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ANNUAL REPORT

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

of the

SORRENTO, MAINE

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 15, 1950

Also

THE WARRANT

THE HANCOCK COUNTY PUBLISHING COMPANY

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor

Elwin Perry Edward Bragdon Philip Martin, Jr.

Town Clerk

Camden D. Sargent

Road Commissioner

Frank Severance

Tax Collector

Myles Fenton

Treasurer

Camden D. Sargent

Auditor

Sawyer & Sawyer

Superintendent of Schools

R. H. Haskins

School Committee

Ernest Perry

Alice Sargent

Anne Fox

Board of Health

Ernest Perry

Earl Welch

Myles Fenton

Constables

W. L. Sargent

Prescott Briggs

Fire Chief

John Nash

Forest Fire Warden

John Nash

Deputy Fire Wards

Mason Sargent

John Cunningham

Donald Perry

Health Officer

Ernest Perry

Harbor Master

W. O. Andrews

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Value of real estate, resident		\$ 45,173.00
Value of real estate, non-resident		268899.00
Total of real estate		\$314072.00
Personal estate, resident	\$ 2562.00	
Personal estate, non-resident	20765.00	
Total personal estate		\$ 23327.00
Total valuation, 1949		\$337399.00
Total valuation, 1948		333430.00
Increase		\$ 3969.00
Amount of appropriation, town meeting		\$ 14775.00
Amount of state tax		2864.41
Amount of county tax		1043.23
Amount of overlay		747.10
Total		\$ 19429.74
Rate of taxation, \$57.00 per \$1000.00		
Number of polls, 66		
Tax assessment, resident estate	\$ 2720.89	
Tax assessment, non-resident	16510.85	
Tax assessment, poll taxes	198.00	
Total tax assessment, 1949		\$ 19429.74
Total tax assessment, 1948		18536.83
Increase		\$ 892.91
SUPPLEMENTAL TAX		
Raymond Fenton		\$ 1.42
Value of property exempt by law		2046.00

ELWIN PERRY,
EDWARD BRAGDON,
PHILIP MARTIN, JR.,
Assessors of Sorrento.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

NOTES PAYABLE

Dr. George G. Averill		\$ 3000.00	
Paid Dr. George G. Averill	\$ 1000.00		
Balance to 1950	2000.00		
			\$ 3000.00
			\$ 3000.00

TEMPORARY LOANS

First National Bank of Bar Harbor		\$ 2000.00	
Paid First National Bank of Bar Harbor		2000.00	
			2000.00

APPROPRIATIONS ACCOUNT, 1949

General Government:

Administration		\$ 1004.00	
Town Pier		300.00	
Street Lights		550.00	
Repair Town Property		200.00	
Protection:			
Fire Department		200.00	
Insurance		165.00	
Health and Sanitation:			
Nurse		300.00	
Board of Health		300.00	
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Roads		700.00	
Third Class Maintenance		200.00	
Snow Removal		700.00	
State Aid		1066.00	
Cutting Bushes		100.00	
Sidewalks		400.00	
Village Green		100.00	
Education:			
Schools		6200.00	
Superintendent		350.00	
School Repairs		750.00	
Interest		90.00	
Town Note		1000.00	

Assessed:

State Tax	2864.41
County Tax	1043.23
Overlay	747.10
Total	<u>\$ 19429.74</u>

ADMINISTRATION

Resources

Appropriations	\$ 1004.00
Dog Tax Refund	6.35
	<u>\$ 1010.35</u>

Expenditures

Salaries:

Elwin Perry, selectman	\$ 200.00	
Edward Bragdon, selectman	150.00	
Philip Martin, selectman	150.00	
C. D. Sargent, treasurer	125.00	
C. D. Sargent, clerk	75.00	
Sawyer & Sawyer, auditors	81.50	
Russell Bickford, moderator	5.00	
E. W. Perry	15.00	
Alice Sargent	15.00	
Anne Fox	15.00	
W. O. Andrews, harbor master	25.00	
W. L. Sargent, constable	5.00	
W. H. Sargent, constable	7.50	
John Nash, moderator	5.00	
	<u></u>	\$ 874.00

Collector:

C. H. Workman	\$ 16.79	
Myles Fenton	201.39	
	<u></u>	\$ 218.18

Miscellaneous:

Arlette Trundy	\$	6.00
The U. S. Auto and Truck Guide		5.00
Hancock County Pub. Co.		127.40
Clifton Hale		20.00
Hancock County Reg. of Deeds		5.75
Maine Municipal Asso.		20.00
John Cunningham, Jr.		7.50
C. D. Sargent, clerk exp.		10.00
C. D. Sargent, treas. exp.		15.00
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	\$	216.65

Lights:

Bangor Hydro Elec. Co.	\$	24.65
Office Supplies		26.45
Service Charge		4.04
Janitor		2.00
Sewer Repair		49.00
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	\$	106.14
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Total	\$	1414.97
Overdraft		404.62
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POOR ACCOUNT

Expenditures

Dr. Charles Sumner		
Case No. 1, Supplemental Aid	\$	65.00
George Bartlett		
Acct. Curtis Sidelinger		25.04
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Overdraft	\$	90.04
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INTEREST

Appropriation	\$	90.00
1948 Taxes		1.59
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	\$	91.59

EXPENDITURES

The First National Bank of Bar Harbor	\$	20.00	
Dr. George Averill		50.00	
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Total	\$		70.00
Unexpended	\$		21.59
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Appropriation	\$	200.00	
Fire Chief		100.00	
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	\$		300.00

Expenditures

Repairs:

John Nash	\$	1.00	
Reardon's Service Station		9.90	
Uriel Jellison		14.22	
George Bartlett		2.50	
Charles O'Connor		17.32	
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	\$		44.95

Gas and Oil:

Reardon's Service Station	\$	16.52	
Hugh Joy		3.85	
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	\$		20.37

Rent:

E. C. Clark	\$	40.00	
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	\$		40.00

Equipment:

Auburn Grinding Co.	\$	13.50	
Eastern Fire Equip. Co.		48.70	
Blanchard Associates, Inc.		75.70	
Sears, Roebuck and Co.		22.89	
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	\$		160.79

Freight:

