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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Assessors and Other
Officers of the

Town of Island Falls



For the Municipal Year Ending
MARCH 1, 1938

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TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMEN AND ASSESSORS

C. H. Pomeroy James R. Doughty Vinal L. Webb

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

C. H. Pomeroy James R. Doughty Vinal L. Webb
Eoline Thorn Gladness B. Webber

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR

John J. Marr

TOWN CLERK

Seth T. Campbell

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

R. D. Emerson Lida Banton Kenneth H. Palmer

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS

Harry E. Lewin

ASSESSORS REPORT

Number of polls taxed	368
Rate of taxation on polls	3.00
Rate of taxation on other property	.08

 DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Real Estate, Resident	\$260,443.00	
Real Estate, Non-resident	77,753.00	
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		\$338,196.00
Personal Estate, Resident	\$43,975.00	
Personal Estate, Non-resident	15,897.00	
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		59,872.00
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		\$398,068.00

 SCHEDULE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

	No.	Value
Horses	65	\$6,090.00
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	1	50.00
Colts, 2 to 3 years old	1	25.00
Cows	133	3,325.00
Oxen	1	50.00
3 year olds	4	100.00
2 year olds	11	270.00
Poultry	690	345.00
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		\$10,255.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

1 year olds	19	190.00
Sheep	31	155.00
Swine	28	140.00
Poultry	1136	568.00
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		\$1,053.00

ALL OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in trade	\$24,327.00	
Small Boats, 3	150.00	
Musical Instruments, 78	3,900.00	
Radios, 183	4,940.00	
Furniture	6,350.00	
Other Property	9,950.00	
	<hr/>	\$49,617.00
Livestock brought forward		10,255.00
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		\$59,872.00

ASSESSMENTS FOR YEAR 1937

Common Schools	\$4,500.00
High Schools	3,500.00
Text books and supplies	1,000.00
Insurance and lights	550.00
Repairs school buildings	200.00
General Government	3,000.00
Hydrant Rentals	1,650.00
Fire Department	150.00
Street Lights	600.00
Cemetery	50.00
Anti-Tuberculosis Society	25.00

Patrolman State Road	493.80
Roads, Bridges and snow roads	1,000.00
3rd Class Road	111.90
Mothers' Aid	1,200.00
Care of Poor	4,000.00
Town Farm	700.00
Principal Town Debt	2,500.00
Interest	800.00
School Physician	200.00
Advertising	140.00
Abatements and discounts	1,000.00
Memorial Day	15.00
Interest on School Fund	144.00
County Tax	841.64
State Tax	3,614.02
Overlay	964.08
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	\$32,949.44

This amount committed to John J. Marr, Tax
Collector for collection.

C. H. POMEROY

JAMES R. DOUGHTY

VINAL L. WEBB

Assessors.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
Received from:	
Fred McMann, Pool License	10.00
Fred Lacombe, 1936 Poll Tax	3.00
Jas. Portwine, 1936 Poll Tax	3.00
S. T. Campbell, Dog License	4.00

N. C. Grant, Stumpage	6.00
W. L. Main, Circus License	25.00
H. E. A. Dunphy, Victualer's License	1.00
John York, Victualer's License	1.00
Mae Kelso, Victualer's License	1.00
B. E. Hunt, Wood	18.00
Glendon Brittain, 1936 Poll Tax	3.00
Treasurer State, Tax on Bank Stock	134.84
B. M. Bell, Stumpage	15.00
W. D. Webb, Dog Tax	53.00
Enoch Varney, Stumpage	10.00
A. Mitchell, Myshrall Lot	2.67
Wm. McNally, Rent	8.00
J. B. Michaud, Stumpage	7.00
Rev. J. X. Martin, Amusement License	25.00
Van Arnam Minstrels, Amusement License	5.00

\$3,335.51

Paid:

H. E. Lewin, School Supt.	\$456.93
Maine Public Service Co., Siren	30.00
Maine Public Service Co., Supplies	5.15
Postmaster, Envelopes and stamps	54.20
K. Farmers Tel. Co., Telephone	50.85
Selectmen's Expenses	165.79
Dr. C. I. Swett, Health Officer	100.00
Printing and tax books	114.86
William Lord, Road signs	3.00
Robert Gradie, Truant Officer	60.00
Ralph Coburn, Ballot Clerk	3.00
B. C. Walker, Ballot Clerk	3.00
Frt. and express on Surplus Commodities	121.11
R. A. Daggett, Land Damage	15.00
A. Wright, Labor on Dump	8.75

A. Hartin, Labor on Dump	8.75
Ronald Stairs, Labor on Dump	8.75
John Nye, Labor on Dump	8.75
Geo. H. Donham, Labor on Dump	8.00
W. P. Gellerson, Labor on Dump	7.50
Pomeroy and Co., Office Rent	60.00
Katahdin Trust Co., Service Charge	.66
S. R. Crabtree, Collector's Bond	20.00
Aroostook Print Shop, Town Reports	85.70
J. E. James, Sidewalk Rental	10.00
Katahdin Tr. Co., Check Book	1.50
Island Falls Realty Co., Hall Rental	100.00
Gladness Webber, Overseer of the Poor	15.00
J. E. Webb, Repairs on dam	17.00
Rev. P. J. Quigg, 41 Marriages	10.25
Register Deeds, Report on Mortgages	14.00
Treas. State, Porcupine Bounty	77.00
Dewey Webber, Overpaid Excise Tax	6.48
Treasurer State, Dog Tax	64.00
A. D. Brittain, Repairs Grand Stand	1.75
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Supplies	6.22
S. R. Crabtree, Supplies	8.25
George W. Caine, Watchman	8.00
Royal Typewriter Co., Repairs	10.00
S. T. Campbell, Rec. Births, Marriages and Deaths	35.50
S. T. Campbell, Salary Town Clerk	25.00
S. T. Campbell, Legal Services	50.00
John J. Marr, Treasurer	150.00
John J. Marr, Collector	400.00
John J. Marr, Collector Excise Tax	31.10
Register Deeds, Recording 94 Tax Liens	47.00
C. H. Pomeroy, Salary Selectman	400.00
James R. Doughty, Salary Selectman	200.00
Vinal L. Webb	200.00

Unexpended	47.71	
	<hr/>	\$3,335.51

Note:—N. W. Coburn has paid \$10.00 pool tax but
not early enough to be put in this report.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$150.00
Paid;		
Maine P. Service Co., Repairs on Siren	\$ 5.14	
Dolph Dunphy, Fire	1.00	
A. Schurman, Fire	1.00	
B. Corliss, Fire	4.30	
Everett Dunphy, Fire	4.20	
Ralph Coburn, Fire	1.65	
V. Gerow, Fire	4.30	
T. R. Donham, Fire (Boat)	14.00	
I. Bishop, Fire	1.00	
S. R. Crabtree, Supplies	2.50	
A. D. Brittain, Labor on hydrant house	12.25	
Fred Noyes, Lumber on hydrant house	9.75	
G. A. Palmer, Lumber on hydrant house	7.55	
D. D. James, Painting hydrant house	2.00	
W. D. Webb, Labor hydrant house	5.00	
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Supplies hydrant house	3.54	
W. D. Webb, Fire Chief	25.00	
Unexpended	45.82	
	<hr/>	\$150.00

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$600.00	
Overdrawn	14.40	
	<hr/>	\$614.40
Paid: Maine Public Service Co.		614.40

HYDRANT RENTALS

Appropriation	\$1,650.00
Paid Island Falls Water Co.	\$1,650.00

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION

Appropriated	\$25.00	
Due on 1936 Appropriation	25.00	
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Paid: Anti-Tuberculosis Association		\$50.00

MOTHER'S AID

Appropriation	\$1,200.00	
Due State to January 1, 1937	1,221.03	
	<hr/>	\$2,421.03
Paid:		
Treasurer of State	\$1,615.00	
Due State January 1, 1938	806.03	
	<hr/>	\$2,421.03

