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NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

City of South Portland

MAINE

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR 1917-1918

February 1, 1917, to January 31, 1918

WITH THE REPORTS OF DEPARTMENTS

PORTLAND, MAINE

PRESS OF SOUTHWORTH PRINTING COMPANY

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GOVERNMENT OF THE
City of South Portland, Maine, 1917-18.

MAYOR.
CHARLES E. WEST.

ALDERMEN.
Ward No. 1..................................FRANK H. WINSWLOW.
Ward No. 2..................................FRED E. ANDERSON.
Ward No. 3..................................EDMUND W. CONARY.
Ward No. 4..................................HAROLD B. HAGGETT.
Ward No. 5..................................WILLIAM F. WHITE.
Ward No. 6..................................FRED W. BRYANT.
Ward No. 7..................................JOHN H. JOHNSON.

COMMITTEES.

Finance and Claims — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN BRYANT and WHITE.
Public Works. — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN ANDERSON and BRYANT.
Printing. — ALDERMEN WHITE, JOHNSON and WINSLOW.
New Streets. — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN BRYANT and ANDERSON.
Education and Schools. — ALDERMEN JOHNSON, CONARY and HAGGETT.
Public Buildings. — ALDERMEN CONARY, HAGGETT and JOHNSON.
Street Lights. — ALDERMEN ANDERSON, WINSLOW and HAGGETT.
Fire. — ALDERMEN WINSLOW, WHITE and CONARY.

Stated Meeting of Council.
Second Wednesday of each month at 7.30 p. m.
CITY OFFICERS, 1917 - 18.

Judge of the Municipal Court.........DENNIS A. MEAHER
City Clerk .........................WOODBURY P. HARRINGTON
Collector and Treasurer...............WALTER E. BROWN
City Auditor..........................EDWIN J. MORRILL
Commissioner of Public Works.........FRANK C. NUTTER
City Solicitor ........................EDWARD H. WILSON
City Physicians ......................L. S. LOMBARD, M. D., and JAMES A. BARRETT, M. D.
City Electrician ......................CHARLES H. BRIMECOMBE
Inspector of Buildings ................FRANK H. GILMAN
Superintendent of Schools ............SIMON M. HAMLIN
Chaplain ................................REV. FRANK W. SMITH
Sealers of Weights and Measures......WILLIAM A. BLAKE, and FAIRFIELD TUTTLE
Inspector of Plumbing .................JOHN H. DUFFEY

Assessors of Taxes,
GEORGE E. HAGGETT,
HENRY E. CASH, CHARLES W. BROWN.

Overseers of the Poor,
WILLIAM H. SMITH,
JOSEPH P. TANNER, WILLIAM A. COBB.

Superintendent of City Home,
ERNEST L. DUROST.

Board of Health,
SAMUEL SAMUELS, (Secretary),
GEORGE E. STROUT, WILLIS F. STROUT.
Board of Registration of Voters,
   JAMES K. TURNER,
   MARCUS A. HANNA,       CHARLES A. TILTON.

Representatives to the Legislature,
   JOSEPH F. CHAPLIN,       DR. FRANK I. BROWN.

Superintending School Committee,
   Hon. CHARLES E. West, Chairman, Ex-Officio.

Ward 1.   ..   Edgar R. Hawkes,  1920
Ward 2.   ..   Harry Wood,        1919
Ward 3.   ..   Dr. Frank I. Brown, 1920
Ward 4.   ..   Leslie C. Evans,    1920
Ward 5.   ..   Harlan B. Higgins,  1918
Ward 6.   ..   Irving T. Jones,    1919
Ward 7.   ..   Russell I. Keeler,  1919

Secretary,
   Simon M. Hamlin.

Truant Officer,
   James E. Smith.

A separate report is issued by School Board.

MAYORS OF SOUTH PORTLAND.

EDWARD C. REYNOLDS.................................1899 - 1900
CHARLES N. TREFETHEN................................1901 - 1902
GEORGE T. SPEAR....................................1903 - 1904
GEORGE H. WEEKS....................................1905 - 1906 - 1907
FRED G. HAMILTON..................................1908 - 1909
JOHN A. S. DYER.................................1910 - 1911 - 1912 - 1913
CHARLES E. WEST..............................1914 - 1915 - 1916 - 1917
CITY OF SOUTH PORTLAND, MAINE.

IN COUNCIL.

January 9, 1918.

Ordered, That the Auditor and Committee of Finance and Claims be and are hereby instructed to make the Nineteenth Annual Report of the receipts and expenditures of the City of South Portland for the financial year ending January 31st, 1918; and that 1,200 copies of the same be printed for the use of the City and for distribution, and reports of the City Officers returned to City Council at the close of the financial year, be appended thereto.

F. W. BRYANT.

A true copy of order passed January 9, 1918.

ATTEST:

WOODBURY P. HARRINGTON,

City Clerk.
AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Auditor's Office, City Offices,
City of South Portland, Me.

All bills must be presented for payment on or before the first Wednesday of each month to insure payment during that month, and must specify what the article or articles were for, and for what department, and when for labor, where it was performed, with proper dates.

Items charged to different appropriations or departments must be made on separate bills.

The Auditor desires parties, whose claims against the City have been allowed, to be prompt in their calls to receive payment, and when bills have been once presented, ascertain if allowed before duplicating the amount on a subsequent bill, as is sometimes done.

PAY DAYS.

