	23 75
266 H. T. Glover & Son.....	27 50
288 Guy Ward.....	2 00
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	\$274 97
Amount available.....	500 00
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Unexpended	\$225 03
150 Treas. of State Patrol road.....	\$270 00

 ORDERS DRAWN FOR STATE AID ROAD NO. 2

 Order
 No.

171	Guy Farris.....	30 55	
173	Will Ridley.....	15 13	
175	Archie Badger.....	31 94	
177	Ernest Gurney.....	21 38	
180	G. L. Saunders.....	74 52	
181	Lester Packard.....	36 94	
182	Will Ridley.....	14 30	
185	Fred Keen.....	8 89	
187	Fred Keen.....	28 05	
188	Earl Keen.....	19 16	
189	Leon Keen.....	2 50	
190	Fred Keen.....	9 10	
191	Guy Farris.....	45 22	
192	W. W. Harrington.....	31 94	
199	H. T. Glover & Son.....	44 33	
204	A. T. Eastman.....	22 00	
205	N. D. Dixon.....	33 19	
216	F. H. Woodward.....	39 44	
222	F. H. Woodward.....	31 08	
249	Berger Mfg. Co.....	54 72	
			\$594 38
	Amount available.....	633 00	
	Unexpended	\$38 62	

RAMSDELL SWAMP

 Order
 No.

98	F. H. Woodward.....	\$ 6 25	
100	I. W. Ellingwood.....	20 00	
112	F. C. Ramsdell.....	7 50	
113	Donald Ramsdell.....	7 88	
163	Lester Packard.....	5 00	
603	W. C. Ridley.....	5 63	
	Total	\$52 26	

Expended 1916	59 00
	<u> </u>
	\$111 26
Town raised.....	100 00
	<u> </u>
Overdrawn	\$11 26

ALDER SWAMP

Order
No.

161 Ernest Gurney	\$ 5 00
162 G. L. Saunders.....	16 50
163 Lester Packard.....	5 00
164 Fred Keen.....	6 55
167 N. D. Dixon.....	7 50
168 Archie Badger.....	7 50
169 W. W. Harrington.....	7 50
170 Guy Farris.....	16 50
172 Will Ridley.....	7 50
186 Fred Keen.....	7 50
200 H. T. Glover.....	9 00
219 F. H. Woodward.....	2 50
	<u> </u>
Total	\$98 55
Town raised	100 00
	<u> </u>
Unexpended	\$1 45

ORDERS DRAWN FOR CUTTING BUSHES

Order
No.

36 B. C. Barker.....	\$ 3 35
148 Archie Badger.....	14 75
154 N. D. Dixon.....	4 50
155 Lester Packard.....	13 13
156 Archie Badger.....	16 76
157 W. C. Ridley.....	34 51
158 F. H. Woodward.....	49 29
160 Ernest Gurney.....	10 00
166 N. D. Dixon.....	9 76

174 Archie Badger.....	2 50	
206 N. D. Dixon.....	2 50	
220 A. E. George.....	11 25	
251 W. C. Ridley.....	3 75	
260 W. C. Ridley.....	5 00	
262 F. H. Woodward.....	28 75	
		\$209 80
Town raised	\$200 00	
Unexpended last year.....	109 05	
		\$309 05
Unexpended balance.....	\$99 25	

ORDERS DRAWN SUPPORT OF POOR

Order
No

12 R. H. Sawyer, board of Delfina Cox.....	\$78 00	
30 W. C. Hawes, board and supplies Ray Fuller	12 50	
57 A. E. George, account of Earl Pratt.....	8 30	
134 R. H. Sawyer, Delfina Cox.....	71 50	
135 W. C. Hawes, board of Earl Pratt.....	16 00	
198 W. C. Hawes, Earl Pratt and Ray Fuller....	16 00	
236 R. H. Sawyer, board Delfina Cox.....	70 00	
605 L. B. Marshall, medicine, Delfina Cox.....	1 93	
311 W. C. Hawes, board of Earl Pratt and Ray Fuller	32 00	
315 C. F. Sawyer, clothing for Delfina Cox.....	2 80	
318 Town of Rumford, rent of Lizzie Hartley De- Coster	18 67	
324 W. C. Hawes, board of Earl Pratt and Ray Fuller	20 00	
353 R. H. Sawyer, board of Delfina Cox.....	65 00	
380 W. C. Hawes, board of Earl Pratt and Ray Fuller	18 00	
381 Town of Harrison, supplies for S. A. Cox...	37 74	
Total	\$468 44	
Town raised.....	500 00	
Unexpended balance.....	\$31 56	

ORDERS DRAWN MISCELLANEOUS

Order
No.