INTEREST

Appropriation	\$800.00	
Interest School Fund	144.00	
Received from Tax Liens	705.01	
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		\$1,649.01
Paid:		
Katahdin Trust C., Temporary Loans	\$365.00	
Interest on Town Orders	135.82	
George W. York, Temporary Loans	120.00	
Interest Bridge Bonds	123.75	
Interest 1935 State Taxes	314.46	
Interest School Fund	144.00	
Unexpended	445.98	
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		\$1,649.01

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$15.00
Paid: S. R. Crabtree	\$15.00

CEMETERY

Appropriation	\$50.00	
Overdrawn	28.50	
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		\$78.50
Paid:		
George Moore	\$ 6.00	
Paul Kelley	14.00	
A. Wright	6.00	
E. C. Dunphy	2.00	
H. Pelletier	4.00	

Ralph York	3.00
Nelson Kelley	43.50

\$78.50

ABATEMENTS AND DISCOUNT

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Overdrawn	158.60

\$1,158.60

Paid:

George E. Thorn, Error	\$ 8.00
W. L. Brooks, Error	8.00
Ferdie Mitchell, Duplicate Tax	6.40
Damaris Merriman, Duplicate Tax	64.00
William Carson, Old piano	4.00
Lottie Hartin, Rebate	4.00
Island Falls Water Co., Water Tax	400.00
Alphonse Allard, Unable to locate	3.00
Frank Baker, Deceased	3.00
Leo Bishop, Paid in Houlton	3.00
Kenneth Grandeau, Paid in St. Francis	3.00
Thomas Hillman, Paid in Mattawamkeag	3.00
Frank Michaud, Paid in Caswell	3.00
Euclide Michaud, Unable to locate	3.00
Herman Mulligan, In U. S. Navy	3.00
James Paradis, Paid in Fort Fairfield	3.00
Wilson Palmer, Paid in Auugsta	3.00
Morris Shur, In U. S. Army	3.00
L. Shorette, Paid in Smyrna	3.00
Jos. Willette, Address unknown	3.00
Ralph Tompkins, Paid in Sherman	3.00
Frank Beaulieu, Error	9.20
Wallace Carson, Error Radio	2.80

Discount on taxes paid previous to July 1st	610.20	
		\$1,158.60

Since closing the books, Alphonse Allard has paid his tax.

STATE TAX

Appropriation	\$3,614.02	
Appropriation (Patrol)	493.80	
Bal. due to State March 1, 1937	3,250.14	
		\$7,357.96
Paid:		
Treasurer State	\$3,023.76	
Due State on 1936 Tax	226.38	
Due State on 1937 Tax and Patrol	4,107.82	
		\$7,357.96

ROADS, BRIDGES AND SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Appropriation, 3rd Class Road	111.90	
Rec'd. from State Treasurer	622.75	
Rec'd. from B. A. Hoar, Refund	26.60	
Rec'd. from G. A. Hall, Refund	47.60	
Overdrawn	260.64	
		\$2,069.49
Paid:		
George A. Green, Plowing, part 37-38	\$526.00	
Walter Hosford, Labor	13.70	
C. L. Gould, Labor	6.00	

W. D. Webb, Labor	115.00
T. R. Donham, Labor	26.35
Ralph Coburn, Labor	12.60
Geo. H. Donham, Labor	118.30
W. P. Gellerson, Labor	3.60
Geo. A. Green, Labor, Truck	50.75
N. E. Culvert Co., Culvert	12.70
William McGraw, Labor	15.40
Carl Edwards, Labor	150.50
Robert Grady Jr., Labor	19.30
John Webb, Jr., Labor	40.60
Herbert Wing, Labor	61.95
Alfred Schurman, Labor	8.40
E. C. Springer and Son, Repairs	1.25
Palmer and Walker, Gravel	22.17
Fred Noyes, Lumber	17.28
E. C. Dunphy, Labor	1.50
Everett Dunphy, Labor	3.90
State Treasurer, Snow removal	118.00
Fred Paradis, Labor	4.20
Ralph Leavitt, Labor	4.20
Guy McKenzie, Labor, Truck	126.82
Harry McKenzie, Labor, Truck	194.62
Wm. McNally, Labor	57.05
Rupert Wilkins, Labor	31.50
A. Wright, Labor	58.67
B. A. Hoar, Labor	126.30
G. A. Hall, Culvert	37.98
C. G. Schurman, Labor	25.20
William Carson, Labor	1.75
Pearl Desmond, Labor	7.30
Percy Malone, Labor	7.35
B. F. Dunphy, Gravel	7.40
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Supplies	2.50
Ronald Webb, Labor	1.75
Buddy Webb, Labor	2.80

E. Wallace, Labor	2.25	
Gravel from Sewall	24.60	
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		\$2,069.49

SUMMARY OF ROAD WORK

Maintenance	\$109.69	
3rd Class Road	471.48	
50-50 Road	99.80	
Cutting and burning bushes	169.05	
Putting up and taking down snow fence	66.85	
Plowing	526.00	
Snow Removal by State on State road	118.00	
Town Roads, repairs and sanding	508.62	
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		\$2,069.49

COUNTY TAX

Appropriation	\$841.64	
Due County on 1935 Tax	916.03	
Due County on 1936 Tax	916.03	
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		\$2,673.70
Paid:		
County Treasurer	\$ 916.03	
Balance Due County	1,757.67	
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		\$2,673.70

Note: Since the books were closed, we have paid the County Treasurer \$916.03, leaving a balance due the County of \$841.64.

TOWN DEBT

Appropriation		\$2,500.00
Paid:		
Bridge Bond	\$ 500.00	
Unexpended	2,000.00	
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TOWN FARM

Appropriation		\$700.00
Paid:		
Katahdin Farmers Tel. Co.	\$ 5.55	
Harry Bartlett	1.00	
Maine Public Service Co.	7.48	
Alice Pettengill, Supplies	9.50	
Geo. A. Green, Hauling logs	30.00	
William Fowler, Sawing Logs	35.00	
E. C. Springer and Son, Supplies	3.85	
S. R. Crabtree, Insurance and supplies	63.50	
Grange Store, Supplies	48.60	
F. R. Berry, Repairs	5.50	
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Supplies	1.05	
Unexpended	488.97	
	<hr/>	\$700.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriation	\$4,000.00
Received from:	
Town Danforth	100.00
Town Hersey	144.13

Town Ft. Kent	84.15	
Town Ashland	45.00	
Town Sherman	115.97	
Town Oakfield	25.00	
Town Medway	180.06	
Town Limestone	20.00	
State Treasurer	2,532.53	
Overdrawn	599.68	
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		\$7,846.52

Paid:

Veteran No. 1 (State)	\$538.20	\$538.20
Frank Brooks		24.00
C. L. Pettengill, Rent		
John Barrows		222.00
W. H. Averill	198.00	
Dr. E. T. Walsh	24.00	
Charles Dwyer (Orient)		28.00
Dr. G. W. Upton	2.00	
Ernest Markey (Board)	5.00	
R. A. Daggett, Exp. to Hospital	21.00	
Ross Dwyer		33.90
Palmer and Walker, Rent	30.00	
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	3.90	
Leo Campbell		165.72
F. M. Sherman, Milk	24.00	
M. Public Service Co., Rent	45.50	
Alice Pettengill, Clothing	1.92	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	.69	
Dr. F. S. Spratt, Dental	18.00	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	32.48	
S. R. Crabtree, Medicine	6.15	