In all departments (except teachers and janitors) the Saturday following the second Wednesday in each month. For teachers and janitors every second Friday following the opening of the school year.

Edwin J. Morrill,
City Auditor.
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.
February 1, 1917, to February 1, 1918.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of South Portland—

Gentlemen:—I beg to submit herewith my report of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1918.

APPROPRIATION BILL, 1917-1918.

State tax, $30,362.40
County tax, 6,953.60
Bridge district tax, 1,404.11

$38,720.11

Assessors, $1,400.00
Board of Health, 100.00
City Auditor, 450.00
Commissioner of Public Works, 1,000.00
City Clerk, 1,200.00
City Electrician, 1,200.00
City Physician, 100.00
City Solicitor, 350.00
Building Inspector, 75.00
Mayor, 500.00
Overseers of Poor, 200.00
Collector and Treasurer, 1,200.00
Truant Officer, 275.00
City Chaplain, 50.00
Board of Registration, 100.00
Contingent Overdrawn, 113.30
Contingent, 2,500.00
Poor Department, 4,500.00
Brown Tail Moths, 899.75
City Offices, 1,200.00
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<td>125.00</td>
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<td>2,500.00</td>
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<td>1,300.00</td>
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<td>501.80</td>
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<td>1,466.00</td>
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<td>8,000.00</td>
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<td>Common School Fuel, overdrawn</td>
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<td>Common School Fuel</td>
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<td>Common School Janitors</td>
<td>3,900.00</td>
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<td>7,525.00</td>
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<td>900.00</td>
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<td>1,000.00</td>
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<td>Superintendent of Schools</td>
<td>800.00</td>
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<td><strong>Total Expenditures</strong></td>
<td><strong>$28,641.27</strong></td>
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**Total Expenditures:** $129,467.23
ABATEMENTS AND OVERLAYS.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $843.13
Overlays, 5,185.61
Supplemental tax, 1,859.40

Abatements allowed for 1915 tax, $37.07
  "  "  "  1916 "  273.82
  "  "  "  1917 "  1,610.78

Transferred to Public Buildings, 2,027.39
  "  "  Common School Janitors, 23.89
  "  "  Water Payment, 131.87
  "  "  School Fuel, 1,869.84
  "  "  Streets and Bridges, 1,447.01

Balance, 466.47

$7,888.14

ASSESSORS.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $81.00
Appropriation, 1,400.00

Expended.

George E. Haggett, Chairman, salary, $375.00
George E. Haggett, allowed by Council
  for extra service, 150.00
Henry E. Cash, salary, 350.00
Charles W. Brown salary, 350.00
Bessie P. Loveitt, writing valuation and
  commitment books for 1917, 120.00
George E. Haggett, auto hire, 25.00
Charles W. Brown, office expense, 1.00
Balance unexpended, 110.00

$1,481.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation, $100.00

Expended.

Samuel Samuels, Secretary, salary, $50.00
Willis F. Strout, salary, 25.00
George E. Strout, salary, 25.00

$100.00
BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $337.00
Appropriation, 100.00
---------------
$437.00

Expended.
James K. Turner, salary, $160.00
Charles A. Tilton, salary, 128.00
Marcus A. Hanna, salary, 128.00
Balance unexpended, 21.00
---------------
$437.00

BRIDGE DISTRICT.

Appropriation, $1,404.11
Expended.
Paid Treasurer of Portland Bridge District, $1,404.11

BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

Appropriation, $899.75
Expended.
Milliken and Philbrook, removing moths as per contract, $899.75

BROADWAY EXTENSION.

North East Metal Culvert Co., metal culverts, $1,588.20
Estate, Elizabeth W. Thomas, land taken for extension of Summer Street, 1,000.00
Frederick H. and Lucy Jordan, land taken for extension of Broadway, 2,000.00
A. E. Skillin, services as engineer, 60.00
Pay rolls, 1,484.10
Less one-half paid by the Cumberland County Power & Light Co., plus one-half cost of gravel furnished by City, $3,184.55
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*$2,947.75

*This expenditure provided for by the proceeds of notes issued by the City. See Floating Debt.

BROADWAY SCHOOL BONDS.

Balance, February 1, 1918, $7,500.00
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<td><strong>CITY AUDITOR</strong></td>
<td>$450.00</td>
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<td>Edwin J. Morrill, salary</td>
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<td><strong>CITY CHAPLAIN</strong></td>
<td>$50.00</td>
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<td>Rev. Frank W. Smith, salary</td>
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<td><strong>CITY CLERK</strong></td>
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<td>Woodbury P. Harrington, salary</td>
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<td><strong>CITY ELECTRICIAN</strong></td>
<td>$1,200.00</td>
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<td>Charles H. Brimecombe, salary</td>
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<td>Appropriation,</td>
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<td>Trustees of Hiram Lodge, No. 180, F. &amp; A. M., rent of City Offices</td>
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EXPENDITURES.

CITY POOR DEPARTMENT.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $985.68
Appropriation, 4,500.00
Town of Scarboro, refund, account of Jane Morse, 6.00
State Treasurer, support of paupers, 456.72
R. D. Fickett, one calf, 11.00
Maine General Hospital, refund, account of George Morse, 16.00
City of Portland, support of pauper, 32.58
Town of Norway, support of pauper, 42.34
Town of Harpswell, support of pauper, 55.23

$6,105.55

EXPENDED.

ALMSHOUSE.