John Nash	\$	9.31	
Blanchard Associates, Inc.		5.08	
Fireman School		6.00	
Sorrento Volunteer Fire Dept.		13.50	
			\$ 33.89
Total			\$ 300.00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation			\$ 550.00
	Expenditures		
Bangor Hydro Elec. Co.	\$	540.50	
Unexpended		9.50	
			\$ 550.00

INSURANCE

Appropriation			\$ 165.00
	Expenditures		
Clifton Hale			367.45
Overdraft			\$ 202.45

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Appropriation			\$ 300.00
	Expenditures		
John Cunningham Jr.	\$	166.25	
Dr. C. H. Sumner		20.00	
E. W. Perry, 1948		5.00	
Myles Fenton		10.00	
E. W. Perry, health officer		15.00	
Earl Welch		10.00	
Total	\$	226.25	
Unexpended		73.75	
			\$ 300.00

FLANDERS BAY NURSING SERVICE

Appropriation			\$ 300.00
Lyle Ford, treasurer			300.00

TOWN DUMP

Land Rent:		
Lewis Pinkham		\$ 50.00
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Overdraft		\$ 50.00
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SIDEWALKS

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
	Expenditures	
E. W. Perry	\$ 114.68	
E. C. Bragdon	248.38	
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Total	\$ 363.06	
Unexpended	36.94	
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		\$ 400.00
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VILLAGE GREEN

Appropriations		\$ 100.00
	Expenditures	
Curtis Sidelinger	\$ 49.50	
Clifton Hale	9.50	
John Cunningham Jr.	72.00	
Andrew Hanf	5.68	
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Total	\$ 136.68	
Overdraft	36.68	
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		\$ 100.00
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TOWN PIER

Appropriation		\$ 300.00
	Expenditures	
Labor and Supplies:		
Clifton Hale	\$ 122.02	
W. O. Andrews	137.00	
Andrew Hanf	18.42	
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Total	\$ 277.42	
Unexpended	22.58	
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		\$ 300.00
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REPAIR TOWN PROPERTY

Appropriation		\$	200.00
	Expenditures		
Labor:			
E. W. Perry		\$	78.19
Uriel Jellison			18.00
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		\$	96.19
Material:			
E. C. Bragdon		\$	24.89
M. Lynch Co.			1.85
Uriel Jellison			15.70
Constance Sargent			2.80
Sears, Roebuck and Co.			15.96
Ralph Gordon			32.50
C. G. Small			1.56
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		\$	95.26
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Total		\$	191.45
Unexpended			8.55
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		\$	200.00
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TOWN ROADS

Appropriation		\$	700.00
C. D. Sargent, chloride			2.50
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		\$	702.50
	Expenditures		
Trucks:			
Clifton Hale		\$	12.65
Frank Severance			375.75
W. E. Andrews			3.00
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		\$	391.40
Labor:			
Edgar Perry		\$	1.50
Frank Severance			21.60
Elliott Jellison			15.75
Gerald Perry			51.75
Prescott Briggs			3.00
John Cunningham Jr.			78.00
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		\$	171.60

Supplies:

Clifton Hale	\$	8.39	
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			\$ 8.39
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Gravel and Chloride:

Joe Colson	\$	10.80	
W. H. Schurtleff Co.		94.00	

			\$ 104.80
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Total			\$ 676.19
Unexpended			26.31

			\$ 702.50
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THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Appropriation			\$ 200.00
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Expenditures

Trucks and Labor:

Frank Severance	\$	73.80	
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Total	\$	73.80	
Unexpended		126.20	

			\$ 200.00
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STATE AID ROAD

Appropriation			\$ 1066.00
Paid Treasurer of State			1066.00

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriation			\$ 100.00
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Expenditures

Truck and Tractor:

Frank Severance	\$	65.60	
Paul Carpenter		21.93	

Total	\$	87.53	
Unexpended		12.47	

			\$ 100.00
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SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation	\$ 700.00
Received from State	179.41
Due from State	440.67
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	\$ 1320.08

Expenditures

Plowing:

Curtis Sidelinger	\$ 39.60
Frank Severance	248.95
Lloyd Andrews	12.00
Elliott Jellison	65.25
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	\$ 365.80

Sanding:

Curtis Sidelinger	\$ 52.45
Frank Severance	100.63
Lloyd Andrews	18.00
Stuart Andrews	6.00
W. O. Andrews	6.75
Edgar Perry	3.75
E. W. Perry	2.25
Elliott Jellison	40.13
Russeñ Bickford	9.38
Camden Sargent Jr.	20.25
William Bunker	5.25
Carroll Pinkham	5.25
Uriel Jellison	2.25
Donald Perry	3.75
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	\$ 276.09

Stock Pile:

Curtis Sidelinger	\$ 62.35
Frank Severance	229.50
Stuart Andrews	18.00
John Cunningham Jr.	26.25
Elliott Jellison	57.00
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	\$ 393.10

Snow Fence:

Clifton Hale	\$	6.90
Frank Severance		62.80
Urie Jellison		4.50
Elliott Jellison		18.00
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	\$	92.20

Salt, Sand and Repairs:

R. B. Dunning	\$	25.00
Curtis Sidelinger		12.30
William Boyd		4.00
Vandy Rice		33.65
Clifton Hale		1.21
Charles Foster		9.01
Shurtleff Salt Co.		70.50
E.C. Bragdon		2.62
Smith Thompson Co.		56.25
Frank Severance		30.13
Fred's Express		3.62
L. S. Thorsen Corp.		8.83
Hugh Joy		11.75
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	\$	268.87

Total	\$	1396.06
Overdraft	\$	75.98

STATE TAX

Assessed	\$	2864.41
Paid State Treasurer	\$	2864.41

COUNTY TAX

Assessed	\$	1043.23
Paid County Treasurer	\$	1043.23

OVERLAY

To Surplus	\$	747.10
Assessed	\$	747.10

SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATE FOR 1950

Administration	\$ 1200.00
Town Pier	350.00
Sidewalks	400.00
Village Green	100.00
Town Dump	150.00
Street Lights	550.00
Fire Department	200.00
Chief, Volunteer Fire Dept.	100.00
Insurance	350.00
Board of Health	300.00
Nursing Service	300.00
Repair of Town Property	100.00
Town Roads	700.00
Town Poor	100.00
State Aid Roads	533.00
Snow Removal	700.00
Cutting Bushes	100.00
School Maintenance	6700.00
Repair of School Property and Equipment	500.00
Superintendent of Schools	350.00
Interest	90.00
Town Note	1000.00
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Total	<u>\$ 14873.00</u>

