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Annual Report

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE

TOWN OF

COLUMBIA FALLS

For the Year 1910.

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MACHIAS, ME.



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ANNUAL REPORT

...OF THE...

OFFICERS

...OF THE...

Town Of

Columbia Falls

FOR THE YEAR 1910.



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Selectmen's Report.

HALL ACCOUNT.

CREDIT.

1911

March 21	By Rent of Hall,	\$ 121 25	
	Amt. from Deficiency Acc't.,	48 38	169 63

EXPENDITURES.

Paid	F. B. Tibbetts,	50 00	
	B. B. Tibbetts,	10 97	
	G. G. Freeman,	30 00	
	Union Carbide Co.,	11 25	
	W. C. Ry. Co.,	1 08	
	Mary R. Chandler,	90	
	Repairing Scenery,	20 64	
	Overdrawn 1909,	44 79	169 63

TOWN DEBT ACCOUNT.

1910

March 15	To Balance,	1325 00
" "	Voted and Raised,	325 00
	To Balance,	1000 00

ABATEMENT ACCOUNT.

1910

March 15	By Bal. Unexpended,		29 13
	Orders, Drawn,	28 55	
March 21	Amt. to Deficiency Acc't.,	58	29 13

45940

TOWN OF COLUMBIA FALLS.

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

1910

March 15	By Bal. Unexpended,		12 03
	Orders Drawn,	9 75	
	Amt. to Deficiency Acc't.,	2 28	12 03

OFFICERS' FEES ACCOUNT.

1910

March 15	Amt. Voted and Raised,		650 00
Paid	John D. Hathaway,	20 00	
	Frances C. Jewett,	100 00	
	Chas. E. Pineo,	81 00	
	Samuel Bucknam,	4 00	
	L. P. Grant,	5 00	
	Donald Bucknam,	3 00	
	E. M. Rockwell,	5 00	
	Chas. Matthews,	25 00	
	Chas. C. Bucknam,	45 25	
	W. E. Ingersoll,	5 00	
	W. E. Sinclair,	30 00	
	B. B. Tibbetts,	15 00	
	S. H. Allen,	25 00	
	P. B. Peterson,	2 00	
	E. A. White,	5 00	
	Chas. F. Wilson,	40 30	
	Willis H. Allen,	5 00	
	Bal. Overdrawn 1909,	288 10	
	Amt. from Deficiency Acc't.,	53 66	650 00

INTEREST ON SCHOOL FUND.

1910

March 15	By Amt. Voted and Raised,		30 00
	To Orders Drawn,		30 00

Miscellaneous Account.

1910

March 15	By Amt. Voted and Raised,	250 00	
	“ “ from State on acct. of		
	Sheep, 1909,	66 75	
	“ “ from State on acc. of		
	Sheep, 1910,	61 50	
	“ “ from Pool Room License,	10 00	
	“ “ “ W. J. Smith,	25 33	
	“ “ “ Bank Acct. Int.,	12 86	
	“ “ “ State Eva Bailey Tu-		
	ition,	25 00	
	“ “ “ Overlay on Taxes,	18 64	
	“ “ “ Deficiency Acc't.,	87 57	557 65

EXPENDITURES.

To Paid	Philander Worcester, Labor on		
	Fire,	75	
	Geo. E. Grant, Labor on Fire,	2 00	
	C. C. Bucknam, Justice Fees,	75	
	Fred Pineo, Sheep killed,	6 00	
	Henry Tabbut, Labor on Fire,	1 50	
	Loring, Short & Harmon, Tax		
	and Val. Books,	2 85	
	Geo. Rockwell, Labor on Fire,	75	
	Jos. Drisko, “ “ “	75	
	E. B. Cleaves, Painting Auto		
	Signs,	3.50	
	M. H. Haycock, Posting Auto		
	Signs,	50	
	Dr. H. O. Johnson, Ex. Fronie		
	Smith,	12 00	
	Dr. O. F. Larson, Ex. Fronie		
	Smith,	12 00	
	E. M. Rockwell, Public Water,	3 00	

F. P. Tabbutt, " " 3		
years,	9 00	
Seth C. Bryant, Sheep killed,	12 00	
A. D. McFaul, Legal Services,	5 00	
Geo. E. Grant, Sheep killed,	43 50	
L. P. Grant, Serving Papers,	5 59	
J. P. Crandon, Office Rent,	2 00	
F. M. Wass, Justice Fees,	6 50	
G. L. Bucknam, Posting Warrant and Election Notice,	2 00	
H. J. Young, Digging Grave J. M. Tabbutt,	5.00	
S. M. Drisko, Casket and Robe, J. M. Tabbutt,	30 00	
E. A. White, Recording Births and Deaths,	6 00	
Chester Benner, Labor on Fire,	2 25	
Overdrawn 1909,	382 46	557 65

TOWN REPORT ACCOUNT.