Cumberland County Power & Light Co., current for 1917, $43.08
Municipal Light & Power Co., gas, 87.82
Thompson-Hall Co., supplies, 370.31
Swift & Company, supplies, 169.43
White Bros. & Curtis, supplies, 20.63
South Portland Co-operative Association, supplies, 47.85
Ernest L. Durost, salary, 699.96
William Spear Co., fuel, 103.00
J. A. S. Dyer, supplies, 3.20
Rines Bros. Co., supplies, 32.23
Sagadahoc Farms, milk, 32.45
Edward H. Wilson, expense to Augusta, account of District Almshouse bill, 3.90
Ernest L. Durost, expense, 12.98
W. E. Dyer, 1 plow, 15.00
Atlantic Grain Co., supplies, 185.14
George M. Stanwood, hay, 18.49
N. S. Thompson, supplies, 13.11
Farr’s Shoe Store, supplies, 31.60
J. F. Bond, supplies, 3.65
W. E. Dyer, supplies, 206.57
Allen, Sterling & Lothrop, supplies, 24.22
RECEIPTS AND

Patrons' Co-operative Co., 5 bags potatoes, 6.88
M. H. Harmon Nursery Co., 25 apple trees, 10.00
The Twitchell-Champlin Co., supplies, 52.60
R. H. Roberts, 2 barrels apples, 4.00
The Emery-Waterhouse Co., supplies, 4.31
C. E. Turner, shoeing, 8.65
F. A. Waldron & Son, supplies, 112.20
A. C. Hunnewell, fruit trees, 9.00
Portland Sebago Ice Co., coupon books, 20.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service, 34.11
Ralph S. Sweeney, 10 days' labor, 20.00
J. B. Densmore, 2,250 strawberry plants, 4.50
M. A. Cromwell, 1 pig, 7.00
Frank C. Nutter, 1 lot standing grass, 20.00
Melville Supply Co., supplies, 1.00
W. H. Smith, supplies, 3.00
M. A. Cromwell, service, haying, 8.70
Kendall & Whitney, supplies, 3.35
Portland Veterinary Hospital, testing cows, 8.00
Thomas F. Devine, supplies, 25.40
Rundlett & Verrill Co., supplies, 10.00
C. V. Morse, fuel, 60.60
Parker & Thomas Co., supplies, 51.80
L. L. Marshall Co., supplies, 6.25
D. P. Anthoine, 1 wagon, hay rack and pung, 50.00
James S. Hannaford, hay, 22.30
Griffin & Goodwin, supplies, 30.92

Out Poor Department.
William Spear Co., fuel, $174.21
Mrs. Lottie M. White, board, Mrs. Murch, 156.43
David A. Kincaid, M. D., rent, account of Elizabeth Smith, 84.00
Edward H. Wilson, expense to Augusta, 4.25
Virginia L. Wade, board and care, Fred A. Dyer, 7.85
Mary S. Burnham, board, Virginia D. Pinores, 12.00
Mary S. Burnham, board and care, Marie Sprague, 264.45

$2,719.19
Mary S. Burnham, board and care,Clinton Jones, 115.42
Mary S. Burnham, board and care,Dorothy Eggert, 42.00
Frank H. Jordan, M. D., professional services, 2.00
Dr. Carl T. Gray, professional services, 4.50
M. Alward, M. D., professional services, 16.00
Oliver G. Lombard, use of ambulance, 9.00
The Children's Hospital, board and care,Marie Sprague, 61.50
The Children's Hospital, board and care,Dorothy Eggert, 46.50
City of Portland, account aid, Vaughn Conrad, 8.20
Mrs. Lizzie Stevens, board and care,Marie Sprague, 272.24
C. V. Morse, fuel, 167.70
Farr's Shoe Store, supplies, 3.00
Thomas F. Devine, supplies, 6.40
W. H. Smith, transportation, pauper, 8.70
City of Hallowell, support of John Salvador, year 1917, 149.25
George C. Shaw, supplies, 1.80
P. E. Fitzsimmons, fuel, 5.80
City of Portland, board and care, Louise Cooney, 17.14
City of Portland, board and care, Gladys Nelson, 60.00
Balance unexpended, 1,686.02

$3,386.36
$6,105.55

CITY SOLICITOR.

Appropriation, $ 350.00

Expended.

Edward H. Wilson, salary, $ 350.00
CEMENT SIDEWALKS.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 825.80
Appropriation, 1,000.00
Assessments collected, 1917, 322.23

$2,148.03

EXPENDED.

Philip Levinsky, 1 piece canvas, $ 15.00
A. E. Skillin, services as engineer, 40.00
William H. Doughty, constructing cement sidewalks, 351.18
M. A. Cromwell, constructing cement sidewalks, 205.20
M. A. Cromwell, repairing Kelsey Street sidewalks, 13.13
A. C. McCausland, constructing cement sidewalks, 612.75
A. C. McCausland, repairing sidewalk, Sawyer Street, 11.45
Balance unexpended, 899.32

$2,148.03

CONTINGENT.