Town, Wood	8.00	
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Supplies	3.07	
Town Wytovitlock	25.91	
Veteran No. 5 (Paid by State)		230.60
Henry Duncan		135.00
Ernest Markey, Board		
Oscar Garnett		409.51
Paid Town Sherman		
Veteran No. 2		186.02
Paid by State		
Enoch Gower		361.34
Dr. Pomerleau of Waterville	100.00	
Sister's Hospital, Waterville	96.00	
Town Norridgewock	85.22	
Town Sherman	75.25	
Ethel Donham	4.87	
John Lyons		60.50
Dr. C. I. Swett	29.00	
H. Bartlett	6.00	
S. R. Crabtree, medicines	3.00	
Aroostook Hospital	22.50	
Aimee Brassley (Fort Kent)		55.75
Dr. C. I. Swett	25.00	
Town for wood	30.75	
Albert McNally		255.99
C. L. Pettengill and Son	12.18	
J. E. and V. L. Webb	243.81	
Victor Fisher		29.06
J. E. and V. L. Webb	29.06	
Veteran No. 3		129.27
Paid by State		

John Byers		3.00
Dr. C. I. Swett	3.00	
Robert McDuff		88.02
Grange Store	4.77	
Pomeroy and Co.	83.25	
Charles Henderson (Sherman)		181.63
Paid by Sherman	38.31	
Due from Sherman	133.32	
Lumina Pelkey		505.52
Ethel Donham, Clothing	3.00	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	332.52	
Dr. C. I. Swett	109.00	
Dr. Geo. W. Upton	10.00	
Sherman Lbr. Co., Wood	6.50	
Aroostook Hospital	40.00	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	4.50	
Frank Pelkey		91.70
Ernest Markey, Board	90.00	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	1.70	
Ansel Mitchell		50.00
Dr. F. W. Tarbell	25.00	
Dr. C. I. Swett	25.00	
Catherine Russell		10.10
Ethel Donham, Clothing	1.80	
S. R. Crabtree, Medicine	8.30	
Charles Ryan		48.65
Ella Kelley	2.50	
Dr. C. I. Swett	35.00	
Harry Bartlett	6.00	
Island Falls Hdw. Co.	5.15	
Charles Socia		20.64
Pomeroy and Co.	8.24	

Grange Store	12.40	
William Socia		125.18
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	89.78	
F. R. Brown, Rep.	3.00	
Grange Store, Groceries	6.00	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	4.00	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	20.72	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	1.68	
Henry Shorette		400.08
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	27.16	
Sanitarium	287.42	
Dr. A. T. Whitney	16.00	
Grange Store	3.00	
Hospital	66.50	
Roland Peters		84.68
J. E. and V. L. Webb	13.17	
Grange Store	21.51	
Dr. Geo. W. Upton	10.00	
Dr C. I. Swett	40.00	
William Pelkey		50.60
D. H. Powers, Exp. to Hospital	40.60	
Dr. Geo. W. Upton	10.00	
Bert Furrow		68.00
Dr. C. I. Swett	53.00	
Aroostook Hospital	15.00	
Miles Goodall (Hersey)		18.04
Dr. C. I. Swett	6.00	
J. E. and V. L. Webb	12.04	
Amos Brassley		20.98
J. E. and V. L. Webb	3.98	
Grange Store	17.00	

Veteran No. 4		100.40
Paid by State		
James Shaw (State)		814.51
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	10.00	
C. L. Pettengill and Son, Groceries	15.29	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	21.00	
Grange Store, Groceries	85.57	
Hospital	452.50	
Dr. C. I. Swett	181.00	
Dr. A. T. Whitney	12.00	
Ernest Fisher, Taxi	3.00	
Harry Bartlett, Taxi	10.00	
S. R. Crabtree, Medicine	17.65	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	6.50	
William Carson		9.00
Ella Kelley, Rent	9.00	
Albert Clukey (State)		210.86
Town, Wood	45.00	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	12.64	
F. K. Walker, Milk	9.10	
J. E. James, Groceries	19.24	
Grange Store, Groceries	56.87	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	27.01	
Dr. L. C. Tarbell, Dentist	6.00	
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	35.00	
Gusta Socia		66.31
H. Bartlett	6.00	
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	45.96	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	5.63	
J. E. James, Groceries	8.72	
James Portwine		45.47
Ethel Donham, Clothing	12.30	
Hospital	23.00	

S. R. Crabtree, Medicine	3.70	
Grange Store, Groceries	6.47	
Leo Brooks		45.35
Alice Pettengill, Clothing	2.85	
Aroostook Hospital	42.50	
Veteran No. 5		181.17
Paid by State		
John Desmond		135.46
Ethel Donham, Clothing	6.96	
Dr. C. I. Swett	50.00	
Miliken Hospital	53.50	
C. Ryan, Rent	25.00	
William O. Brooks		80.44
Paid City of Rockland		
Frank Zimmons		70.00
Paid Millinocket		
Fred McFarland		23.00
Dunn Furniture Co., Ambulance	8.00	
Aroostook Hospital	15.00	
Mrs. Addie Toner		16.26
F. M. Sherman and Son, Milk	10.14	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	3.20	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	2.92	
Roy Fredericks		30.96
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	3.96	
Grange Store, Groceries	2.00	
Dr. F. W. Tarbell	25.00	
Ensley Parker (Oakfield)		68.30
Mrs. Russell, Board	60.00	
S. R. Crabtree, Medicine	2.30	
H. W. Bartlett, Taxi	6.00	

Raymond O'Hara		18.14
Grange Store, Groceries	12.88	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	5.26	
Wilbur Dumont		10.00
Grange Store		
B. F. Dunphy		88.50
Dr. C. I. Swett	50.00	
Aroostook Hospital	38.50	
H. L. Burleigh (Medway)		180.56
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	84.00	
Town, Wood	40.50	
Island Falls Hdw. Co., Spls.	3.90	
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	28.58	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	3.98	
Palmer and Walker, Rent	15.00	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	4.60	
Levi Reed		87.00
Dr. C. I. Swett	50.00	
Milliken Hospital	37.00	
Earle Hall (Moro)		75.75
Dr. C. I. Swett	26.00	
Milliken Hospital	49.75	
James Harris Family		145.48
Paid City of Bangor		
James Black (Clara)		238.50
Paid Millinocket	82.85	
Paid State Treasurer	155.65	
Roy Thompson (Limestone)		25.00
Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	25.00	
Charles O'Hara (State)		30.15
Grange Store, Groceries	5.00	

Pomeroy and Co., Groceries	5.00	
J. E. and V. L. Webb, Groceries	10.00	
J. J. Marr, Clothing	5.25	
Dr. C. I. Swett	2.00	
Ethel Donham, Clothing	2.90	
Joseph Green		5.30
F. R. Brown, Repairs	1.05	
S. Burpee, Wood	2.50	
J. H. Hunt, Repairs	1.75	
Joe Mulligan		3.75
J. J. Marr, Clothing	3.75	
Peter Fisher		16.42
Bertha Joslyn, Rent	8.00	
Grange Store, Groceries	8.42	
James Main (Crystal)		8.00
Town, Wood	8.00	
Alfred Paradis		50.00
Dr. C. I. Swett	50.00	
Percy Malone (Dyer Brook)		50.00
Dr. C. I. Swett	50.00	
Tramps		34.80
Dr. C. I. Swett, Poor Contract		250.00
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		\$7,846.52

There is due the poor account as follows:

State	355.45	
Other Towns	295.66	
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		\$651.11

In addition to the above poor account, we also received more than \$4,000 from the State as Emergency Aid.

WOOD OPERATION

Paid:	
Stumpage and Labor	\$2,995.11
Sold:	
For Cash	\$1,410.94
Due from School	411.71
Bills receivable	613.70
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	\$2,436.35
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	\$ 558.76

Wood Donated as Follows:

	Cords
Jos. Green	5½
Mrs. Toner	4
Chas. Ryan	1
Levi Reed	½
Catherine Russell	5
Leo Campbell	9½
Raymond O'Hara	4
J. McLaughlin, Sr.	1
Lewis Curry	1
Victor Fisher	4
Lumina Pelkey	16¾
Jas. Portwine	7½
Ross Dwyer	1
Frank Grammou	2
Gusta Socia	5
William Socia	11½
William Emmett	1½
Peter Fisher	2
J. McLaughlin, Jr.	2
C. Willette	2½
C. W. Dunphy	1
A. Wright	½

Roy Fredericks
Town Office

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Wood on Hand

94 $\frac{3}{4}$ cds.
197 5-6 cds.