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1949 — 1950

Debits

Commitment to Collector	\$ 19433.58
Supplement Tax	1.42
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	\$ 19435.00

Credits

Collections	\$ 19087.07
Abatements	102.70
Uncollected	245.23
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	\$ 19435.00
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Excise Taxes 1949	\$ 761.93
Excise Taxes 1950	380.05
Taxes for 1947	13.38
Taxes for 1948	38.50

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

Resident

Dorothy Andrews	\$ 19.95
Charles Bunker	30.06
Rupert Haskins	65.70
John Howland Rowe	3.00
M. W. Sargent	25.65
W. H. Sargent	15.68
W. L. Sargent	22.80
Curtis Sidelinger	25.65
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	\$ 211.49

Non-Resident

LeRoy Lawrie	\$ 8.09
Margaret West	25.65
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	\$ 33.74

Abatements

Albert Bohlin	\$ 5.50
Stuart Andrews	3.00
A. L. Whipple	3.00
Dr. Robert Lewis	91.20
	<u>\$ 102.70</u>

SUPPLEMENTAL TAX

Raymond Fenton	\$ 1.42
	<u>1.42</u>

MYLES FENTON, Collector.

Sorrento, Maine

1948 UNCOLLECTED

Resident

Dorothy Andrews	\$ 19.25
	<u>19.25</u>

1947 UNCOLLECTED

Russell Bickford	\$.43
Paul Carpenter	1.34
Lawrence Means	1.34
Lewis Pinkham	42.80
	<u>\$ 45.91</u>

1945 UNCOLLECTED

Lewis Pinkham	\$ 26.00
	<u>26.00</u>

NOTE

The following 1949 taxes were received after close of books.

William Bunker	\$ 30.06
Rupert Haskins	65.70
	<u>95.76</u>

TREASURERS REPORT

1949-1950

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1949	\$	2505.53
Taxes, 1947		13.38
Taxes, 1948		491.44
Taxes, 1949		19087.07
Interest, 1948		1.59

\$ 19593.48

Excise taxes, 1949	\$	487.63
Excise taxes, 1950		380.05

Miscellaneous:

First National Bank Bar Harbor, note	\$	2000.00
C. D. Sargent, chloride		2.50
Prof. Z. Chafee, chloride		15.00
George Bartlett, tax refund		12.35
Town of Winter Harbor, conveyance		50.00

\$ 867.68

\$ 2079.85

Received from State:

Snow Removal, 1948-49	\$	432.86
Dog License Refund		6.35
State School Fund		1778.00
State Highway Refund on Error		10.96

\$ 2228.17

Total Available	\$	27274.71
Selectmen's Warrants		23956.49

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1950	\$	3318.22
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MARIA CRABTREE FUND, TOWN TRUSTEE

Cash in Bank, Feb. 15, 1949	\$	122.37
Sold 1 Share Stock, March 1949		20.00
Interest Not Added for 1949		

\$ 142.37

CAMDEN D. SARGENT,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

1949-1950

RECORD OF MARRIAGES

April 2, 1949, Kenneth Oliver Bragdon and Verna Julia Watson.

July 17, 1949, Jay Allison Bracy and Frances Louise Sargent.

October 8, 1949, Gardner Perry and Maud Victoria Jacques.

November 24, 1949, Richard E. Andrews and Patricia Gene Pichard.

November 24, 1949, Caroll Lewis Pinkham and Lucille Edith McNaughton.

RECORD OF BIRTHS

February 13, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Andrews, a daughter.

March 15, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Murry Bickford, a daughter.

April 3, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Myles Fenton, a daughter.

May 20, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Hardison Sargent, a son.

June 30, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Nanum Martin Jr., a son.

August 15, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearl Andrews, a daughter.

October 16, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Montgomery, a daughter.

October 11, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Camden Dyke Sargent Jr., a daughter.

January 1, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Creamer II, a son.

RECORD OF DEATHS

None

CAMDEN D. SARGENT,

Town Clerk,
Sorrento, Maine.

REPORT OF SORRENTO VOLUNTEER
FIRE DEPARTMENT

Of the \$300 appropriated in the last Town Meeting, about \$190 was spent for equipment and the remainder for upkeep as shown by the financial statement of the Fire Department. In addition to that, the members and their wives have earned funds with which they have bought more equipment to the value of \$540.00. Namely, a portable pump for \$300.00, 200 feet of booster hose for \$75.00, besides a siren and blinker lights for the truck, and two dry chemical extinguishers with extra powder and cartridges. There is over \$350 in the Fire Department Treasury at present.

The following equipment has also been acquired: a forty foot extension ladder, a sixteen foot roof ladder, donated by E. C. Bragdon, ladder chains and hooks and a few needed hose fittings.

Altogether, I feel that the Fire Department has progressed far beyond my fondest hopes at the beginning of the year, and it has been a pleasure to work with the Company. They are a capable group of men who, if they can have the necessary equipment, will make a very efficient company of fire fighters.

The Department is planning to make much more progress this coming year by building a fire house with donated labor, using lumber now being cut, and other materials to be paid for by donations from the summer residents, and now in the hands of Mr. Stephen Wheatland.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. NASH,
Fire Chief.

SCHOOL REPORT

The seven-town area school considered but not voted upon by the citizens of Sorrento two years ago failed of realization. Sufficient funds did not materialize to build and equip a six-year 400-pupil secondary school plant complete with gymnasium, and only five of the seven towns voted approval of the plan.

While popular interest has not waned, if anything has increased, it is generally agreed that this whole matter of an Area School should be settled one way or the other for at least the immediate future. More and more people concede that educational changes are coming anyway, but that it is a matter of timing, depending for the most part upon local needs. Because of this feeling, another effort is being made now in the form of a smaller proposition, involving fewer towns and less capital outlay. Actually, it reduces itself down to a plan of consolidating Sullivan and Winter Harbor High Schools into a join Community School, built and operated by four adjoining towns.