Appropriation overdrawn, 1916, $ 113.30
Appropriation, 2,500.00
Collection fees, City Treasurer, 192.83
Charles A. Jenney, telephone tolls, 1.00
Mayor Charles E. West, telephone tolls, .60
J. E. Paige, telephone tolls, 1.15
Charles E. Sweeney, telephone tolls, .80
Charles E. Sweeney, telephone refund, 2.50
Frank C. Nutter, telephone tolls, 1.05
Russell L. Keeler, telephone tolls, .10
Ernest L. Durost, telephone tolls, 3.70
Charles W. Goddard, telephone tolls, 1.20
South Portland Municipal Court, refund fines, 5.00
State Treasurer, dog license refund, 143.67
State Treasurer, Railway and Telegraph tax, 280.73
State Treasurer, burial of veterans, 70.00
W. P. Harrington, fees, 1917, 459.57
Samuel Samuels, fees, Board of Health, 70.00

$3,847.20
EXPENDITURES.

EXPENDED.

Elwin J. Nevells, service, insane case, $74.65.
Portland Water District, inspecting hydrants, $8.38.
Leonard P. Skillin, expense to Augusta, insane case, $13.10.
Frank H. Jordan, M. D., examination, insane case, $15.00.
Loring S. Lombard, M. D., examination, insane case, $17.00.
A. W. Cleveland, constable services, $62.98.
J. H. Duffey, inspecting plumbing, $283.69.
Waldo T. Skillin, M. D., vital statistics, $10.00.
Charles S. Knight, M. D., vital statistics, $1.25.
George I. Geer, M. D., vital statistics, $3.00.
E. E. Barker, M. D., vital statistics, $1.50.
Frank H. Jordan, M. D., vital statistics, $6.00.
J. K. P. Rogers, M. D., vital statistics, $38.50.
Loring S. Lombard, M. D., vital statistics, $26.25.
Frank I. Brown, M. D., vital statistics, $28.25.
Albert K. Baldwin, M. D., vital statistics, $1.25.
L. A. Brown, M. D., vital statistics, $3.00.
H. J. Patterson, M. D., vital statistics, $.25.
Daniel Driscoll, M. D., vital statistics, $.75.
David A. Kincaid, labor, per order Board of Health, $7.00.
Underwood Typewriter Co., rent of typewriter, $8.00.
Walter H. Collins, constable service, $11.50.
Underwood Typewriter Co., supplies, $1.00.
Norman True, registering 22 tax deeds, $11.00.
Samuel Samuels, constable service, $2.00.
James A. Strout, serving summons, $25.20.
A. P. Bartlett, serving summons, $42.00.
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies, $23.76.
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service, $311.16.
W. P. Harrington, office expense, $57.41.
Walter E. Brown, office expense, $248.42.
Union Safe Deposit & Trust Co., premium on Treasurer’s bond, 75.00  
L. C. Smith & Bros., 2 typewriters, 75.00  
Thomas F. Devine, fumigating and supplies, per order Board of Health, 92.25  
Samuel Samuels, office expense, 10.70  
Henry D. S. Woodbury, constable service, 3.07  
The Welch Stencil Co., supplies, 4.15  
Postal Telegraph Co., telegram, .25  
Charles E. Sweeney, serving summons, 10.15  
James E. Smith, services, “clean up week,” 16.03  
Kendall & Whitney, supplies, 1.36  
Charles M. Hannaford, removing rubbish, “clean up week,” 17.00  
C. E. Small, removing rubbish, “clean up week,” 15.00  
William E. Crockett, removing rubbish, “clean up week,” 20.75  
C. H. Fuller, burying dog, 1.00  
G. E. Haggett, one typewriter ribbon, .75  
Dorothy W. Spear, copying Assessors’ lists, 3.50  
Portland Directory Co., 3 directories, 12.00  
P. H. Belyea, ploughing municipal gardens, 89.00  
C. M. Rice Paper Co., supplies, 1.63  
Kennebec Journal Co., auto lists, 1917, 5.00  
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs on adding machine, 20.63  
F. H. Marshall & Son, cleaning dump, Preble Street, 44.84  
George E. Haggett, auto hire, City Clerk, 6.00  
King F. Graham, services, 2.36  
Waldo T. Skillin, M. D., examination, insane case, 5.00  
C. W. Goddard, services, insane case, 16.85  
Charles E. Sweeney, services, dog licenses, 5.00  
A. W. Cleveland, services, dog licenses, 12.50  
L. L. Hall, M. D., supplies, Board of Health, 8.00  
Portland Gas Light Co., connecting gas range for food demonstration, 7.80  
A. G. Donham, one Maine register, 2.50
J. K. P. Rogers, M. D., professional services, Board of Health, 7.70
W. J. Haskell, trucking and paying freight, 1.28
Charles A. Pearson, burying dog, Willard Beach, 1.00
Transo Envelope Co., 5,000 envelopes, 12.28
Ordell Bryant, refund, taxes paid twice, 4.15
Catherine M. Lowe, refund, taxes paid twice, 4.62
King Starbird, plumbing inspection, 2.35
Arthur D. Cassidy, services, dog licenses, 15.50
Municipal outing, 97.05
Oliver G. Lombard, burying veterans, 70.00
William W. Roberts, supplies, 2.50
Allen Transfer Co., carting, .50
Estate, Elizabeth W. Thomas, rental Pine Tree Park, 150.00
Rev. O. L. W. Brown, recording marriages, 4.75
C. W. Taylor, ploughing municipal gardens, 6.00
Mary T. Morrill, typewriting Auditor’s statement, 9 copies, 5.00
Edward H. Wilson, expenses to Augusta, 4.25
E. H. Dyer, ploughing municipal gardens, 2.00
Cumberland County Power & Light Co., supplies, 14.80
Canal National Bank, revenue stamp on note, 1.00
Taxicab Service Corporation, use of auto, City Clerk, 3.00
Chandler’s Band, service at launching, 33.50
Symonds, Snow, Cook & Hutchinson, certifying temporary loan, 50.00
J. A. S. Dyer, supplies, 3.44
Arthur D. Cassidy, serving summons, 28.60
Rev. R. S. Leard, marriage returns, .25
Rev. Harry E. Townsend, marriage returns, .50
Portland Water District, repairing fountain, 7.05
Estate, Levi Bailey, tax refund, 3.50
Mrs. Frank Thompson, damages on account of sewer overflowing, 125.00
Samuel Gregory, tax refund, 24.00
RECEIPTS AND