2298 F. H. Marshall.....	\$11 82	
302½ F. W. Sanborn.....	35 50	
29 Newell White.....	2 65	
50 Elmer Perkins.....	10 00	
62 Loring, Short & Harmon.....	5 40	
136 C. W. Cummings.....	9 82	
137 C. W. Cummings.....	15 00	
149 A. A. Dwinal.....	10 00	
165 F. H. Woodward.....	3 00	
194 Newell White.....	60	
606 Vivian W. Bearce.....	6 00	
287 A. E. George.....	3 00	
294 Agnes Bearce.....	2 50	
319 E. J. Marston.....	25	
338 J. F. Moody.....	50 00	
354 F. W. Sanborn.....	1 10	
380 Hebron Water Co.....	3 00	
382 A. E. George.....	1 00	
397 A. E. George.....	1 83	
		\$172 47
Town raised.....	\$200 00	
Unexpended last year.....	62 27	
		\$262 27
Unexpended balance.....		\$89 80

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS

Order
No.

2297 F. H. Marshall, 1916.....	\$50 00
2299 F. D. Sturtevant, 1916.....	14 00
2300 C. H. George, 1916.....	4 00
303½ J. L. Bumpus, 1916.....	16 97
183 F. H. Marshall, part pay, 1917.....	25 00
286 F. D. Sturtevant, part pay, 1917.....	37 79

311½ A. E. George, part pay, 1917.....	13 44
312½ G. I. Conant, part pay, 1917.....	49 70
Total	\$210 90
1916, overdrawn.....	76 29
	\$287 19
Town raised.....	450 00
Unexpended	\$162 81

ORDERS DRAWN FOR HIRED MONEY

Order No.		
254	Paris Trust Co.....	\$ 500 00
328	“ “ “	500 00
329	“ “ “	500 00
330	“ “ “	500 00
331	“ “ “	500 00
332	“ “ “	500 00
333	“ “ “	500 00
334	“ “ “	1,000 00
		\$4,500 00

INTEREST ACCOUNT

Order No.		
2303	Paris Trust Co.....	\$12 50
5	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
196	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
197	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
238	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
253	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
254	Paris Trust Co.....	12 50
338	Paris Trust Co.....	6 00
329	Paris Trust Co.....	4 17
330	Paris Trust Co.....	5 00
331	Paris Trust Co.....	3 13

332 Paris Trust Co.....	11 73	
333 Paris Trust Co.....	10 41	
334 Paris Trust Co.....	15 50	
255 L. L. Phillips.....	27 00	
Total		\$170 44
Raised by town.....	\$200 00	
Interest from Paris Trust Co.....	10 28	
		210 28
Unexpended		\$39 84

ORDERS DRAWN FOR ABATEMENT OF TAXES 1917

Oxford Paper Co., Rumford paid in Rumford....	\$9 15	✓
Peter Peterson, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
H. W. Moore, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
Joseph R. Portas, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
J. M. Hill, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
A. H. Hodgden, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
Edward Frisbee, whereabouts unknown.....	3 00	✓
W. W. Armstrong, United States service.....	3 00	✓
J. H. Blanchard, paid in Auburn.....	5 80	✓
R. J. Burrows, United States service.....	3 00	✓
Merton Bean, paid in Cape Elizabeth.....	3 00	✓
Total		\$41 95

DELINQUENT TAXES 1917

Harry Merrill.....	\$ 6 05	
C. S. Clark.....	2 59	
Erving Monk.....	13 37	
		\$22 01

Monk's tax paid since books were closed.

ORDERS DRAWN FOR CEMETERY WORK

Mowing Brighton Hill Cemetery.....	\$3 00
Mowing Bearce Cemetery.....	3 00

A. E. GEORGE SERVICES AS SELECTMAN, ASSESSOR AND
OVERSEER OF THE POOR, 1917

Mar. 8, ½ day at office.
 Mar. 10, ½ day at office.
 Mar. 21. ½ day at office.
 Apr. 2-5, 9-10, 6 days taking valuation.
 Apr. 11-13, 16-17, 5 days assessing taxes.
 Apr. 18, went to Auburn to meet State highway commissioners.
 Apr. 30, ½ day to Norway, acct. of Earl Pratt.
 Apr. 30, ½ day writing orders and boundaries.
 May 10, ½ day. Went to Will Ramsdell's on town business.
 May 28, 1 day to Augusta with Earl Pratt.
 May 29-31, 2 days, assessing taxes.
 June 1-2, 2 days, assessing taxes.
 June 6, 1 day writing boundaries.
 June 27, 1 day, meet State Assessors, Paris.
 Aug. 10, ½ day staking out State Aid roads.
 Aug. 16, ½ day correcting check list.
 Aug. 28, 1 day, town business.
 Sept. 7, ½ day, town business.
 Sept. 10, 1 day election.
 Oct. 11, 1 day, town business.
 Jan. 15, ½ day, recording orders.
 Jan. 29-31, 3 days, town reports.
 Feb. 1, 1 day, town reports.
 Feb. 4, 1 day, town reports.
 Feb. 6-9, 4 days, town reports.
 Total\$90 00