It is well to observe here, however, that the plan considers only the building of a classroom unit at first with the gymnasium to come at some unforeseen future. This is necessary since the area is limited by law to borrow only 5% of its combined state valuation, which amounts right now to \$100,500.00 the estimated cost of the classroom unit.

The gymnasium, with its use as an auditorium, must be financed from another source. This additional \$100,000.00 will either come from private gifts or through federal and/or state school construction subsidies.

The big question then is "When shall we begin?" Should it be now and take a chance that the second unit will follow within a reasonable period, perhaps from 1 to 3 years, or, would it be better judgment to wait until the federal and state agencies set up a program guaranteeing definite grants under a fund matching program as has been used in the past, or again, enough pledges are made from freinds of the project to insure its success? On the other hand, you may feel that a centralized academic unit without a gymnasium is better than what is now available and any improvement, no matter how limited, warrants the extra effort now.

If you feel that Sorrento can afford to enter into this common educational enterprise, that it means an improved high school program over what is at hand, that now is the time to move ahead, then vote YES at town meeting.

If you are satisfied with the present arrangement, or feel that this educational change will mean an unnecessary extra tax burden, or that more thought and planning be given the entire problem especially in the light of the need for a complete unit, or even other possibilities be considered, then vote NO.

Whatever your opinion, your vote will probably help settle the issue for some time to come. And, in a sense you are deciding also a problem even bigger than that of improved schools. It has to do with the basic idea of neighboring small towns pooling their resources along certain lines, instead of trying to go it alone. If there is any merit to this concept of unity and common purpose, then a Community School might well serve as a symbol of further such progress while meeting the current need of boys and girls who continue to grow up, notwithstanding the economics of the times.

R. H. HASKINS,
Superintendent.

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

PLAN

1. 4 towns — Sullivan, Sorrento, Gouldsboro, Winter Harbor (possibly Franklin).
2. 4 year high school — grades 9, 10, 11, 12.
3. Enrollment — in 2 years 150; in 4 years 175; in 8 years 200 (without tuition pupils).
4. Courses — College, Commercial, Home Making, General Shop.
5. Subjects — English, Languages, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies.
6. Teachers — Seven to start; later nine (depending upon enrollment).

FINANCES (CONSTRUCTION)

1. Classroom unit to cost approximately \$100,000.00, including equipment.
2. Money to be borrowed by issuing bonds; to be repaid in 25 years; interest at 2½%.
3. Each town to contribute 5% of its valuation for construction.
4. Each town's share based on 1946 state valuations (latest figures available).

Sullivan	\$ 21450.00
Sorrento	19750.00
Gouldsboro	31550.00
Winter Harbor	27750.00

5. Each town's annual payment, including average interest:

Sullivan	\$ 1137.00
Sorrento	1047.00
Gouldsboro	1672.00
Winter Harbor	1471.00

OPERATION

1. Estimated cost — \$180.00 per pupil, includes conveyance.
2. Winter Harbor and Sorrento to pay 150% of per pupil cost.
3. Sullivan and Gouldsboro to share remaining costs prorated according to valuations.
4. Tuition pupils to pay average per pupil cost.
5. Comparison of high school tuition costs for Sorrento, next year:

\$ 93.00 per pupil under present plan
270.00 per pupil to area school

\$177.00 increase per pupil

6. Comparison of tuition expense based on 13 pupils:
\$3510.00 tuition to area school
1209.00 tuition, present plan

\$2301.00 increase
7. Combined annual increase:
\$1047.00 on construction
2301.00 on operation

\$3348.00 total
8. Increase in terms of mill rate — .00845; for \$8.00 increase per \$1000.00 valuation.

BUILDING

Classroom:

1. 1 story, wooden structure, to be built by local labor.
2. Centrally located, possibly in Ashville, depending upon adequate water supply.
3. Classroom unit to be built first, by taxing the area 5% of its combined valuation.
4. Size: approximate length 216 ft.; width 58 ft.; total arear 12,528 sq. feet.
5. 5 recitation rooms; 24x36 ft.
6. 3 shop rooms; 24x60 ft.; (for commercial, home making, shop).
7. Administration unit; boiler room; toilets; corridor.
8. Estimated cost \$8.25 per sq. ft. for \$94,654.00; water, sewage, grading about \$5,346.00.

Gymnasium:

1. To be built later (sources of help unknown).
2. Size — 100x100 ft.
3. Gym floor — 100x76 ft.
4. Gym to include stage, locker rooms, storage rooms, kitchen, seating space for 500.
5. Gym to be used also as auditorium, cafeteria.
6. Approximate cost — \$100,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT TO
SORRENTO SCHOOL COMMITTEE
COMMON SCHOOLS

Income

Appropriation	\$ 5496.32
State School Fund	1320.68
Bus Rental, Winter Harbor (dental clinic)	50.00
Refund on Tire Tax	12.35
	\$ 6870.35

Expended

TEACHERS:

Farrell King	\$ 1607.25
Farrell King, study subsidy	50.00
Golda White	1514.67
Golda White, study subsidy	50.00
Jessie White, substitute	48.00
Lawrence Lewis, substitute	30.00
Mary Hotson, substitute	6.00
Helen Hooper, substitute	30.00
	\$ 3335.92

FUEL:

Gulf Oil Corp.	\$ 344.23
Hugh Joy, garage	24.98
	\$ 369.21

JANITOR AND CLEANING:

Elwin Perry	\$ 400.00
Gerald Perry	15.00
George Bartlett, supplies	6.20
Elwin Sargent, supplies	13.75
Berry Paper Co., supplies	21.78
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	16.13
Bangor Hydro-Elec., supplies	3.58
	\$ 475.94

CONVEYANCE:

Elwin Perry	\$ 1083.00
Gerald Perry	56.00
George Bartlett, gas, oil, etc.	222.33
C. G. Small, gas	1.27
Charles O'Connor, repairs	16.65
Hugh Joy	52.71
George Bartlett, tires	299.30

\$ 1731.26

TEXTBOOKS:

The Macmillan Co.	\$ 15.35
Albert Whitman	2.37
Fred L. Tower	10.00
Simon & Shuster	3.16
Iroquois Pub. Co.	6.32
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	32.57
Laidlaw Bros.	15.80
World Book Co.	6.66
Ginn and Co.	12.96
Allyn and Bacon	3.35
E. M. Hale Co.	57.50
Lyons & Carnahan Co.	20.85
Educ. and Recreat. Guides, Inc.	3.00
Frank Foster	6.00
Yankee, Inc.	1.00
Doubleday Inc.	2.25

\$ 199.14

SUPPLIES:

D. K. Hammett	\$ 9.27
Minot Film Ex.	10.00
Stratton's Hdre. Co.	22.40
George Bartlett	3.65
World Book Co.	9.58
Nat. Educ. Asso.	.64
Loring, Short & Harmon	117.07
Royal Type. Co.	21.04
H. H. Wilson Co.	6.00
Treasurer of State	4.00
Hayer Corp.	2.30
Joe's Print Shop	3.00
Educ. Progress Serv.	13.28
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	2.20

Stanley Winthrop Co.	.40	
Golda White	2.13	
Howard & Brown	2.50	
Wescott's Co.	2.25	
Farrell King	1.93	
J. L. Hammett	3.10	
Singer Sew. Co.	31.47	
		\$ 268.21
EQUIPMENT:		
Gledhill Bros. Inc.		\$ 159.22
LIGHTS:		
Bangor Hydro-Elec. Co.		\$ 66.26
TELEPHONE:		
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.		\$ 44.20
Total		\$ 6649.36
Balance unexpended, 1950		229.95
TOTAL		\$ 6879.35

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Income

State School Fund		\$ 457.32
Appropriation		703.68
		\$ 1161.00

Expended

Town of Sullivan	\$ 750.00	
City of Ellsworth	196.00	
Higgins Class. Inst.	215.00	
Total		\$ 1161.00

REPAIRS

Appropriation		\$ 750.00
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Expended

Andrew Hanf	\$ 407.15	
Edward Bragdon	57.19	
Joe Bates	230.00	
Uriel Jellison	1.50	
Buckminister's Store	5.50	

Rosie Perry	10.00	
Wescott's Store	13.50	
		\$ 724.84
Balance		25.16
Total		\$ 750.00
EQUIPMENT		
Expended		\$ 370.15
SUPERVISION		
Appropriated		\$ 350.00
Expended		
R. H. Haskins, salary		\$ 268.27
R. H. Haskins, office		56.73
		\$ 325.00
Unexpended		25.00
TOTAL		\$ 350.00

SORRENTO ENROLLMENT

Fall Term, 1949-1950

School	SP	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Primary	6	4	6	2	5	..	..	..	..	23
Grammar	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	0	8	16
	6	4	6	2	5	5	3	0	8	39
Total										

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION PUPILS

Fall Term, 1949

To Sullivan:

Joyce Barrett	Junior
Marcia Pinkham	Sophomore
Richard Andrews	Freshman (left)
Delores Fenton	Freshman
Thelma Hale	Freshman
Leroy Hooper	Freshman
Stanley Sargent	Freshman
Paul Severance	Freshman (moved)

To Ellsworth:

Edward Welch	Junior
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To Higgins:

Donna Hooper	Senior
Alexandra Andrews	Freshman

SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1950-1951
COMMON SCHOOLS

Income

Balance brought forward		\$ 229.99
State School Fund		1164.00
NEEDED appropriation		5491.00
		\$ 6884.99

Expenses

Teachers	\$ 3600.00	
Fuel	400.00	
Janitor and Cleaning	530.00	
Conveyance	1800.00	
Textbooks	150.00	
Supplies	150.00	
Vis. Educ. — Library	100.00	
Lights	75.00	
Telephone	50.00	
Surplus	29.99	
		\$ 6884.99
Total		\$ 6884.99

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Income

State School Fund		\$ 741.00
NEEDED appropriation		1209.00
		\$ 1950.00

Expenses

Sullivan 6 @ \$160.00	\$ 960.00	
Higgins 2 @ \$150.00	300.00	
Ellsworth 1 @ \$130.00	130.00	
Freshman 8 @ \$70.00	560.00	
		\$ 1950.00
Total		\$ 1950.00

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Total School Maintenance:

Common Schools \$ 5491.00

High School Tuition 1209.00

Total \$ 6700.00

Miscellaneous Account:

Repairs \$ 500.00

Supervision 350.00

Total \$ 850.00

Grand Total \$ 7550.00

AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 16, 1950

Board of Selectmen,
Sorrento, Maine.

Gentlemen :

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3, Revised Statutes of 1944, and at your request, we have audited the records of the Town of Sorrento for the period February 15, 1949 to February 15, 1950.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be ascertained within the scope of the examination, the financial transactions of the Town appear to have been appropriately handled.

Exhibits and Schedules included in this report impartially present the financial position of the Town and the result of its operations for the period designated.

Comments and other data incorporated in the report may prove of interest to you, all of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly yours,

SAWYER and SAWYER,
By A. P. Stewart
Accountants and Auditors

APS/as

C O M M E N T S

February 15, 1949 to February 15, 1950

Re: Audit of the Town of Sorrento

Cash:

An examination of the records of the Treasurer disclosed that all moneys received by the Town were promptly deposited in the bank and all payments were made by check from properly authorized warrants. The check book balance was reconciled with the bank statement and found to be in agreement.

Accounts Receivable:

This receivable consists of money due from the State as reimbursement for snow removal costs.

Taxes Receivable:

The records of the Tax Collector were examined and, after an adjustment of \$3.84, were in agreement with the Assessors' records. The commitment was accounted for by cash collections of \$19,087.07, abatements of \$102.70 and uncollected 1949 taxes amounting to \$245.23 as shown on the records of the Collector. Uncollected taxes for prior years amount to \$95.29.

Tax Acquired Property:

This account represents property acquired by the Town by expiration of tax liens. No transactions were recorded in this account during the year.

Due Governmental Agencies:

Deductions from salaries on account of income taxes and teachers' pensions are held in the General Fund pending the regular settlement dates with the appropriate agencies.

Notes Payable:

During the year, \$1,000.00 was paid on outstanding notes by appropriation. The balance is now \$2,000.00.