William A. Hatch, tax refund, 2.65
Fred H. Loveitt, land purchase, 45.00
Balance unexpended, 1,072.37 $3,847.20

COUNTY TAX.
Appropriation, $6,953.60
Expended.
Paid County Treasurer, $6,953.60

COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.
Appropriation, $1,200.00
Expended.
Walter E. Brown, salary, $1,200.00

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.
Appropriation, $1,000.00
Expended.
Frank C. Nutter, salary, $1,000.00

DRAINS AND SEWERS.
Balance, February 1, 1917, $1,777.37
Assessments collected, 1917, 249.46 $2,026.83

Expended.
Sumner R. Smart, sewer and catch basins, Broadway, $ 291.09
Frank H. Marshall, labor on sewers, 130.39
North East Metal Culvert Co., metal culverts, 354.36
Portland Terminal Co., freight, 9.37
E. L. Dunscombe, repairing catch basins, 15.75
Pay rolls, 432.68
Balance unexpended, 793.19 $2,026.83
### ELECTION EXPENSE.

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- **James E. Smith, constable service**, $4.43
- **Leonard Thompson, auto hire**, 12.00
- **Mrs. R. M. Strout, dinners, Ward 5**, 3.00
- **George H. Upton, setting up booth, Ward 3**, 3.00
- **Knightville Hose Co., No. 4, rent of hose house for election, year 1916**, 25.00
- **Willard Hose and Ladder Co., rent of hose house for election, year 1917**, 25.00
- **A. W. Cleveland, posting warrants**, 7.40
- **Election officials and ballot clerks**, 266.00
- **Mrs. B. J. Hearn, dinners, Ward 1**, 6.00
- **South Portland Co-operative Association, dinners, Ward 2**, 3.00
- **George W. C. Studley, dinners, Ward 3**, 3.00
- **W. H. Offen, dinners, Ward 4**, 6.00
- **Pleasantdale Hose Co., No. 3, dinners, Ward 6**, 3.00
- **W. A. Bryant, dinners, Ward 7**, 3.00
- **W. H. Smith, auto service**, 2.00
- **Theo. H. Sterner, setting up booths, Ward 2**, 7.00
- **George E. Haggett, auto hire**, 12.00
- **C. C. Benjamin, dinners, Ward 2 and 3**, 6.00
- **Mrs. F. C. Jewell, dinners, Ward 5**, 3.00
- **Alice F. Merrill, dinners, Ward 7**, 3.00
- **Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies**, 3.44
- **W. E. Dyer, dinners, Ward 6**, 3.00
- **Bayard Lodge, K. of P., rent of hall for election purposes, 1917**, 24.00
- **South Portland Hose & Ladder Co., No. 1, rent of hose house for election purposes, 1917**, 25.00
- **Cash Corner Hose Co., No. 5, rent of hose house for election purposes, 1917**, 25.00
- **Russell I. Keeler, setting up booths, Ward 7**, 5.00

**Balance unexpended**, 30.47
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 930.57
Appropriation, 3,500.00

EXPENDED.

William Spear Co., fuel, electrical bldg., $ 59.70
W. J. Haskell, trucking and paying freight, 8.76
Western Electric Co., supplies, 957.77
F. J. Durost, labor, Knightville Hose House, 36.00
Portland Water District, inspecting and thawing hydrants, 63.32
Knightville Garage, auto hire, 2.00
Grether Fire Equip. Co., 1 hand searchlight, 13.97
William B. Haggett, filing saws, 1.50
Standard Oil Co. of New York, supplies, 27.00
Evening Express Pub. Co., advertising, .84
Berlin Mills Co., lumber and carting, 8.78
The Emery-Waterhouse Co., supplies, 109.30
John M. Fox Co., supplies, 45.52
F. E. Mileson, trucking, 3.75
Harold Brimecombe, labor on fire alarm, 130.00
Carl Emery, labor on fire alarm, 402.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service, 94.34
Union Electric Supply Co., supplies, 50.00
C. A. Tilton Co., supplies, 1.90
Winslow & Co., cement, 16.60
F. H. Marshall & Son, cementing driveway, Willard Hose House, 37.97
Charles Coughlin, supplies, 4.58
George E. Haggett, auto hire, 5.00
Megquier & Jones Co., supplies, 3.60
York & Boothby Co., supplies, 11.18
The Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., supplies, 8.33
The Texas Co., supplies, 19.80
Charles M. Hay Paint Co., supplies, 6.85
Motor Parts Co., supplies, .70
Portland Water District, setting hydrant on Lincoln Street, near Church Street, 153.99
Charles H. Brimecombe, expense to Boston, on account of fire alarm system, 8.22
J. A. Hutt, labor on controller, 2.00
Cumberland County Power & Light Co., supplies, 56.73
Rufus Deering Co., lumber, 19.20
E. F. Foss, labor, 29.75
The Auto Repair & Storage Battery Works, supplies, 90.92
C. M. Taylor, 2 loads dressing, 7.00
A. R. Wright & Co., fuel, 17.11
J. M. Hardy, one 9-inch bell, 12.00
J. A. Fullam, labor, hanging bell, 7.50
S. King Starbird, labor and supplies, 5.19
C. W. Taylor, trucking, 3.00