The wood account is still open and being carried on at the date of closing the books.

LIABILITIES

Katahdin Trust Co.	\$6,000.00
George W. York	2,000.00
Ministerial School Fund	2,400.00
Randall Bridge Bonds	2,500.00
County Tax Balance	1,757.67
State Tax Balance	4,107.82
Bills Payable	1,108.01
Town Orders Outstanding	7,299.71

\$27,173.21

ASSETS

Cash and Orders on Hand	\$3,148.39
Henry George, Stumpage	2.00
John W. Carr, Wood	10.00
Town Crystal, Tuition	67.32
Cecil N. Walker, Tuition	53.34
W. J. Tucker, Tuition	16.67
Town Dyer Brook, Tuition	410.33
H. L. Thomas, Tuition	31.67
Town Eagle Lake, Tuition	128.20
C. C. Young, Tuition	562.29
W. D. Corliss, Tuition	75.00

Town Hersey, Tuition	100.00	
Town New Limerick, Poor	135.43	
Town Orient, Poor	28.00	
Town Hersey, Poor	18.04	
Town Oakfield, Poor	43.30	
Town Moro, Poor	75.75	
Town Crystal, Poor	116.45	
Town Dyer Brook, Poor	100.00	
Tax Deeds and Liens on hand	19,234.69	
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		24,356.87
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Liabilities over Assets		\$ 2,816.34

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Commitment, Property	\$31,845.44	
Commitment, Polls	1,104.00	
Supplementary, Property	300.80	
Supplementary, Polls	27.00	
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		\$33,277.24
Paid during discount period	\$14,644.70	
Amount of Discount	610.20	
Abatements including W. Tax	539.40	
Tax Liens	4,079.50	
Collected after July 1	13,403.44	
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		\$33,277.24

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand Feb. 16, 1937 \$1,231.81

Received:

Tax Deeds and Liens	6,810.19
Interest	705.01
Supplies	98.59
Pool Table License	10.00
Support of Poor	3,246.84
Victualer's License	3.00
Wood	1,428.94
Excise Taxes	1,710.21
1936 Poll Taxes	9.00
Ground Rent	25.00
Roads and Bridges	74.20
Tax Collections	29,197.74
Dog Tax	57.00
Temporary Loan	1,000.00
Stumpage	38.00
50-50 Roads	49.90
Amusement Licenses	55.00
Sale of House (on acct.)	2.67
Common Schools	144.00
Tuition	1,803.77
House Rent	8.00
Snow Removal	118.00
Maintenance Unimproved Roads	25.24
Back Taxes	34.15
Tax on Bank Stock	134.84
Third Class Roads	429.61
Equalization Fund	1,243.00

\$49,693.71

Paid:

Town Orders and Warrants of Selectmen	\$48,756.62
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Town Orders (other towns) on hand	735.16
Equalization Fund on hand	788.70
Cash on hand Feb. 23, 1938	2,413.23
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	\$49,693.71

JOHN J. MARR, Treasurer.

Tax Deeds and Liens on Hand Previous to
Feb. 23, 1938

Joseph Alberts	L	2-25-35	11.15
do.	L	1-21-36	32.14
do.	L	2-16-37	36.15
Geo. Auber	L	1-21-35	15.30
Benj. Barker	D	2- 5-29	7.87
do.	D	2-27-30	16.74
do.	D	2-27-31	17.80
do.	D	2-29-32	18.21
Peter Brassley	D	2- 9-32	18.21
do.	L	2-16-37	14.10
John Byers	D	3- 5-28	9.87
do.	D	2- 5-29	16.52
do.	D	2-27-30	15.22
do.	D	2-27-31	16.17
Aimee Brassley	L	2-16-37	16.20
Joseph Berger	D	2-28-33	37.03
Joseph Bishop	L	1-21-35	23.15
Clarence Brown	L	1-21-35	61.35
P. E. Craig	L	1-21-36	48.66
Jens Carstensen	D	2-28-30	22.24
do.	D	2-28-31	23.43
Ola Rivet Carnac	D	2-28-31	298.98
do.	D	2-28-33	372.54
do.	L	1-23-34	283.34
do.	L	1-21-35	321.40
do.	L	1-21-36	330.54
do.	L	2-16-37	321.40

Maude Chapados	L	1-21-35	29.92
do.	L	1-21-36	16.30
do.	L	2-16-37	18.30
do.	L	2-16-37	18.30
do.	L	2-16-37	9.90
do.	L	2-16-37	7.80
do.	L	2-16-37	32.65
John W. Carr	L	2-25-35	20.40
do.	L	1-21-36	20.90
do.	L	2-16-37	20.40
Andrew Carstensen	D	2-29-32	44.17
do.	D	2-28-33	38.34
do.	L	1-21-36	30.30
do.	L	2-16-37	22.50
N. C. Clark	L	1-21-35	4.65
do.	L	1-21-36	4.74
do.	L	2-16-37	4.65
Burwell Donovan	D	2- 5-29	14.35
Frank Dickinson	D	2-28-33	34.97
do.	L	1-23-34	26.72
do.	L	1-21-35	31.95
do.	L	1-21-36	32.82
Pearl Drew	D	2-28-33	11.05
do.	L	1-23-24	4.96
do.	L	1-21-35	7.10
do.	L	1-21-36	7.26
do.	L	2-16-37	7.10
C. W. Dunphy	D	2-28-33	16.21
do.	L	1-23-24	8.99
do.	L	1-21-35	11.65
John Demond	L	1-21-36	29.58
Leo Dwyer	D	2-28-30	7.70
do.	D	2-27-31	7.85
Christine Donham	L	1-21-36	6.90
do.	L	2-16-37	6.75
J. E. Dow	L	1-21-36	13.02
do.	L	2-16-37	12.70
Cleve Dearborn	L	2-16-37	85.65
John Emery	L	1-21-36	15.90
Emerson Bros.	L	1-21-36	32.42
Doris P. Emerson	D	2-28-33	24.88
do.	L	1-21-35	19.00
do.	L	1-21-36	19.50
do.	L	2-16-37	19.00

Delmont Emerson and Son	L	1-24-36	227.74
do.	L	1-21-36	5.10
Walter Estabrooks	D	2-28-33	42.20
do.	L	1-23-34	31.85
do.	L	1-21-35	40.70
do.	L	1-21-36	41.82
do.	L	2-16-37	40.70
Emerson Bros.	L	2-16-37	22.50
Reginald Fisher	L	2-16-37	26.00
B. F. Green	L	2-16-37	31.00
C. T. Gould	D	2-28-33	42.13
do.	D	2-29-32	12.27
do.	L	1-23-34	28.52
do.	L	1-21-35	8.50
do.	L	1-21-35	33.70
do.	L	1-21-36	8.70
do.	L	1-21-36	34.62
do.	L	2-16-37	33.70
Ray Glidden	D	2-28-33	29.62
do.	L	1-23-34	23.56
do.	L	1-21-35	28.10
do.	L	1-21-36	28.86
Harrison Grant	L	1-21-36	15.90
Roy George	L	1-21-35	14.45
do.	L	1-21-36	14.82
do.	L	2-16-37	14.45
Jos. Green	D	2-29-32	18.21
G. A. Green	L	1-23-34	4.96
do.	L	1-23-34	4.25
do.	L	1-21-35	62.75
do.	L	1-21-35	103.70
do.	L	1-21-36	106.62
do.	L	1-21-36	64.50
do.	L	2-16-37	103.70
do.	L	2-16-37	62.75
Hugh Graham	D	2-28-33	54.38
do.	L	2-16-37	49.80
J. P. Given	L	1-23-34	20.15
do.	L	1-21-35	24.25
do.	L	1-21-36	24.90