1910		
March 15	By Amt. Voted and Raised,	40 00
	Amt. to Deficiency Acc't.,	40 00

SURPLUS AND DEFICIENCY ACCOUNT.

1910		
March 15	By Amt. Voted and Raised,	805 00
	" Bal. from Int. Acct.,	2 28
	" " " Snow " "	18 30
	" " " State Road, Acct.,	2 63
	" " " Abatements " "	58
	" " " Town Report " "	40 00
		868 79
	DR.	
	To Bal. Highway Acc't.,	17 78

“	“	School Book “	25	98	
“	“	Fuel and Janitor High			
		School Acc't.,	18		
“	“	Miscellaneous Acc't.,	87	57	
“	“	Common School “	43	39	
“	“	“ “ Re-			
		pairs,	237	92	
“	“	Town Hall Acc't.,	43	38	
“	“	Poor Acc't.,	185	76	
“	“	Officers' Fees Acc't.,	53	66	
		To Balance,	168	26	868 79

S. H. ALLEN, }
 B. B. TIBBETTS, } Selectmen.
 CHAS. MATHEW, }

I have examined the Selectmen's account with the town of Columbia Falls for the past municipal year and have found vouchers for all orders given by them, and I certify that the foregoing report is true.

SAMUEL BUCKNAM, Auditor.

Report of the Treasurer.

Receipts for the Year.

Cash on hand March 15, 1910,	\$ 983 00	
Received from I. W. Webber,	10 00	
“ “ E. J. Ramsdell,	50	
“ “ Lemont Norton,	5 00	
“ “ W. J. Smith,	25 33	
“ “ Town of Columbia,	35 00	
“ “ Town Clerk,	47 00	
“ “ E. I. Drisko, collector,	5,111 33	
“ “ Rent of Union Hall,	121 25	
“ “ Interest on School Fund,	30 00	
“ “ “ “ Bank Acc't.,	12 86	
“ “ State Treas. on acct. of		
Dog Tax Refunded,	40 52	
“ “ Tuition,	25 00	
“ “ Damage to Sheep 1909,	66 75	
“ “ “ “ “ 1910,	61 50	
“ “ Railroad and Telegraph tax,	02	
“ “ State Road,	391 34	
“ “ School Fund and Mill tax,	1256 91	8223 31

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.

Paid Dog Tax,	47 00	
“ Bounty on Bear,	10 00	
“ County Tax,	436 33	
“ State Tax,	838 39	
“ State Pensions,	132 00	
“ Selectmen's Orders,	5253 18	
Cash on hand,	1506 41	8223 31

RESOURCES.

Due from State Treas. on acct. Free		
High School,	\$ 833 33	
State Pensions,	132 00	

Bounty on Bear,	10 00	
J. H. Martin,	35 00	
Town of Columbia.	15 00	
E. I. Drisko, collector,	183 96	
Cash on hand,	1506 41	2,715 70

LIABILITIES.

Permanent School Fund,	1000 00	
Selectman's Orders Outstanding,	106 79	
Balance,	1,608 91	2,715 70

I have examined the Treasurer's accounts with the town of Columbia Falls for the past municipal year and have found vouchers for all moneys paid by him, and I certify the foregoing report is true.

SAMUEL BUCKNAM, Auditor.

Assessors' Report.

Value Resident Real Estate,	\$ 94,905 00	
" Non-Resident "	25,173 00	
Total,		120,078 00
Value Resident Personal Estate,	30,152 76	
" " Supplement,	100 00	
" Non-Resident " Estate,	11,459 00	
Total,		41,711 76
Grand Total,		\$161,789 76
Amount Voted and Raised by Town,	3,990 00	
" County Tax,	436 33	
" State "	838 39	
" Overlaying,	18 64	
" Supplementary Tax,	11 93	
" Total Commitment,		5,295 29
Number Polls Taxed,	185	
" " Not "	15	
Rate of Poll Tax,	\$3.00	
" Per cent. Taxation,	.0293	

ABATEMENTS.

Hathaway, John D. Jr.,	Poll tax,	3 00	
Reed, Milton Jr.,	" "	3 00	
Jones, Edward E.,	" "	3 00	
Norton, Jerome,	" "	3 00	
Wiley, Grover,	" "	3 00	
Tucker, Geo. M.,	" "	3 00	
Grant Forester, heirs of,		73	
Total Abatement for 1910,			18 73

CHARLES C. BUCKNAM, }
 JOHN D. HATHAWAY, } Assessors.
 CHARLES H. MATHEWS, }

Report of Overseer of Poor.