LIABILITIES OF TOWN

Due Paris Trust Co.....	\$1,100 00
Outstanding orders on interest.....	600 00
Outstanding orders not on interest.....	426 51
Interest to Feb. 1st.....	8 33
F. H. Marshall, to bal. treasurer's acct. . .	25 00
F. H. Marshall, recording vital statistics, supplies, etc.	12 47
C. W. Cummings, posting warrant and writing same	2 46
A. E. George, bal. as selectman.....	76 56
F. D. Sturtevant, bal. as selectman.....	29 71
G. I. Conant, bal. as selectman.....	5 30

Due Town of Buckfield, High School.....	78 00
C. W. Cummings, collecting tax.....	147 76
C. W. Cummings, school com.....	5 00
C. C. Dwyer, school com.....	5 00
W. H. Berry, school com.....	5 00
W. H. Berry, Board of Health.....	3 00
Dr. O. S. Pettingill, Board of Health....	3 00
C. C. Dwyer, Board of Health.....	3 00
Total	\$2,536 10

To meet these liabilities, we have:

Cash in treasury.....	\$123 71
Cemetery fund.....	350 00
From Oxford, ½ bridge acct.....	7 25
Oxford School acct.....	36 37
Minot 1915-16-17.....	171 37
Turner	181 50
Other sources.....	3 53
State	50 00
Unpaid tax 1917.....	22 01
Tax sold 1917.....	56 43
Total	\$1,002 17

Leaving balance against the town of.....\$1,533 93

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. GEORGE,
F. D. STURTEVANT,
G. I. CONANT,

Selectmen of Hebron.

We recommend raising the following sums of money for 1918:

For Roads and bridges.....	\$1,200 00
Snow bills.....	1,000 00
Cutting bushes.....	200 00
Support of poor.....	550 00
Town officers' bills.....	450 00
Miscellaneous	200 00
State aid road No. 1.....	100 00

Treasurer's Report

F. H. Marshall, treasurer in account with the town of Hebron from
Feb. 5, 1917, to Feb. 5, 1918:

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To Cash from last report.....	\$ 186 93
Payment tax deed and charges.....	77 44
Tax deed now unpaid.....	8 84
Cemetery fund.....	350 00
Town clerk, dog license.....	72 00
State Treasurer, damage done by dogs...	10 00
Highway department.....	50 00
Dog license refunded.....	30 69
School and mill fund.....	498 57
Common school fund.....	498 61
R. R. & Tel. tax.....	18 44
Free High school.....	420 00
Imp. State road.....	90 55
Town of Turner, school account.....	166 36
Town of Oxford, school account.....	20 60
Interest from Paris Trust Co.....	10 28
W. W. Harrington, account dynamite sold	5 06
W. E. Sargent.....	4 50
Hired money.....	4,600 00
Taxes of 1917.....	9,105 39
Total	\$16,224 26

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By Paid selectmen, orders.....	\$15,741 71
Balance cemetery funds.....	350 00
Tax deeds.....	8 84
Cash	123 71
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	\$16,224 26

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF HEBRON:

In this, my second annual report as superintendent of your schools, I wish to thank you for the continuance of those many favors and kindnesses which have been so freely granted since the beginning of my work in your town.

In my last report I recommended that some system of phonetics be used as a basis in the teaching of reading, particularly in the lowest grades. This is now being done, and with very satisfactory results.

A careful development of this plan will, I am sure, eventually produce in the children the ability to read understandingly and to pronounce new words correctly—two things which the majority of all the children cannot do at the present time. I cannot emphasize this point too strongly—that the ability to read understandingly is the very key to success in any line of work in our public or private schools.

Examination of pupils in the subject of arithmetic has brought out three striking points—inability to solve problems, lack of accuracy and lack of rapidity. The first difficulty may be explained in part, at least, as a result of those existing conditions mentioned in the paragraph above, and is by far the most difficult to correct. Accuracy and rapidity may be secured by constant drill, and, as these two really determine one's degree of efficiency, all teachers are instructed to take advantage of every opportunity to provide practice in these important points.