Stanley Hinch	D	2-28-33	56.99
do.	L	1-23-34	151.28
do.	L	1-21-35	172.30
do.	L	1-21-36	177.18
do.	L	2-16-37	172.30
Forest Hartin	L	1-21-35	33.35
do.	L	2-16-37	34.25
Chas. Henderson	D	2-28-33	16.21
do.	L	1-23-34	9.30
do.	L	1-21-35	12.00
do.	L	1-21-36	12.30
do.	L	2-16-37	12.00
Bert Hoar	D	2-28-33	22.78
Paul Hart	L	1-21-35	5.00
Effie Hersey	L	1-21-35	10.95
do.	L	2-16-37	10.95
Stanley Heath	L	1-21-35	45.95
Horace Holmes	L	1-21-35	5.00
J. H. Hunt	L	1-21-36	30.30
do.	L	2-16-37	29.50
Heirs of Eugene Kelley	L	1-23-34	206.36
do.	L	1-21-35	257.00
do.	L	1-21-36	264.30
do.	L	2-16-37	257.00
Katahdin Trust Co.	L	2-16-37	15.50
John H. Lane	L	1-21-36	49.44
do.	L	2-16-37	50.15
F. L. Leavitt	D	2-29-32	48.68
do.	D	2-28-33	24.25
do.	L	1-23-34	32.86
do.	L	1-21-35	38.60
do.	L	1-21-36	39.66
do.	L	2-16-37	38.60
Ansel Lumbert	D	2-29-32	434.92
do.	D	2-28-33	372.54
do.	L	1-23-34	240.37
Dev. of Ansel Lumbert	L	1-21-35	321.40
do.	L	1-21-36	330.54
do.	L	2-16-37	321.40
John Lyons	L	2-16-37	8.50
Ira Moore	D	2-28-33	9.48
do.	L	1-21-36	6.90
do.	L	2-16-37	6.75

John B. Michaud	L	1-23-34	20.46
do.	L	1-21-35	24.60
do.	L	1-24-36	1.26
do.	L	2-16-37	24.60
do.	L	2-16-37	80.95
LeRoy Morgan	D	2-29-32	27.44
do.	D	2-28-33	24.24
do.	L	1-23-34	15.50
do.	L	1-21-35	19.00
do.	L	1-21-36	19.50
do.	L	2-16-37	19.00
Howard McCue	L	2-16-37	103.70
Chas. McGraw	D	2-28-33	67.68
do.	L	1-21-35	1.50
do.	L	1-21-36	64.50
do.	L	2-16-37	62.75
Fred McFarlin	D	3- 1-23	4.85
do.	D	3- 5-28	17.71
do.	D	2-28-31	19.45
do.	D	2-29-32	20.09
Daniel McFarland	D	2- 5-29	25.55
do.	D	2-27-30	24.36
do.	D	2-28-31	26.01
Heirs of do.	D	2-29-32	26.87
Bertha Mooney	L	1-21-36	22.38
H. G. May	L	1-21-36	19.86
do.	L	2-16-37	30.90
Dev. of C. S. Perry	L	1-23-34	87.52
do.	L	1-21-35	5.00
do.	L	1-21-35	109.65
do.	L	1-21-36	31.74
Henry Pelkey Jr.	D	2-29-32	10.66
do.	D	2-28-33	13.34
Mrs. Lumina Pelkey	D	2-29-32	25.18
do.	D	2-28-33	14.30
Fred Pipes	D	2- 5-29	14.79
do.	D	2-27-30	14.57
do.	D	2-28-31	11.24
A. D. Perry	D	2-28-33	32.90
Mrs. H. E. Peters	D	2-28-33	42.85
Hannah Peters	L	1-21-36	48.66
do.	L	2-16-37	47.35

S. B. Perry	D	2-28-33	121.40
do.	L	1-23-34	105.40
do.	L	1-21-35	21.10
do.		do.	11.30
do.		do.	35.80
do.		do.	18.65
do.		do.	39.65
do.	L	1-21-36	122.46
do.	L	2-16-37	32.65
do.		do.	17.25
do.		do.	26.00
do.		do.	8.50
do.		do.	15.50
Alberta Paul	L	1-21-35	187.00
H. E. Robinson	L	1-24-36	7.62
Orrin Russell	D	2-28-31	16.17
Mrs. Orrin Russell	D	2-29-32	16.66
Levi Reed	L	1-23-34	10.85
do.	L	1-21-35	13.75
do.	L	1-21-36	14.10
do.	L	2-16-37	13.75
Chas. Socia	L	1-23-34	16.43
do.	L	1-21-35	15.15
do.	L	1-21-35	6.40
do.	L	1-21-36	15.54
do.	L	1-21-36	6.54
do.	L	2-16-37	20.05
Alice Shorette	L	2-16-37	89.70
Wm. Socia	D	2- 5-29	10.17
do.	D	2-29-32	8.00
A. J. Springer	D	2-28-33	21.67
Martha Sherwood	D	3- 5-28	14.83
do.	D	2- 5-29	16.32
do.	D	2-27-30	15.77
do.	D	2-28-31	16.17
Heirs of do.	D	2-29-32	16.66
J. W. Steen	D	2-28-33	18.75
Manford Sprague	L	1-23-34	18.07
Wendell Spearen	L	1-23-34	14.75
W. W. Sewall Estate	D	2-28-33	50.81
do.	D	2-29-32	79.92

Fred Sewall	D	2-29-32	222.40
do.	D	2-28-34	241.97
do.	L	1-23-34	191.58
do.	L	1-21-35	133.80
do.		do.	85.50
do.		do.	8.50
do.		do.	15.50
do.		do.	36.50
do.	L	1-21-36	37.50
do.		do.	15.90
do.		do.	8.70
do.		do.	87.90
do.		do.	137.58
do.	L	2-16-37	133.80
do.		do.	85.50
do.		do.	8.50
do.		do.	3.30
Mary A. Sewall	L	1-23-34	135.22
Heirs of do.	L	1-21-35	141.50
do.	L	1-21-36	145.50
do.	L	2-16-37	141.50
Merrill Sewall	L	1-21-35	92.50
do.		do.	2.90
do.		do.	13.05
do.	L	1-21-36	95.10
do.		do.	13.38
do.		do.	2.94
do.	L	2-16-37	14.45
do.		do.	92.50
R. W. Shaw	L	1-21-35	17.25
do.	L	1-21-36	17.70
do.	L	2-16-37	17.25
Wm. St. John	L	1-21-35	37.55
do.	L	1-21-36	33.58
Geo. Small	L	1-21-35	35.80
do.	L	1-21-36	36.78
Stanley Twombly	D	2-29-32	30.25
do.	D	2-28-33	26.49
do.	L	21-36	24.54
W. W. Townsend	L	1-24-36	34.26
E. M. Wallace	D	2-28-33	11.73
do.	L	1-21-35	8.50
do.	L	1-21-36	8.70

Lloyd Wallace	L	1-21-35	22.45
do.	L	1-21-36	25.62
do.	L	2-16-37	24.95
Roland Wilkins	D	2-29-32	38.52
do.	D	2-28-33	31.62
do.	L	1-23-34	20.77
do.	L	2-25-35	24.95
do.	L	2-21-36	25.62
do.	L	2-16-37	24.95
B. C. and G. E. Walker	D	2-27-30	64.67
Herbert Wing	D	2-29-32	19.72
V. L. and J. E. Webb	L	1-21-36	14.46
Dev. of J. H. White	L	2-16-37	37.85
Frank Zimmerman	D	2- 5-29	10.17
do.	D	2-28-31	9.60
do.	D	2-29-32	10.22
do.	L	1-23-34	4.65
do.	L	1-21-35	6.75
do.	L	1-21-36	6.90
do.	L	2-16-37	6.75
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			\$15,015.69

Tax Liens Received From the Tax Collector Feb. 1938

Rebecca Alexander	\$146.50
Joseph Alberts	41.10
Leo Brooks	39.90
B. M. Bell	47.50
Fred Bishop	24.30
Aimee Brassley	18.30
Bessie Barker	15.90
Peter Brassley	15.90
Stephen Burpee	121.50
Geo. Chapados	69.50
do.	15.90