$2,543.67

South Portland Hose and Ladder Co., No. 1, J. E. Paige, Captain.
Mar. 22, Alarm 34, $23.00
Apr. 19, " 38, 18.00
Apr. 22, " 26, 28.00
Apr. 24, " 34, 9.00
Apr. 25, " 37, 14.06
June 8, " 34, 52.00
June 20, " 25, 54.00
Aug. 19, " 32, 24.00
Aug. 29, " 14, 14.06
Dec. 10, " 34, 16.00
Jan. 15, " 32, 21.00
Electric light allowance, 1917, 12.00

$285.00

Willard Hose and Ladder Co., No. 2, Willis F. Strout, Captain.
Feb. 8, Alarm 16, $12.00
Apr. 16, " 15, 17.00
Apr. 19, " 12, 19.00
Apr. 23, " 18, 8.00
June 20, " 25, 22.00
Sept. 10, " 15, 15.00
Electric light allowance, 1916, 12.00

$105.00
Pleasantdale Hose Co., No. 3,  
E. M. Palmer, Captain.  
Apr. 24, Still Alarm, $ 14.00  
Sept. 14, Alarm 75, 56.00  
Sept. 13, Still Alarm, 8.00  
Dec. 8, Alarm 65, 11.00  
Dec. 12, " 64, 14.00  
Jan. 1, " 66, 13.00  
Electric light allowance, 1917, 12.00  
--------------- $ 128.00

Knightville Hose Co., No. 4,  
Charles A. Jenney, Captain.  
May 14, Still Alarm, $ 14.00  
June 8, Alarm 34, 14.00  
June 20, " 25, 18.00  
Sept. 14, " 75, 47.50  
Nov. 22, " 44, 17.00  
Dec. 31, " 56, 55.50  
Electric light allowance, 1917, 12.00  
Maintenance of fire truck, 225.00  
--------------- $ 403.00

Cash Corner Hose Co., No. 5,  
Russell I. Keeler, Captain.  
Mar. 23, Alarm 77, $ 33.00  
July 31, " 74, 12.00  
Sept. 14, " 75, 65.00  
Oct. 9, " 71, 11.50  
Dec. 11, " 78, 35.00  
Dec. 31, " 75, 56.50  
Electric light allowance, 1917, 12.00  
--------------- $ 225.00  
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Balance unexpended, 740.90  
--------------- $ 4430.57
EXPENDITURES.

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Notes outstanding February 1, 1918. $27,500.00*

*These notes are to be paid by bond issue now pending. Proceeds were applied to expenditure for Permanent Improvements and Broadway Extension; also for retiring bonds maturing in 1917.

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS.

Appropriation, $75.00
Frank H. Gilman, salary, 1917, $75.00

INSURANCE.

Balance February 1, 1917, \$993.99
Appropriation, 1,000.00

Expended.

William F. Spear, premium on Employers Liability policy, \$456.42
William F. Spear, premiums on new policies, 27.52
Balance unexpended, 1,510.04

Total, \$1,993.99

INTEREST ON CITY DEBT.

Balance, February 1, 1917, \$1,227.63
Appropriation, 9,000.00
Interest earned on deposits, 684.48
Interest earned on tax collections, 622.08

Expended.

Interest paid on loans and City Debt, \$10,012.69
Balance unexpended, 1,521.59

Total, \$11,534.19
RECEIPTS AND
MAYOR.
Appropriation, $500.00
Expended.
Charles E. West, salary, $500.00

MEMORIAL DAY.
Appropriation, $125.00
Expended.
So. Portland Veterans' Association, $125.00

OVERSEERS OF POOR.
Appropriation, $200.00
Expended.
W. H. Smith, Chairman, salary, $100.00
J. P. Tanner, salary, 50.00
W. A. Cobb, salary, 50.00
$200.00

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.
Balance, February 1, 1917, $5.52
Appropriation, 1,300.00
Expended.
L. L. Marshall Co., printing and supplies, $199.05
Southworth Printing Co., printing 1,200 copies Annual Report, 186.56
Southworth Printing Co., printing 1,400 copies School Report, 186.56
Southworth Printing Co., printing and supplies, 165.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, printing and supplies, 14.00
Casco Printing Co., printing, 28.08
Evening Express Publishing Co., advertising, 35.27
Portland News Publishing Co., advertising, 93.60
Tucker Printing Co., 300 duplicate applications for war relief, 10.50
Henry S. Cobb, printing war notices, 2.75
Balance unexpended, 384.15
$1,305.52
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

EXPENDED.

E. C. Jordan & Co., survey and plans for proposed sewer extensions, $ 526.25
Frank S. Willard, land damage, 600.00

SEWERS.

Winslow & Co., pipe and cement, $ 882.49
Frank H. Marshall, sewer construction —
    Anthoine Street, 195.22
    Elsmere Avenue, 297.52
    Carter Street, 118.65
    Elmwood Avenue, 182.18
    Broadway and Mussey Street, 166.96
    Broadway, 796.34
    Forest Avenue, 110.61
    Summit Street, 48.93
    Setting catch basins, 195.46
A. E. Skillin, services as engineer, 116.50
C. R. Nutter, brick, 57.00
Pay rolls, 160.00

$3,327.86

BROADWAY.