Deferred Revenue:

Prepaid 1950 excise taxes were received by the Town prior to the closing of the books for 1949 and

this credit is carried forward to the 1950 municipal year for proper application.

Surplus:

At the close of the municipal year, the Town had a net surplus of \$2,909.82. Of this amount, \$151.04 consists of the school balance forward and must be used in that account. This leaves \$2,758.78 unappropriated for any specific use. An analysis of change in unappropriated surplus for the year under examination is presented on Exhibit E of this report.

Trust Funds:

The time deposit books for the Maria Crabtree fund was examined and found to be in order. The share of Union Trust Company stock that has been a part of this fund for some years past has been sold and the proceeds deposited in the bank. No income was expended during the past year.

General:

The corporate surety bonds of the Collector and Treasurer were examined and found to be in order and properly recorded.

The excise tax receipts were added and the total was found to be in agreement with the deposits with the Treasurer. Revenue from 1949 excise taxes was credited to the surplus account.

Vouchers and payroll were examined in part and those examined appeared to be proper charges to the accounts involved.

All unexpended balances required by law to be carried forward have been carried to 1950.

TOWN OF SORRENTO
Comparative Balance Sheet
Year ended February 15, 1950

		Assets	
	February 15, 1950	February 15, 1949	
Cash:			
On Hand and in Bank	\$ 3,318.22	\$ 2,505.53	
Accounts Receivable	440.67	253.43	
Taxes Receivable:			
Current Year	245.23	514.82	
Prior Years	95.29	85.29	
	340.52	600.11	
Tax Acquired Property	1,229.26	1,229.26	
Total Assets — General Fund	\$ 5,328.67	\$ 4,588.35	

		Trust Funds	
Cash:			
Time Deposits	\$ 142.37	\$ 121.17	
Investments		20.00	
Total Assets — Trust Funds	\$ 142.37	\$ 141.17	

TOWN OF SORRENTO
Comparative Balance Sheet

Year ended February 15, 1950

Liabilities

	February 15, 1950	February 15, 1949
Accounts Payable		\$ 156.70
Due Governmental Agencies:		
Withholding Tax	20.80	33.90
Teachers' Pensions	18.00	28.32
	38.80	62.22
Notes Payable	2,000.00	3,000.00
Deferred Revenue:		
Prepaid Excise Taxes	380.05	247.30
	2,418.85	3,493.22
Total Liabilities		
Surplus:		
Appropriated	151.04	76.62
Unappropriated	2,758.78	1,018.51
	2,909.82	1,095.13
Total Liabilities and Surplus —	\$ 5,328.67	\$ 4,588.35
General Fund		
	Trust Funds	
Principals	\$ 125.00	\$ 125.00
Income	17.37	16.17
	\$ 142.37	\$ 141.17
Total Liabilities — Trust Funds	\$ 142.37	\$ 141.17

LIST OF TAXPAYERS

	RESIDENT			Total Tax
	Poll	Real Estate	Pers. Estate	
Andrews, Dorothy		350.00		19.95
Andrews, John, heirs of		400.00		22.80
Andrews, Lloyd	3.00			3.00
Andrews, Stuart	3.00			3.00
Andrews, William E.	3.00	1100.00	75.00	69.98
Andrews, William O.	3.00	450.00	25.00	30.07
Ash, Rodney	3.00	840.00		50.88
Barrett, Clinton	3.00	1217.00	50.00	75.22
Bates, Joseph	3.00	475.00	50.00	32.93
Bickford, B. F.	3.00	1175.00		69.98
Bohlin, Albert	3.00	300.00		20.10
Bracey, Steven	3.00			3.00
Bragdon, Edward C.	3.00	910.00	550.00	86.22
Briggs, Prescott	3.00			3.00
Cunningham, John, Jr.	3.00			3.00
Bunker, Charles W.	3.00	580.00		36.06
Bickford, Russell	3.00	550.00		34.35
Clark, Edwin, Jr.	3.00	1684.00		98.99
Creamer, Gardiner	3.00			3.00
Creamer, Lorenzo C.	3.00			3.00
Creamer, Martha E.		7000.00	50.00	401.85
Cunningham, J. J.	3.00	1600.00		94.20
Fenton, Archie	3.00	640.00		39.48
Fenton, Donald	3.00			3.00
Fenton, Myles	3.00	455.00		28.94
Fenton, Raymond	3.00	462.00	20.00	30.75
Fox, Edward	3.00	768.00		47.78
Guyette, George	3.00			3.00
Guyette, Mrs. George		1198.00	25.00	69.70
Guyette, Herbert	3.00		25.00	4.42
Guyette, Walter	3.00			3.00
Guyette, Winnie			25.00	1.42
Hale, Clifton	3.00	1720.00	1050.00	160.89
Haskins, Reginald H.	3.00	2300.00	100.00	139.80
Haskins, Rupert L.	3.00	1100.00		65.70
Hooper, Leroy	3.00			3.00
Hooper, Thelma		700.00		39.90
Jellison, Elliott	3.00			3.00
Jellison, Eugene		430.00		24.51

Jellison, Uriel	3.00	425.00		27.22
Keif, Ethel		400.00		22.80
Martin, Phillip Jr.	3.00	650.00		40.05
Means, Lawrence	3.00	25.00		4.43
Montgomery, Leonard	3.00	150.00		11.55
Nash, I. W., heirs of		350.00		19.95
Nash, John L.	3.00	1263.00	50.00	77.84
Perry, Donald	3.00	425.00		27.23
Perry, Edgar	3.00	325.00		21.53
Perry, Elwin	3.00	650.00		40.05
Perry, Gardiner	3.00			3.00
Perry, Gerald	3.00	300.00		20.10
Perry, Ernest	3.00	50.00		8.70
Perry, Ruth		176.00		10.03
Perry, Wendell	3.00			3.00
Pinkham, Lewis	3.00	800.00		48.60
Reardon, William	3.00	1275.00		75.68
Rowe, John Howland	3.00			3.00
Rowe, William L. J.	3.00	1000.00		60.00
Sargent, C. D. & Constance A.		700.00		39.90
Sargent, C. D.	3.00			3.00
Sargent, C. D. Jr.	3.00			3.00
Sargent, M. W.	3.00	450.00		28.65
Sargent, W. H.	3.00	275.00		18.68
Sargent, W. L.	3.00	350.00	50.00	25.80
Severance, Frank	3.00	200.00		14.40
Sidelinger, Curtis	3.00	450.00		28.65
Spratt, L. A.		600.00		34.20
Thompson, Arthur	3.00			3.00
Thompson, Leon	3.00	800.00	300.00	65.70
Trundy, Frank S.	3.00			3.00
Welch, Earl	3.00	825.00	25.00	51.46
West, Almon	3.00	1090.00		65.13
West Brothers		125.00	87.00	12.09
West, Delmont	3.00	50.00		5.85
West, James	3.00	100.00		8.70
West, Waldo	3.00	950.00		57.15
Whipple	3.00			3.00
Whipple, A. L. and Francis B.		1540.00		87.78
Williams, Ernest	3.00			3.00