Maude Chapados	25.50
do.	11.10
do.	20.70
do.	20.70
Heirs of Andrew Carstenson	22.15
John W. Carr	23.10
John Demond	32.70
Cleve Dearborn	111.10
do.	52.30
Cyril Drew	12.30
John Duncan	22.70
W. F. Estabrooks	33.30
Doris P. Emerson	21.50
John Emery	23.90
Hugh Graham	56.70
B. F. Green	69.50
C. T. Gould	83.90
do.	9.50
do.	38.30
Geo. A. Green	71.50
do.	118.30
Jos. P. Given	27.50
Effie Hersey	12.30
J. H. Hunt	33.50
Chas. Henderson	13.50
Sterling Hartin	15.90
Bertha L. Joslyn	6.30
Victor King	15.10
F. L. Leavitt	43.90
John Lyons	9.50
Milliken Memorial Hospital	41.50
Percy Malone	27.50
Peter Moran	13.50
H. G. May	35.10
John McLaughlin Jr.	15.10
Estate of John Mogul	36.30

Ferdie Mitchell	77.10
Leonard Mack	15.90
Harry McKenzie	180.90
Frank Martin	37.50
Ira M. Morse	7.50
J. J. Michaud	116.15
John Michaud	92.30
F. W. Pomeroy	68.70
Pomeroy and Co.	73.50
S. B. Perry	25.50
do.	29.50
do.	55.10
Hannah Peters	53.90
Claude Randall	105.50
Levi Reed	15.50
F. S. Sewall	248.70
do.	9.50
do.	11.50
Merrill Sewall	105.50
do.	3.10
do.	14.70
Wm. St. John	42.70
Heirs of F. J. Schneider	90.70
Alice Shorette	102.30
Hollis Tedford	14.70
Geo. E. Walker	98.70
do.	33.90
E. M. Wallace	9.50
Roland Wilkins	28.30
Lloyd Wallace	28.30
Albert Young	21.50
N. C. Clark	5.10
Pearl Drew	7.90
Emery Dow	14.30
Reginald Fisher	29.50
Daniel I. Gould	9.50

John H. Lane	57.10	
Haley McLaughlin	5.50	
Lucia Mitchell	96.30	
Guy Nichols	60.70	
Heirs of C. S. Perry	118.30	
Edw. Quinlan	11.50	
Heirs of Mary Sewall	161.50	
Chas. Shorette Jr.	17.10	
James M. White	15.50	
Leo Whelan	7.50	
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		\$4,219.00
Tax Deeds and Liens on hand Feb. 16, 1937		22,318.51
Received from tax collector Feb. 23, 1938		4,219.00
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		26,537.51
Paid on Tax Liens		6,810.19
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		19,727.32
Discount		492.63
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Deeds and Liens on hand Feb. 23, 1938		\$19,234.69

JOHN J. MARR, Treasurer.

SUMMARY

Account	Appropriation	Other-Sources	Available	Expended	Overdrawn	Unexpended
General Government	\$3,000.00	\$ 335.51	\$ 3,335.51	\$ 3,287.80		\$ 47.71
Street Lights	600.00		600.00	614.40	\$ 14.40	
Hydrant Rental	1,650.00		1,650.00	1,650.00		
Mothers' Aid	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,615.00	415.00	
Interest	800.00	\$49.01	1,649.01	1,203.03		445.98
Memorial Day	15.00		15.00	15.00		
Cemetery	50.00		50.00	78.20	28.50	
Abatements and Discounts	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,158.60	158.60	
Roads and Bridges	1,000.00	\$08.85	1,808.85	2,069.49	260.64	
Town Farm	700.00		700.00	211.03		488.97
Support of Poor	1,000.00	3,246.84	7,246.84	7,846.52	599.68	
T. B. Prevention	25.00	25.00	50.00	50.00		
Fire Department	150.00		150.00	104.18		45.82
General School	9,000.00	5,472.76	14,472.76	14,507.32	34.56	
Specific School	950.00	25.00	975.00	885.44		89.56
Town Debt	2,500.00		2,500.00	500.00		2,000.00
State Tax	3,614.02		3,614.02	3,023.76		590.26
Patrol	493.80		493.80			493.80
County Tax	841.64		841.64	916.03	74.39	
3rd Class Road	111.90		111.90	111.90		
Advertising	140.00		140.00			140.00
School Fund Int.	144.00		144.00	144.00		
Overlay	964.08		964.08			964.08
Totals	\$32,949.34	\$10,762.97	\$43,712.41	\$39,992.00	\$1,585.77	\$5,306.18
		Check:	\$43,712.41	\$5,306.18		
			39,992.00	1,585.77		
			3,720.41	\$3,720.41		

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens and the Superintending School Committee:

I have the honor to submit herewith my sixth annual report of the condition of Island Falls schools, together with a detailed statement of school finances and data relative to enrollment and employees.

This year has been a productive one for our schools. Due to the greatly increased amount of Equalization money made available by the State through the efforts of Commissioner Packard, we have been enabled to re-establish the commercial course in the high school, and to add one much needed teacher in the Junior High School. The salaries of these two new teachers and the equipment necessary for the commercial courses will be paid from the "new" state money and necessitates no additional appropriations from local sources.

During the year the high school pupils earned a Keystone motion picture machine through selling of magazine subscriptions. This machine will become a valuable tool in instruction as soon as the right sources of film rental are investigated and decided upon.

In the common school branch of our schools a problem has been the teaching of spelling and English. After considerable investigation on the part of the teachers and superintendent, workbooks were introduced in both English and Spelling. The results of these classes have not been checked as yet but reports reaching the superintendent from the teachers tend to show marked improvement in these two essential courses.

The health of the pupils in both schools remains at its high standard and under the close supervision of the

school physician, Dr. Swett. No epidemic diseases have appeared throughout the year and the attendance has been good.

Teaching Force

Following this report is a tabulation of all the teachers showing training experience, salary and other data. The worth of any school system is determined by the teachers. We are fortunate in Island Falls in holding most of our teachers for a period of years. In a one-teacher rural school it may be well to have a change in teachers rather frequently, but in a graded system where the pupils meet a new personality each year a faculty that does not change is better for it tends to stabilize the instruction and the teachers grow to know what the grades above expect from their promotions.

In the graded system this year are two new teachers. Miss Gregg was elected to replace Miss MacKenzie upon the latter's resignation last Spring. Miss Gregg is capable, popular and has her daily work thoroughly prepared before school starts. Miss Erskine, in the first grade, brings to Island Falls a wealth of training and experience and, in this critical position, we are fortunate in having such a teacher. Trained in normal school, college summer schools and in Perry Kindergarten school, Miss Erskine is probably one of the best first grade teachers in the county and under her guidance the beginners are making fine progress.

In the Junior-Senior high school branch, Island Falls lost every teacher but Mr. Cough, the principal, last spring. Such a turn over of teachers is not good for a school but due to the re-organized courses and the introduction of the commercial course, no better year could have been chosen, had we the choice, than this year. The training and experience of the new teachers in this school

are in the tabulation hereunder and need not be gone into here except to say that the school is now better organized, offers a much wider choice of subjects, and is a more finished high school than for several years past. The skill of Mr. Cough in re-organizing a new faculty is highly commendable. He has inspired loyalty and unity of purpose in these new teachers and the organization as a whole is now running smoothly and efficiently.

The student body of the school maintains the high standards always connected with Island Falls High. Without a loyal and unified student body the best of schools may fail. The pupils in Island Falls High believe in the school and all its stands for and this tribute is paid them because they deserve it. In my wide experience with school boys and girls over the State, I have yet to come in contact with a better student body.

Finances

To the taxpayer the most important part of any school system is the cost. This year it has cost us \$7471.89 to educate the 326 boys and girls classified as "common school" pupils in the lower eight grades. This makes the average yearly cost for teachers, supplies and textbooks, \$23.10. On a daily basis, it costs Island Falls 12.8 cents to send a child to school one day. The State average this year for the common schools is \$36.92 per pupil per year.