Consolidated Broken Stone & Gravel Co., gravel and filling, $ 917.53
E. L. Dunscombe, building retaining wall, 217.52
Thornton Heights Concrete Co., cement blocks, 337.50
The Barrett Co., 5 bbls. paving pitch, 23.59
F. H. Marshall, laying concrete roadbed, 6,531.54
Winslow & Co., cement, 2,673.02
Charles S. Chase Co., cement, 784.39
Portland Building Supply Co., cement, 384.38
Cumberland County Power & Light Co., rent of concrete mixer, 208.44
Randall & McAllister, trucking cement, 34.00
A. R. Wright, trucking, 10.00
A. E. Skillin, services at engineer, 9.50
Pay rolls, 1,731.35

$13,862.76
COTTAGE ROAD.
E. Corey & Co., supplies, $ 2.44
Mrs. Martha Jordan, gravel and stone, 4.75
The Texas Co., heating Tarvia, 107.00
Percy H. Richardson, services, 12.00
White Bros. & Curtis, oil, 4.72
Randall & McAllister, fuel, 7.00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight, 73.56
The Barrett Co., Tarvia, 477.77
Thornton Heights Concrete Co., cement blocks, 27.32
A. E. Skillin, services as engineer, 122.50
Frank W. Sparrow, expense of grading, 49.00
E. L. Dunscombe, building retaining wall, 43.94
Forgione & Romano Co., building retaining wall, 365.40
Pay rolls, 1,695.52

$ 2,992.92
$21,309.79

Less transferred from State Road, acct. of Cottage Road, $ 2,549.99

*$18,759.80

*Above expenditures were provided for by the proceeds of notes issued by the City. See Floating Debt.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 410.45
Appropriation, 2,500.00
Portland Water District, for police service, 501.00

$3,411.45

EXPENDED.
Charles W. Goddard, police duty, $338.25
Arthur D. Cassidy, police duty, 304.25
Elwin J. Nevills, police duty, 380.55
A. P. Bartlett, police duty, 15.00
John McL. Moore, police duty, 226.50
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Ethel T. Skillin, 500.00
Sara C. Goodwin, 550.00
Isabelle M. Banks, 428.00
Margaret L. O'Neil, 482.00
Margaret E. Jackson, 410.00
Ruth E. Gove, 650.00
Melvina Boyesson, 464.00
Katherine Quinn, 482.00
Mattie L. Buzzell, 446.00
Marion Brackett, 500.00
Alice Eva Dame, 464.00
Louise Conrad, 500.00
Georgia A. Melia, 428.00
Elizabeth A. Robinson, 428.00
Mary E. O'Brion, 410.00
Inez E. Fowler, 428.00
Charlotte W. Skillin, 550.00

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Appropriation, $4,000.00.
Clinton Phinney, proceeds from sale of old windows, 1.50
Transferred from abatements and overlays, 2,027.39

$6,028.89

EXPENDED.

Porteous, Mitchell & Braun, 1 flag, $ 3.75
Municipal Light & Power Co., gas at High School, 15.03
George W. Doughty, labor, Pleasant St. School, 2.20
The Bigelow-Bailey Co., supplies, High School, 21.34
A. H. Moulton, 2 air valves, 1.00
George W. Leighton, labor and material, Cash Corner, 13.91
S. King Starbird, repairs, High School, 52.06
Joseph Pero, labor, City Home, 12.38
Cumberland County P. & L. Co., supplies, 23.45
A. S. Woodbury, repairing flag poles, 23.00
The Emery-Waterhouse Co., supplies, 25.92
W. L. Mileson, labor, Knightville School, 32.50
C. A. Tilton & Co., labor, supplies, 1,701.35
William Spear Co., fuel, 30.00
John Burchill, labor and material, 25.98
The Thomas Laughlin Co., supplies, 94.18
Charles E. Sweeney, 4 Yale keys, 1.00
Winfield Cash, cleaning vaults, 6.00
A. S. Woodbury, cleaning and painting city offices, 155.65
James E. Paige, labor and material, 371.09
L. R. Genn, repairs, High School, 96.75
Smith & Rumery Co., lumber, 108.64
Evening Express Publishing Co., advertising contractors' notices, 9.19
A. C. McCausland, labor and material, Knightville, 193.00
- Austin W. Pease, plans and specifications, proposed Thornton Heights School, 200.00
A. S. Woodbury, labor and supplies, Willard School, 709.49
A. S. Woodbury, labor and supplies, Broadway School, 901.71
Rufus Deering Co., lumber and carting, 89.02
A. C. McCausland, painting Knightville School, 132.00
Oren Hooper Sons, supplies, 1.60
David Loveitt, labor, Broadway School, 19.45
King & Dexter, supplies, 10.16
H. F. Farnham Co., windows, 50.50
William B. Haggett, labor, Knightville School, 43.04
J. A. Leavitt & Son, supplies, 27.70
O. G. Bryant, labor and material, Cash Corner, 127.45
George A. Donnell, repairs, miscellaneous, 104.30
Lars P. Jensen, repairs, City Home, 33.86
EXPENDITURES.