1910

March 15	Amount Voted and Raised, \$	300 00	
	“ from Deficiency acc't.,	185 76	485 76

EXPENDITURES.

To Paid	Emma Higgins,	61 97	
	Fred Bogue.	45 80	
	A. A. Greenburg,	11 95	
	Delia Alley,	2 00	
	E. A. White,	21 70	
	H. H. Gray,	1 00	
	Maud Tabbut,	62 00	
	S. M. Drisko,	27 00	
	Walter Young,	5 00	
	S. M. Bowles,	2 00	
	Susie Norton,	6 00	
	B. B. Tibbetts,	2 71	
	R. M. Allen,	1 50	
	Chas. Mathews,	84 80	
	Martha Tabbut,	73 50	
	W. E. Sinclair,	26 48	
	Bal. Overdrawn from 1909 acct.,	50 35	485 76

W. E. SINCLAIR, Overseer of Poor.

Roads, Bridges and Sidewalks Account.

1910

March 15	By Amt. Voted and Raised,	\$ 600 00
	“ “ from Deficiency Account,	17 87
	“ Less Orders Outstanding,	13 15
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		631 02
April 6	To Paid Joel Wilson,	6.00
“ 11	“ “ Herbert Young,	2 25
“ 15	“ “ Fred Pineo,	7 35
“ 16	“ “ Fred Look,	7 00
“ 16	“ “ Lester Look,	1 50
“ 18	“ “ Foster Higgins,	3 00
“ 18	“ “ Josie Bucknam, gravel,	2 72
“ 25	“ “ Donald Bucknam,	2 50
“ 25	“ “ Frank Pineo,	3 00
May 10	“ “ G. A. Dorr,	2 25
“ 21	“ “ James Allen,	13 18
“ 26	“ “ C. E. Pineo, team,	15 50
“ 28	“ “ E. S. Rockwell,	18 82
June 3	“ “ Geo. C. Drisko,	17 94
“ 6	“ “ Mrs. Josie Bucknam, gravel,	16 00
July 1	“ “ J. B. Grant, Jr.,	19 25
“ 5	“ “ M. H. Haycock,	11 55
“ 8	“ “ Gilbert Grant,	24 75
“ 8	“ “ W. J. Grant,	7 25
“ 8	“ “ Oscar Barton,	8 75
“ 12	“ “ Mrs. Josie Bucknam, gravel,	8 04
“ 13	“ “ Chas. Woodward,	1 75
“ 16	“ “ C. E. Pineo, team,	42 50
“ 16	“ “ Burnham Floyd,	2 62
“ 16	“ “ Frank Hall,	20 00
“ 16	“ “ Fred Look,	4 25
“ 16	“ “ R. B. Tabbutt,	14 87

	"	18	"	"	Clayton Grant,	11	37
	"	19	"	"	F. P. Tabbutt,	26	25
	"	19	"	"	Elmer Grant,	8	75
	"	19	"	"	Joseph Grant,	11	37
	"	19	"	"	E. M. Rockwell,	13	12
	"	19	"	"	G. E. Grant,	67	37
Sept.		9	"	"	E. M. Dorr,	3	15
	"	9	"	"	B. F. Allen,	7	21
	"	12	"	"	L. W. Tabbutt,	1	75
	"	14	"	"	Foster Higgins,	7	00
	"	17	"	"	Geo. H. Young,	8	50
	"	28	"	"	B. B. Tabbutt,	5	68
Oct.		1	"	"	Clayton Foss,	1	75
	"	1	"	"	Frank Pineo,	1	75
	"	10	"	"	O. H. Grant,	1	75
	"	11	"	"	E. S. Rockwell,	5	69
	"	11	"	"	Harvey Rockwell,	1	75
	"	11	"	"	C. E. Pineo, com.,	8	00
	"	11	"	"	C. E. Pineo, team,	9	00
	"	12	"	"	Seth Allen,	36	75
	"	24	"	"	Jared Rockwell,	1	75
Nov.		21	"	"	Jos. Barton,		75
	"	26	"	"	Frank Morris,	5	00
	"	28	"	"	Geo. A. Sawyer, lumber,	31	62
Dec.		5	"	"	E. I. Drisko,	3	75
	"	5	"	"	W. E. Ingersoll,		52
	"	12	"	"	E. M. Dorr,	1	30
	"	26	"	"	Fred B. Pineo,	2	00
1911							
Jan.		2	"	"	W. M. Dumphe, gravel,	3	52
	"	5	"	"	A. W. Tabbutt, gravel,	6	31
Feb.		10	"	"	Geo. Pineo,	1	75
	"	10	"	"	Willard Donovan,	1	75
	"	10	"	"	W. M. Rockwell,	1	75

TOWN OF COLUMBIA FALLS.