NON-RESIDENT

	Real Estate	Pers. Estate	Total Tax
Aiken, Pauline		50.00	2.85
American Oil Co.		75.00	4.28
Associated Professors of Saint Charles College, trustees of	300.00		17.10
Atachia, Mrs. Mihran	250.00		14.25
Averill, Francis M.	7250.00	500.00	441.75
Averill, Dr. George G.		1500.00	85.50
Bangor, Hydro Elec. Co.		2515.00	143.36
Bartlett, George	2239.00		127.62
Bean, Sybil	176.00		10.03
Boyd, James, heirs of	8600.00	1150.00	555.75
Bowen, Elizabeth Cochrane, Est. of	20250.00		1154.25
Brinton, Wesley	2075.00		118.28
Caidwell, Margaret	392.00		22.34
Campbell, Robert M.	250.00		14.25
Cathcart, Mrs. Annette	100.00		5.70
Chafee, Dexter	1708.00	200.00	108.76
Chafee, Dr. Francis H.	4903.00		279.47
Chafee, Richard		50.00	2.85
Chafee, Susan	7334.00		418.04
Chafee, Zacharire II	5654.00		322.28
Colby, A. L.	550.00		31.35
Crothers, Dr. Bronson	5200.00	100.00	302.10
Curtis, F. L. & Cobleigh, B. F., heirs of	3100.00		176.70
Chafee, Zacharire III		50.00	2.85
Davis, Meyer	7150.00	650.00	444.60
Dodge, Henry A.	1300.00		75.00
Dunbar, Alice and Emery	368.00		20.98
Ehlers, Janette M.	100.00		5.70
Elliott, Calvin Jr.	300.00		17.10
Ewing, Bayard	5740.00		327.18
Ewing, Anna C. & Thomas, trustees	2500.00		142.50
Ewing, Anna C., heirs of estate of	1200.00		68.40
Ewing Tennis Court	1000.00		57.00
French, W. E.	1875.00		106.88
Gamble, Mrs. Elizabeth	1700.00	50.00	99.75
Gamble, Dr. James	15300.00	3100.00	1048.80
Garbrick, Clarence A.	3250.00		185.25
Gardner, Margaret D.	2700.00		153.90
Gay, Marjorie Woodworth	150.00		8.55
Gerard, James W.	150.00		8.55

Gott, Blanche	810.00		46.17
Gray, Bertha M.	100.00		5.70
Gulf Oil Corp.		165.00	9.41
Hannum, Lydia	2320.00		132.24
Haskins, Allison	100.00		5.70
Hjorth, Mary Bowen	6400.00	1625.00	457.43
Hotson, Leslie J.	1910.00	50.00	111.72
Hughes, Herbert	750.00		42.75
Hughson, Mildred	9000.00	550.00	544.35
Jackson, Lenora	500.00		28.50
Jellison, L. T.	50.00		2.85
Lacombie, A. E.	1755.00		100.03
Lawrie, Leroy	142.00		8.09
Lewis, Dr. Robert and Helen E.	2475.00	2200.00	266.48
Lobdell, Leighton	1225.00	75.00	74.11
Loomis, Robert H.	15742.00	1050.00	957.04
Martin, Fred L.	2300.00	400.00	153.90
McCarty, John	400.00		22.80
Merrill, Eleanor S.	6500.00	250.00	384.75
Meynell, J. F., heirs of	510.00		29.07
Montgomery, Elizabeth Robbins	4200.00	50.00	242.25
Morrow, George T., devisees of	550.00		31.35
Morrow, Lenora, heirs or	1150.00		65.55
Moscone, Dominik	100.00		5.70
Noyes, Crosby S.	2750.00		156.75
Noyes, Newbold Jr.	5450.00	250.00	324.90
Preble, John	45.00		2.57
Reid, Arthur R.	1500.00		85.50
Richardson, Gilbert M.	40.00		2.28
Ridgeley, Marguerite	4700.00		267.90
Rowe, Margaret T. J.	6810.00	450.00	413.82
Rush, Mrs. Charles and Helen	250.00		14.25
Sheffelin, W. J.	550.00		31.35
Sharpe, Henry D. Jr.	2950.00		168.15
Small, C. J. and Ford, Lyle	400.00		22.80
Smith, Dunlop		1000.00	57.00
Smith, Mrs. Marie Dunlop	3300.00		188.10
Soffron Bros. Inc.	1600.00		91.20
Sorrento Village Improvement Ass'n	1350.00		76.95
Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Inc.	175.00		9.98
Stone, Alexandra E.	24075.00	2900.00	1537.58
Stone, Thomas A.	10600.00	500.00	632.70
Storer, George H., heir of	570.00		32.49
Thurwall, Helen	1025.00		58.43

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Tilden, Alfred M. and Almira	6250.00		356.25
Tracey, Robert C.	50.00		2.85
Treasure Island Estate, Inc	8100.00	1000.00	518.70
Van Duzen, Henry	2400.00	200.00	148.20
West, Margaret	450.00		25.65
Wheatland, Stephen	200.00		11.40
Wilbur, Elwood & Steel, Dorothy W.	606.00		34.54
Wilbur, Ruth A.	60.00		3.42
Wilson, Mrs. John	3200.00		182.40
Wolvern, Elsie F.	1700.00	200.00	108.30
Cooley, Thomas M.	1500.00		85.50
Cooley, Helen S.			
Cooley, Emily H.			