In the High School we have expended for all school purposes the sum of \$7,035.43 to educate 102 high school pupils. This means \$68.97 per pupil for the year while the State average for the past year was \$60.97.

Due to the favorable action of the special session of the legislature on the school bill, so-called, Island Falls received a large apportionment of this new equalization

money. This money is apportioned on the basis of tax rate for schools as compared with the State average for schools as well as a comparison between the whole tax rates of the various towns and the state average. This year the rate for Schools in Island Falls was .01827 while the State average for Schools was .01243; the local tax rate was .068 while the State average was .05736.

Equipment

The buildings are in good shape. Mr. Gradie as janitor is able and faithful and saves the town money by being able to do much of the minor repairing himself rather than hiring it done. As attendance officer he checks on the absence and tardiness of pupils, and the good record of attendance is helped by his work.

All employees enjoy Island Falls and are working together to give the schools and the children in them the best possible educational advantages. We all appreciate the town's loyalty to the schools and pledge the continuance of our best efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. LEWIN

Superintendent of Schools

TEACHERS OF THE ISLAND FALLS SCHOOLS

Name	Position Salary	Training and Experience	Years Experience	Years In Town
Mary A. Erskine of Presque Isle	Grade 1 \$648 00	A. S. N. S. of Presque Isle; Perry Kindergarten Training School; Sum- mer sessions at Castine, Boston University and Columbia University. Year's travel through China and Japan	8	1
Gladness B. Webber of Island Falls	Grade 2 \$612 00	Five Summer Sessions. Two at Presque Isle, Two at Castine; One at Gorham	20	20
Gemma M. Maynard of Island Falls	Grade 3 \$612 00	A S N S of Presque Isle, graduate	14	9
Avis L. Gregg of Mapleton	Grade 4 \$576 00	A S N S. of Presque Isle, graduate	3	1
Freda L. Hunt of Patten	Grade 5 \$612.00	A S N S of Presque Isle, graduate	5	2
Elsie P. Appleby of Island Falls	Grade 6 \$612 00	W S N S. of Machias, 1 year: Two summer sessions, one at Presque Isle and one at Gorham	20	17
Eeverly J. Soper of Newport	Junior High \$720 00	Gorham Normal graduate	4	1
Joseph J. Wagnis	Junior High \$900 00	Farmington 3 years, Graduate in 1934; U. of M. summer School.	2	1

Dorothy L. Morse of Jay	I. F. H. S. \$720.00	Boston University Graduate, BS in Ed., Farmington Normal School, 3 years, graduate; Summer sessions at Boston University	5	1
Mollis S. Goodwin	I. F. H. S. \$720.00	Smith College, AB. in 1933	1	1
Hester L. Carter of Hancock	I. F. H. S. \$720.00	U. of M., AB dergee; Maine School of Commerce graduate.	2	1
Ralph R. White of New Haven, Conn.	I. F. H. S. \$1,080.00	Wesleyan University AB Degree in 1931; Yale University School of Education, 2 years. Yale Summer Normal school. Three years experience as educational advisor in CCC Camps in Connecticut	4	1
F. Reginald Cough of Bar Harbor	I. F. H. S., Principal \$1,600.00	Holy Cross College, AB degree in 1927	8	8

Enrollment of Pupils by Grades, Fall Term 1937

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	total
Boys	17	26	17	23	22	23	24	18	17	11	10	12	220
Girls	25	12	13	19	22	18	22	25	17	13	14	8	208
Total	42	38	30	42	44	41	46	43	34	24	24	20	428

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

AVAILABLE

Accounts	Common Schools	High School	Textbooks & Supply	Totals
Appropriations	\$4,500.00	\$3,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$9,000.00
Transferred from Insurance and Lights			62.40	62.40
State School Fund	1,041.54	734.44	616.52	2,392.50
Equalization Fund	400.00	693.00	150.00	1,243.00
Interest	144.00			144.00
Tuition, Mis. Recpt's.	296.67	888.75	121.17	1,306.59
Unexpended, 1937	184.91	104.27	35.09	324.27
Overdrawn		34.56		34.56
Totals	\$6,567.12	\$5,955.02	\$1,985.18	\$14,507.32

EXPENDED

Teachers' Wages	\$4,805.80	\$4,285.33	CST	\$584.78	\$9,675.91
Fuel	227.00	845.60	CSS	319.99	1,392.59
Janitor & Cleaning	37.95	824.00	HST	381.37	1,243.41
Conveyance	1,496.37		HSS	699.04	2,195.41
Totals	\$6,567.12	\$5,955.02		\$1,985.18	\$14,507.32

Note: Included in the \$845.60 expenditure for High School Fuel above is \$298.00 for next year's fuel supply. This was paid as a convenience to the men who wished to apply this sum on the 1937-38 tax. In the High School supply entry of \$699.04 is included \$87.27 on the telephone and other small items supplied by Island Falls for the School Union. This money has been paid back to Island Falls in part and the balance is now payable. These payments are listed in the money available under "Misc. Receipts."

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Teachers Wages and Board

Common		High School	
John B. Jasper	\$444.50	F. R. Cough	\$1,452.40
Isabel Buck	244.40	Amelia M. Bliss	304.00
Elsie P. Appleby	596.00	Jane Chase	273.80
Gladness B. Webber	596.00	Alice Bocquel	280.00
Gemma M. Maynard	566.20	Andrew Carstenson	22.20
Marion MacKenzie	243.20	State of Maine	110.00
Mary J. Schurman	256.00	William Cockburn	369.43
Mary S. Berry (Sub)	42.00	Dorothy Morse	380.00
Freda Hunt	554.20	Hester L. Carter	400.00
Dorothy Galliger (Sub)	21.00	Mollie S. Goodwin	380.00
Christine Donham (Sub)	3.00	Joseph Wagnis	142.50
Virginia Martin (Sub)	15.00	Ralph White	171.00
State of Maine	106.30		
Beverly Soper	400.00		\$4,285.33
Avis L. Gregg	320.00		
Mary A. Erskine	342.00		
Doris A. Lewin	50.00		

\$4,805.80

FUEL

Common		High School	
C. E. Townsend	\$68.00	E. M. Wallace	\$63.50
Town of Island Falls	150.00	Ferdie Mitchell	44.80
Lewis Walker	9.00	R. A. Daggett	216.50
		Clair Sherman	86.50
	\$227.00	George Moore	25.00
		Robert Wardwell	3.70
		Frank Coburn	3.00
		Vinal Whitney	6.00
		J. E. & V. L. Webb	100.00
		Town of Island Falls	147.00
		H. C. Pettingill	6.00
		W. P. Gellerson	3.60
		George Caine	104.00
		Lewis Walker	36.00

\$845.60

CLEANING

Common		High School	
Bessie Landers	\$20.35	Robert R. Gradie	\$762.49
Helen Gray	17.60	Isadore Dyer	17.60
		Clifford Hawkes	10.00
	\$37.95	Oden Gradie	14.00
		Robert R. Gradie, Jr.	20.00

CONVEYANCE

Common		High School	
John Webb	\$900.00		
Hollis Moore	195.00		
Wilbur Albert	90.00		
Gladness Webber	37.00		
Cecil Walker	140.00		
K. H. Palmer, Insurance	70.67		
H. H. Hoar, Repairs	33.70		
Clarence Gould	30.00		
	\$1,496.37		

\$824.09

TUITION ACCOUNTS		MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS	
RECEIVABLE			
High School			
Eagle Lake	\$65.00	Sherman, Union Office	\$12.29
Dyer Brook	65.00	Merrill, Union	24.99
Hersey	260.00	Crystal, Union	17.85
C. C. Young	40.00	Smyrna, Union	14.28
Crystal	413.75	Dyer Brook, Union	10.71
H. L. Thomas	45.00	Silver Ridge, Union	7.15
		F. R. Cough, Toll Calls	8.25
		F. R. Cough	.55
		Rochester Germicide Co.	6.38
	\$888.75	Jane Chase	8.50
Common School		Alice Bocquel	6.57
H. L. Thomas	\$13.33	Stora Emmett	.10
Crystal	213.33	Elsie Appleby	1.49
C. N. Walker	53.34	Freda Hunt	2.00
W. J. Tucker	16.67		
			\$121.17
	\$296.67		