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"	10	"	"	E. R. Puffer,	1	75	
"	10	"	"	E. M. Rockwell,	3	50	
"	10	"	"	A. Nash,		87	
"	11	"	"	Geo. Hathaway,	1	00	
"	22	"	"	F. B. Tabbutt,	6	00	
"	22	"	"	P. B. Peterson,	9	75	
"	25	"	"	R. M. Allen,	1	40	
"	25	"	"	Geo. E. Grant,	1	30	
"	25	"	"	Seth Allen,	1	00	
"	25	"	"	Bal. Acc't. 1909,	20	13	
							<u>631 02</u>

SNOW ACCOUNT.

1910

March	15	By Balance from 1909 Acc't.,	23	10	
		" Orders Outstanding,	3	75	26 80
					<u>26 80</u>

EXPENDITURES

To Paid	W. A. Hicks,	1	60	
"	Milton Reed,	2	20	
"	George C. Drisko,	1	00	
"	Jos. Drisko,	1	20	
"	Geo. Rockwell,		50	
"	C. E. Pineo,	2	00	
	To Deficiency Acc't.,	18	30	26 80
				<u>26 80</u>

STATE ROAD ACCOUNT.

1910

March	15	By Balance,	2	61	
		" Amt. Raised,	200	00	
		" " from State,	391	34	
					<u>593 95</u>

EXPENDITURES.

1910

April 30	To Paid	Morrison & Joy,	2 47
May 24	"	J. B. Grant, Jr.,	14 87
" 26	"	C. E. Pineo, com.,	24 50
" 26	"	C. E. Pineo, team,	22 00
" 28	"	E. S. Rockwell,	14 87
" 28	"	B. N. Ingersoll,	16 00
" 30	"	L. P. Grant,	22 00
June 6	"	Willis Foss,	21 12
" 6	"	Willis Foss,	1 25
July 5	"	G. C. Drisko,	14 87
" 16	"	L. I. Dorr,	2 28
" 16	"	L. I. Dorr,	4 32
Sept. 28	"	B. B. Tabbutt,	15 48
Oct. 8	"	O. H. Grant,	10 50
" 10	"	R. B. Tabbutt,	17 50
" 11	"	E. S. Rockwell,	22 75
" 11	"	Harvey Rockwell,	17 50
		E. M. Rockwell,	22 75
		Clayton Grant,	12 25
		Frank Morris,	35 00
		H. E. Grant,	43 75
		H. E. Grant, clay,	4 40
		G. L. Sinclair,	35 00
		Fred Pineo,	31 50
		A. L. Clark,	12 25
		C. E. Pineo, com.,	30 00
		C. E. Pineo, team,	30 00
		C. E. Pineo, money paid out,	4 19
		E. I. Drisko,	1 75
		L. D. Worcester,	2 62
		Geo. E. Grant,	43 75
		Geo. E. Grant, gravel,	2 40

TOWN OF COLUMBIA FALLS.

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Oct. 12	Geo. A. Sawyer,	7 00
	A. W. Tabbutt, gravel,	23 40
	Geo. A. Sawyer,	3 03
Oct. 26	W. E. Ingersoll,	2 00
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		591 32

CHAS. E. PINEO, Com.

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

WILLIS ALLEN, term expires March, 1911.

A. H. CHANDLER, term expires March, 1912.

W. E. SINCLAIR, term expires March, 1913.

OFFICERS OF BOARD:

A. H. CHANDLER, Chairman.

F. C. JEWETT, Secretary.

LYMAN GRANT, Truant Officer.

To the citizens of Columbia Falls:

The Superintendent of Schools hereby submits the following report.

SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Ethel Sproul,	\$ 8 50	
Frances Sargent.	90 00	
Donald Bucknam,	68 00	
Mrs. P. C Newbury,	90 00	
Bertha Grant,	90 00	
Marion Lawrence,	25 00	
Arline Tewksbury,	18 00	
Edith Rackliffe,	203 75	
Christine Campbell,	100 50	
Louise Peterson,	24 00	
Dallas Tracy,	76 00	
Georgia Webb,	99 00	
Carrie Pineo,	175 50	
Lena Oakes,	90 60	
Ida Peterson,	1 60	1,159 85

BOARDING PUPILS.