NURSING SERVICE REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report of the Service rendered the Town of Sorrento by the Flanders Bay Nursing Service for the period beginning January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949.

As usual the winter weighing of 40 pupils was completed in January and conferences were held with the teachers and pupils regarding corrections necessary for a health promotion certificate offered each year to pupils who qualify. 14 pupils received them, also one pupil received a five year certificate, given if a child has had five health certificates in succession.

The Patch Test for Tuberculosis to be followed by chest X-ray of reactors was offered the entering class of school and new pupils moved to town where permission was given by the parent. 5 were tested, all negative.

The school personnel were X-rayed at Ellsworth Clinic, conducted by the Division of T. B. Control as required by law, every two years, for the protection of your children, X-rayed 4. No defects found at this time.

Routine vaccination against Small Pox, Diphtheria and Whooping Cough immunization was offered the entering class at school, the response to these immunizations has been very gratifying. Small Pox 3, Diphtheria 5 and Whooping Cough 3.

The mothers were invited to attend the Sullivan preschool and infant clinic on July 19. At this time two preschools were vaccinated and one received the combination. (Whooping Cough, Diphtheria and Tetanus.)

With the opening of school in September, special head and skin inspection was completed the first week of school, play ground equipment was checked for safety.

Annual school inspection was completed in October. Notices of defects were sent to the parent or a home visit made. A full report was left with both teachers. Routine school room visits have been made and help given teachers with their health problems whenever needed.

Report of School Inspection

Number of pupils inspected	40
Number of pupils with defective vision	1
Number of pupils with defective throats	15
Number of pupils with defective glands	2
Number of pupils with defective teeth	21
Number of pupils underweight	2

Corrected since last Inspection

Vision	1
Teeth	5

22 pupils received the Sodium Fluoride dental treatment offered by the United States Public Health Service, free.

Home visits made during the year, 241. Visits of instructions and investigation were made on prenatal patients, babies, preschool and school children, adults for treatments as ordered by their doctors. Transportation furnished an adult to clinic.

I extend thanks to all who have helped with the Nursing Program with special mention of the cooperation of Selectmen, Members of the School Board, Superintendent of Schools, Teachers and Parents.

Respectfully submitted,

Flanders Bay Nursing Service

By: Clye H. Ricker, R. N.

Public Health Nurse

THE WARRANT

HANCOCK, ss

STATE OF MAINE

To Prescott Briggs Jr., a Constable of the Town of Sorrento, in
 the County of Hancock, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Sorrento, in said county, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Community House, in said town, on Monday, the sixth day of March, A.D. 1950, at 10 o'clock in the morning, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article

- 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2 To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year and fix salary for same.
- 3 To choose three Selectmen and fix salaries for the same.
- 4 To choose three Assessors.
- 5 To choose three Overseers of the Poor.
- 6 To choose Town Treasurer and fix salary for the same.
- 7 To choose a Tax Collector and fix salary for the same.
- 8 To choose one or more Constables and fix compensation.
- 9 To see if the town will vote to issue clam licenses.
- 10 To choose a Harbor Master and fix compensation.
- 11 To choose one member of the School Committee to serve for three years and fix compensation.
- 12 To choose a Commissioner of Roads and fix compensation.

- 13 To see if the town will vote to join with any or all of the following towns: Sullivan, Sorrento, Franklin, Winter Harbor, Gouldsboro, to form a secondary school district to be known as The Community School District.
- 14 To see if the town will vote that the district be authorized to acquire and hold property of a value not in excess of \$200,000.
- 15 To see if the town will vote to authorize said school district from time to time to borrow money and to issue its bonds and notes therefor in an amount not in excess of five percent of the last local valuation of the town for the purpose of constructing and equipping a community school building, and other purposes of the district.
- 16 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cost of Administration of Town Affairs.
- 17 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs of the Town Pier.
- 18 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for rebuilding of and repairs of sidewalks.
- 19 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of Village Green.
- 20 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting.
- 21 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate as compensation of duties performed by the Fire Chief.
- 22 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 for the Fire Department.
- 23 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance.
- 24 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the administration of the Board of Health and its services.

- 25 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Nursing Service.
- 26 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of town property.
- 27 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintaining roads.
- 28 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 25 and 26, Chap. 20, R. S. 1944, as amended.
- 29 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal.
- 30 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes.
- 31 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Maintenance.
- 32 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school property and for equipment.
- 33 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate as salary for the Superintendent of Schools.
- 34 To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of interest on town obligations.
- 35 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000 for payment of note when it becomes due.
- 36 To see if the town will vote to fix a date when taxes shall be due and payable and to see if the town will fix a rate of interest to be charged on taxes unpaid after said date.
- 37 To see what percentage the town will vote to deduct from wages of persons working for the town, this deduction to be made periodically and applied on unpaid taxes.

- 38 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make temporary loans not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$5000.00 in anticipation of and to be paid out of current taxes for the municipal year of 1950.
- 39 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell and dispose of all lands held by town liens or other deeds, on such terms as they deem advisable, and execute deeds for such property.
- 40 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Sorrento Volunteer Fire Department to build a fire station on Town Lot No. 1, Sec. N, Div. 1. So called Town Office Lot.
- 41 To see if the town will vote to prohibit the digging of clams for commercial purposes from June 1 to Sept. 30, 1950.
- 42 To see if the town will vote to prohibit the digging of clams by non-residents within the limits of the town of Sorrento.
- 43 To act on any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Community House in Sorrento, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, March 6, 1950, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Sorrento, aforesaid, this twenty-seventh day of February, A.D. 1950.

ELWIN S. PERRY,
EDWARD C. BRAGDON,
PHILIP N. MARTIN JR.,
Selectmen of Sorrento.

CONSTABLE'S RETURN

HANCOCK, ss.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and warned the voters of said Sorrento aforesaid, to meet as directed, by posting an attested copy of the warrant in each of the following places, namely: at the post office and at the town office, so called, in said town, both being public and conspicuous places within said town, on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of February, A.D. 1950, being at least seven days before the said meeting.

PRESCOTT BRIGGS JR.,
Constable.

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