In making the above statements I do not wish to convey the idea that the defects mentioned are peculiar to Hebron or to any town of this union, as I believe them to be the defects that are common throughout the majority of the schools of the land. The fundamental causes for the existence of these defects are undoubtedly many and varied, so much so that I shall not attempt to mention them at this time. I will, however, respectfully ask you, and all who are interested in the welfare of our schools, to give this matter most careful thought.

In regard to the employment of teachers we are confronted with one of the most serious difficulties of our whole school system. The scarcity of labor in other fields is well known to all, but we, on whom is placed the burden of selecting the teachers, realize that the scarcity of labor in this profession is of serious magnitude. We have thus far been exceedingly fortunate in securing good teachers, but what the next few years will bring forth, time alone can tell.

To create in the mind of the child a full realization of the fact that schools are maintained for the purpose of making the boys and girls of today the good and strong citizens of the future is our constant aim, and to this end I would ask for the hearty support of all persons.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER C. TUTTLE, Superintendent.

Hebron, Feb. 9, 1918.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RESOURCES

Raised by town.....	\$1,000 00	
Received from State of Maine.....	997 18	
Tuition due from Minot, year ending Feb. 3, 1918	99 26	
Tuition due from Turner, year ending Feb. 3, 1918	181 50	
Tuition due from Oxford, year ending Feb. 3, 1918	20 60	
		\$2,298 54

EXPENDITURES

Overdrawal, 1916-1917.....	\$ 175 11	
Teachers' salaries.....	1,762 00	
Janitors' services.....	45 50	
Fuel	166 90	
Tuition due Minot, year ending Feb. 3, 1918.	225 57	
		\$2,375 08
Overdrawal		\$76 54

 SPRING TERM

Schools	Teachers	Salary Per week	No. weeks	Total
Academy,	Alice Melcher	\$ 8 00	11	\$ 88 00
Alders,	Edyth N. Tibbetts	9 50	11	104 50
Brighton Hill,	Grace M. Record	8 50	12	102 00
Center,	Elsie A. Tripp	9 00	5	45 00
Center,	Mary Carroll	10 00	6	60 00
Nelson,	Cleora Crooker	8 00	11	88 00
No. 8,	Esther George	8 00	11	88 00
Sodom,	Margaret I. Scamman	10 00	8	80 00
				<hr/> \$655 50

FALL TERM

Academy,	Alice Melcher	\$ 8 00	12	\$ 96 00
Alders,	Edyth N. Tibbetts	9 50	12	114 00
Brighton Hill,	Elsie A. Tripp	9 00	12	108 00
Center,	Mary Carroll	10 00	12	120 00
Nelson,	Cleora Crooker	9 00	11	99 00
No. 8,	Esther George	8 00	12	96 00
Sodom,	Edelle Cushman	10 00	13	130 00
				<hr/> \$763 00

WINTER TERM

Academy,	Mary Carroll, (opened Jan. 21st)			
Alders,	Edyth N. Tibbetts	\$ 9 50	7	\$ 66 50
Brighton Hill,	Elsie A. Tripp	9 00	7	63 00
Center,	Elsie Cox	8 00	7	56 00
Nelson,	Cleora Crooker	9 00	8	72 00
No. 8,	Helen Lowell	8 00	7	56 00
Sodom,	Edelle Cushman (term unfinished)	10 00	3	30 00
				<hr/> \$343 00

Total				\$1,752 00
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 FUEL

M. & L. Bearce.....	\$ 1 50
F. H. Woodward.....	1 75
H. W. Bearce.....	5 75
H. G. Bowman.....	14 50
Wm. Hylan.....	8 50
F. H. Marshall.....	7 00
D. B. Perry.....	22 00
C. C. Dwyer.....	50
G. I. Conant.....	18 00
R. L. Whiting.....	28 50
C. W. Cummings.....	14 70
W. H. Berry.....	70
H. W. Bearce.....	9 00
Roy Cordwell.....	5 00
C. W. Cummings.....	4 50
F. H. Marshall.....	25 00
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	\$166 90

TUITION

Due town of Minot.....	\$225 57
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JANITORS

Margaret Scammon.....	\$2 00
Alice Keene.....	2 75
G. M. Record.....	3 00
L. Bearce.....	2 75
F. Pickens.....	2 75
Elsie Tripp.....	1 25
Mary Carroll.....	1 50
F. Gurney.....	2 75
L. Bearce.....	3 00
A. Keene.....	3 00
Elsie Tripp.....	3 00
Mary Carroll.....	3 00
Esther George.....	3 00
Mary Bearce.....	2 75
E. N. Tibbetts.....	1 75
Elsie Tripp.....	1 75
Elsie Cox.....	1 75
Cleora Crooker.....	2 00
Helen Lowell.....	1 75
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	\$45 50