Mrs. A. P. Haycock,	42 00	42 00
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JANITORS.

John Foss,	1 25	
Jason Tabbutt,	10 00	
Sarah Darroch,	7 50	
School Imp. League,	6 00	
Wilbur Grant,	15 00	
Clarence Sinclair,	5 00	
Albion Hathaway,	2 50	
Fred Archer,	2 50	
S. & S. Bowles,	10 00	59 75

FUEL, ETC.

Horace Grant,	7 94	
Chas. T. Wood,	23 16	
Frank Pineo,	2 55	
B. B. Tibbetts,	8 00	
Frank Hall,	20 00	
W. E. Sinclair,	15 75	77 40

CLEANING.

Emma Tabbutt,	4 00	
Mary A. Dorr,	4 00	
Sarah Darroch,	6 25	
W. A. Hicks,	1 00	15 25
C. D. Bishop,	3 65	
Undrawn to balance,	4 51	1,362 41

CREDIT.

Amount Raised,	75 00	
State for Common Schools,	1,256 91	
Interest on School Fund,	30 00	
Grass,	50	1,362 41

REPAIRS, INSURANCE, ETC.

P. B. Peterson,	3	24	
E. E. Babb & Co.,	4	58	
Wood & Bishop,		70	
W. E. Bailey,	8	75	
F. S. Smith,	12	50	
W. E. Sinclair,	32	52	
M. R. Chandler,		82	
Geo. Drisko,	1	71	
E. M. Dorr,	1	25	
J. L. Hammett Co.,		60	
L. E. Knott & Co.,	26	72	
Newell White,		50	
H. M. Weigle,		75	
Frank Hall,	3	90	
Chas. Wilson,		50	
R. M. Allen,	16	12	
Undrawn to balance,	34	84	150 00

CREDIT.

Amount raised,			150 00
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TEXT BOOKS.

Educational Pub. Co.,	1	36	
E. E. Babb & Co.,	65	16	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	11	96	
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	15	65	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	2	10	
W. D. Miller,		50	
Ginn & Co.,	7	17	
Allyn & Bacon,	2	15	
American Book Co.,	5	40	
Hinds & Noble,		50	
Town of Cherryfield,	2	00	
American Express,	5	00	
Undrawn to balance,	31	05	150 00

CREDIT.

Amount raised, 150 00

The foregoing fiscal report is for the past year only; for previous balances I would refer you to the Deficiency report of the Selectmen.

BUILDINGS.

Such repairs have been made by the Superintending School Committee as the necessary careful economy would permit. The most pressing needs for the future are: shingling the roof of the Central school house; double windows for the Hamlin primary, and painting the outside of the Central and Tabbutt school houses. It may not be possible to do this all this year but real economy demands it.

TEXT BOOKS.

The books have been carefully looked after but many of them are becoming very much worn and must be replaced. No change of books has been made in the Common Schools during the year. A book on Agriculture for seventh grade, for study in the spring term, would be a great benefit; also a book on good government for Ninth Grade. Apparatus for the study of Physics has been purchased for the High School.

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Splendid work has been done in the High School during the past year. It may well be a matter for pride to the citizens of this town that they have established and maintained such a school.

PROGRESS IN WORK.

The school year has been a most successful one from the standpoint of the work accomplished and the progress made.

I would recommend that the town raise for the coming year for Common schools: \$150.; for Repairs, Insurance and Incidentals, \$200.; Text Books, \$175.; Free High School, \$375.; Fuel and Janitor service for High School, \$50.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES C. JEWETT,

Superintendent of Schools.

March 1, 1911.

High School.

Amount Raised,	\$ 375 00	
Tuition,	35 00	
Due From State,	<u>833 33</u>	1,243 33

EXPENDITURES.

A. L. Todd,	192 00	
Gladys Nash,	93 80	
Fred Fish,	384 00	
Clara Haskell,	195 75	
Old Balance,	213 76	
Undrawn Balance,	<u>164 02</u>	1,243 33

FUEL AND JANITORS.

Balance from 1910 account,	18 98	
Amount Raised,	<u>25 00</u>	43 98

EXPENDITURES.

Sarah Darroch,	6 25	
Milton Gray,	5 00	
S. & S. Bowles,	5 00	
M. H. Haycock,	1 00	
B. B. Tibbetts,	12 00	
R. M. Allen,	5 76	
W. F. Abbott,	6 90	
Clarence Drisko,	<u>2 25</u>	44 16
Overdrawn,		18