EXPENDITURES. TEXT AND SUPPLY

TEXTBOOKS		TEXTBOOKS	
Common		High School	
Ginn & Company	\$143.60	Ginn & Company	\$116.10
American Book Co.	15.29	American Book Co.	44.21
Allyn & Bacon	82.25	Houghton Mifflin	42.44
The Macmillan Co.	50.18	McCormick Mathers	11.56
Lyon & Carnahan	30.58	Allyn & Bacon	124.93
Webster Pub. Co.	13.62	J. B. Lippincott	1.55
Houghton Mifflin Co.	73.48	Scott Foresman Co.	40.58
R. H. Hinckley Co.	48.20		
Silver Burdett & Co.	18.02		\$381.37
Scott Foresman Co.	9.64		
Word Book Co.	23.92		
Amer. Ed. Press Inc.	76.00		
	\$584.78		

SUPPLIES

Common	
Maine Public Service Co.	63.83
J. L. Hammett Co.	37.87
F. A. Owen Co.	17.06
V. L. & J. E. Webb	10.00
S. R. Crabtree	7.15
Milton Bradley Co.	50.03
Webster Pub. Co.	4.82
The Papercrafters, Inc.	63.39
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	59.84
L. W. Gerrish	6.00
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	\$319.99

SUPPLIES

High School	
Katahdin Farmers Tel. Co.	
Union Account	\$73.97
High School	36.95
Maine Public Service	111.49
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	20.00
J. L. Hammett Co.	27.76
Woodstock Type Co.	37.00
E. E. Babb & Co.	6.78
Roberts Office Supply	7.00
Beckley Cardy Co.	60.51
Houlton Pub. Co.	20.79
McIntosh Pub. Co.	5.98
Southwestern Pub. Co.	7.39
World Book Co.	6.53
Iroquois Pub. Co.	2.72
J. E. Webb	37.80
H. E. Lewin	4.20
S. R. Crabtree	1.70
Postmaster	21.00
Russell Crane	5.00
O'Donnell Express	43.09
Ronald Sleeper	1.00
Royal Typewriter Co.	4.00
Harter Pub. Co.	8.85
Loren Murchinson Co.	23.65
Remington Rand	17.35
The Texas Co.	13.05
The Holmerden Co.	55.50
Pittsfield Advertiser	3.86
School Form Pub. Co.	14.82
Herman Goldberger	19.30
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	\$699.04

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Available		
By Appropriation	\$200.00	
Ground Rental	25.00	
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		\$225.00
Expended		
H. H. Hoar	\$22.00	
D. D. James	22.00	
Harry MacKenzie	4.50	
Guy MacKenzie	4.50	
Herbert Wing	1.40	
William McNally	1.40	
Alfie Wright	1.40	
Carl Edwards	1.40	
George Donham	1.40	
Palmer & Walker	.95	
Andy Brittan	7.00	
Island Falls Hdwe. Co.	61.49	
John C. Desmond	6.00	
Unexpended	89.56	
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		\$225.00

INSURANCE ACCOUNT

Available		
By Appropriation	\$550.00	\$550.00
Expended		
S. R. Crabtree	\$487.60	
Transferred to Supply Acct. (lights)	62.40	
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		\$550.00

OTHER ACCOUNTS

	Appropriation	Expended
School Physician, Dr. C. I. Swett	\$200.00	\$200.00
Superintendent, Harry E. Lewin	406.98	406.98
Attendance Officer, Robt. R. Gradie	60.00	60.00

WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

To John J. Marr, a Constable of the Town of Island Falls
in the County of Aroostook, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Island Falls in said County, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Community Hall in said Town, on Monday the twenty first day of March A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Art. 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2 To choose all necessary Town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of its Town officers, subject to an audit by the State Auditor.

Art. 4 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for maintenance of Common Schools, including teachers' salaries, fuel, janitor service, and conveyance of scholars.

Art. 5 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for Free High School.

Art. 6 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for text books, insurance, lights, and apparatus and supplies.

Art. 7 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for School Physician.

Art. 8 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for General Government, as follows: Selectmen, Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Health Officer, and all other miscellaneous expenses.

Art. 9 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for Hydrant Rentals.

Art. 10 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for Street Lighting.

Art. 11 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for care of cemeteries.

Art. 12 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

Art. 13 To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for State Aid construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges) under the provision of Sec. 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public laws of 1937.

Art. 14 To see what sum, if any, the Town would recommend to take from the joint state aid account for the purpose of applying bituminous surface treatment to State aid roads in excess of the requirements of Section 2, Chap. 132, Public laws of 1935.

Art. 15 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for patrolling state, and state aid highways.

Art. 16 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of roads and bridges, and snow removal.

Art. 17 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of, and maintenance of Third Class Highways.

Art. 18 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for Mother's Aid.

Art. 19 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the Support of Poor.

Art. 20 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for maintenance of Town farm.

Art. 21 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for payment of principal of Town debt.

Art. 22 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for interest on Town debt.

Art. 23 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for WPA projects.

Art. 24 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the Maine Publicity Bureau.

Art. 25 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the improvement and care of Town Dump.

Art. 26 To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise the sum of \$75.00, or more for school nursing to be expended under the auspices of the State Department of

Health and Welfare. As the amount of the appropriation increases the services will be proportionately increased.

Art. 27 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for abatements and discounts.

Art. 28 To see if the Town will ratify and confirm as debts of the Town the sum of \$600.00 in notes now held by the Katahdin Trust Company and \$2,000.00 in notes held by George W. York, and to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to execute in the name and behalf of said Town any renewals of said notes.

Art. 29 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to bring writs of entry for the recovery and possession of such parcels of real estate as have been acquired by the Inhabitants of said Town for non-payment of taxes and the time of redemption having expired.

Art. 30 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer under the direction of the Selectmen for such sums of money as said Selectmen may see fit to accept therefor, to sell and convey all the right, title, and interest in and to said parcels of real estate as the Town has acquired by tax deeds or tax liens, and to authorize the Treasurer to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of said Town deeds thereof.

Art. 31 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the observance of Memorial Day, and to appoint a Committee to expend the same.

Art. 32 To see if the Town will vote to fix a time when taxes are due and payable: also to see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on property taxes paid at such time, or times, as it may determine, and if so, what per cent.

Art. 33 To see if the Town will vote to have its collector of taxes settle in full for all taxes committed to him for collection, and to fix the time therefor.

Art. 34 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to accept Town orders in payment of taxes.

Art. 35 To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise the sum of \$144.00 for interest on school fund.

Art. 36 To see if the Town will vote to elect and elect a lady member of the Board of Mother's Aid.

Art. 37 To see if the Town will vote to ratify the doings of the Selectmen whereby they have recommended that certain taxes as appear in the Town report be abated.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money for and in the name and behalf of the Town to pay debts contracted in the ensuing year in anticipation of taxes assessed for the ensuing year, not to exceed \$5,000.00, and also to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to sign notes therefor, and deliver and negotiate the same for and in behalf of the Town for the purposes aforesaid.

Art. 39 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of schoolhouses.

Art. 40 To see if the town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner, or leave his appointment to the Selectmen.

Art. 41 To see if the Town will vote to adopt a resolution protesting the adoption of any further reduction of the quota of potatoes to be imported from Canada.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place of meeting on Monday, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon until the polls are closed.

Given under our hands this 7th day of March, A. D. 1938.

CLIFFORD H. POMEROY

JAMES R. DOUGHTY

VINAL L. WEBB

Selectmen of the town of Island Falls