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Raised by town.....\$100 00

EXPENDED

Overdrawal, 1916-1917.....	\$13 37	
American Book Co.	26 31	
Ginn & Co.	10 62	
E. E. Babb & Co.	6 30	
A. N. Palmer Co.	2 03	
Macmillan Co.	5 05	
L. W. Gerrish.....	1 25	
D. H. Knowlton Co.	60	
Loring, Short & Harmon.....	1 54	
C. C. Tuttle.....	9 00	
		\$76 07

Unexpended balance\$23 93

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Unexpended balance from 1916-1917.....	\$ 25 16	
Raised by town.....	125 00	
		\$150 16

EXPENDED

H. L. Melcher.....	\$ 2 00	
A. D. Kilbreth.....	4 00	
Florence Gurney.....	1 00	
Amy Farris.....	3 00	
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C. C. Dwyer.....	5 72	
C. W. Cummings.....	5 00	
Dirigo Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	15 60	
C. W. Cummings.....	3 00	
Hebron Trading Co.	2 40	
W. H. Berry.....	2 25	
B. Spaulding & Sons.....	59	
Narragansett Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	2 31	
		\$49 87

Unexpended balance.....\$100 29

 FREE HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Balance on hand.....	\$ 59 99	
Raised by town.....	250 00	
Received from state.....	420 00	
		\$729 99

EXPENDED

Hebron Academy, fall term, 1916.....	\$180 00	
Hebron Academy, winter term, 1917.....	170 00	
Hebron Academy, spring term, 1917.....	180 00	
Town of Buckfield, spring and fall terms, 1917, and winter term of 1918.....	78 00	
		\$608 00

Balance on hand.....	\$101 99
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SUPERINTENDENT'S ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Raised by town.....	\$125 00
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EXPENDED

Overdrawal, 1916-1917.....	\$ 18 76	
Paid Chester C. Tuttle, from Feb. 1, 1917, to Feb. 1, 1918.....	125 00	
		\$143 76

Overdrawal	\$18 76
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Raised by town.....	\$25 00
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EXPENDED

C. C. Tuttle.....	\$24 00	
C. W. Cummings.....	1 00	
		\$25 00

RECOMMENDATIONS

Common schools.....	\$1,200 00	
Free High school.....	300 00	
Textbooks	100 00	
Repairs and insurance.....	100 00	
Superintendent's salary.....	125 00	
		\$1,825 00

Warrant For Town Meeting

To C. W. Cummings, constable of Hebron, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Hebron, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall in said town of Hebron on Monday, the fourth day of March, A. D., 1918, at ten o'clock a. m., then and there to act on the following articles to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To see if the town will accept the report as printed.
- Art. 3. To choose a clerk for ensuing year.
- Art. 4. To choose a treasurer for ensuing year.
- Art. 5. To choose a chairman of board selectmen.
- Art. 6. To choose a second selectman.
- Art. 7. To choose a third selectman.
- Art. 8. To choose a board of assessors for ensuing year.
- Art. 9. To choose a board of overseers of poor for the ensuing year.
- Art. 10. To choose truant offices for ensuing year.
- Art. 11. To choose all other necessary town officers for ensuing year.
- Art. 12. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor, roads and bridges for summer work, on roads for winter work, for cutting bushes, for town officers' bills.
- Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of ten dollars for A. A. Dwinal Post for memorial expenses.
- Art. 14. To see what sum the town will vote for free high schools according to the school laws of 1903.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools for the ensuing year.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay for collecting taxes for the year 1918.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the salary of superintendent of school for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to state aid as provided in section 20 of chapter 130 of the public laws of 1913.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading by A. J. Hibbs' residence to the corner near the residence of Mary Jane Bearce, by consent of the county or state as the case may be.

Art. 20. To see if the town of Hebron will authorize its selectmen to arrange for and make a transfer of Hebron's interest in the West Minot schoolhouse, so called, in exchange for Minot's interest in the Brighton Hill schoolhouse, so called.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to instruct its treasurer by the written consent of the selectmen to hire money for use of town.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for school committee and office expense account.

Art. 23. To see if the town will approve of the list of jurors as written by the selectmen.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred dollars to be expended on the town highway as provided by the last legislature.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of fifteen hundred dollars on town debt.

The selectmen will be in session at the Grange Hall on the 4th day of March, 1918, at nine o'clock a. m., for correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Hebron this 8th day of February, 1918.

A. E. GEORGE,
F. D. STURTEVANT,
G. I. CONANT,

Selectmen of Hebron.