Portland Rubber Co., supplies, 7.15
A. W. Whitney, supplies, 3.40
R. E. Tuttle, repairs, High School, 12.00
Horace B. McKenney, labor, Skillin School, 2.00
Fred S. Curtis, labor and material, So. Portland Heights, 66.10
Charles Coughlin, supplies, 7.55
A. H. Brown, labor, Knightville School, 65.00
J. A. Coolbroth, labor, 6.25
E. W. Greenstreet, labor and supplies, 9.12
T. F. Foss & Sons, supplies, 149.36
Thomas F. Devine, supplies, .20
S. C. Harmon, labor and supplies, Union Hall, 29.80
William B. Haggett, labor, City Home, 28.75
Parker O. Haley, labor, cleaning East High and Pleasant St. Schools, 47.80
William Cash, cleaning Cash Corner School, 15.28
C. H. Prout, labor and material, Evans St., 96.28
S. King Starbird, labor, Knightville School, 13.20

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$6,028.89

SCHOOLS, FREE HIGH, TEACHERS.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 485.67
Appropriation, 7,525.00
State Aid, 500.00

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$8,510.67

Expended.

Teachers' pay roll, 1917-1918, $8,004.06
Balance unexpended, 506.61

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$8,510.67

SCHOOLS, COMMON, JANITORS.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $.122.02
Appropriation, 3,900.00
Transferred from abatements and overlays, 23.89

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$4,045.91

Expended.

Janitors' pay roll, 1917-1918, $4,045.91
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<td>William Spear Co., fuel Union Hall,</td>
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EXPENDITURES.

SCHOOLS, COMMON, SUPPLIES.

Balance, February 1, 1917.  $ 44.49
Town of Cape Elizabeth, refund, 2.38
Town of Cape Elizabeth, tuition, 1,126.20
Tuition, miscellaneous, 14.00

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$1,187.07

EXPENDED.

Edwards & Walker Co., supplies, $ 2.44
C. M. Rice Paper Co., supplies, 159.76
Edward E. Babb Co., supplies, 205.10
L. L. Marshall Co., printing, 131.95
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies, 331.43
Rines Bros. Co., supplies, 1.25
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies, .60
The Sanitary Brush Co., supplies, 32.83
Milton, Bradley Co., supplies, 30.30
Thomas F. Devine, supplies, .25
The A. N. Palmer Co., supplies, 31.37
J. R. Libby Co., supplies, 3.43
The Chicago Flag Decorating Co., supplies, 6.30
Thompson, Brown & Co., Inc., 34.50
Southworth Printing Co., paper, 4.00
T. F. Foss & Sons, supplies, 5.85
Transferred to Text Books, 140.55
Balance unexpended, 65.16

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$1,187.07

SCHOOL FUEL.

Appropriation overdrawn, 1916, $ 41.27
Appropriation, 3,500.00
Transferred from abatements and overlays, 1,869.84

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$5,411.11

EXPENDED.

Overdrawn, 1916, $ 41.27
George L. Talbot, wood, 49.00
William Spear Co., fuel, 4,392.74
C. V. Morse, fuel, 928.10

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$5,411.11
SCHOOLS, FREE HIGH, SUPPLIES.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 122.02
Appropriation, 900.00
Simon M. Hamlin, sale of old books, etc., 109.52
High School, tuition, 220.00

EXPENDED.

Pan American Union, subscription to bulletin, $ .75
Allyn & Bacon, books, 178.22
C. A. Nichols Co., books, 13.00
Gracia Prescott, expense, 3.70
Shaw Business College, rent of typewriters, 132.50
C. O. Barrows Co., supplies, 3.50
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., supplies, 18.76
D. C. Heath & Co., supplies, 46.56
Manifold Manufacturing Co., supplies, 8.00
T. F. Foss & Sons, 1 letter file, 59.60
Thomas F. Devine, supplies, 1.70
The Gregg Co., books, 12.50
American Book Co., books, 66.12
H. E. Murdock, supplies, 9.50
A. S. Macreadie, Supt., use of Cape Theatre for High School graduation, 39.00
Jean Remicks Orchestra, services at High School graduation, 24.20
Shaw Business College, 29 diplomas, 14.50
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., books, 14.73
Atkinson, Mentzer & Co., books, 31.41
Ginn & Co., books, 110.19
C. H. Guppy Co., supplies, 1.00
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun Co., supplies, .90
Edward E. Babb Co., books, 10.91
John A. Folwartschney, 6 Yale keys, 1.50
Charles M. Hay Paint Co., supplies, 4.16
Cook, Everett & Pennell, supplies, 14.15
Charles Scribners Sons, books, 28.80
The University of Chicago Press, books, 15.32
EXPENDITURES.

C. M. Rice Paper Co., supplies,  .92
The Macmillan Co., books,  13.31
William W. Roberts Co., supplies,  1.50
L. L. Marshall Co., printing,  5.25
Loring, Short & Harmon, 1 Maine Register,  3.00
Shaw’s Business College, supplies,  79.23
State Librarian, subscription,  1.25
E. M. Woodward, supplies,  4.11
Rines Bros. Co., supplies,  15
I. R. Genn, labor & supplies,  18.85
Amy L. Kaler, magazine subscriptions,  21.25
Portland Gas Light Co., appliances,  6.00
Balance unexpended,  318.13.

$1,351.54

SCHOOLS, TEXT BOOKS.

Appropriation,  $1,000.00
Transferred from Common School supplies,  140.55
Simon M. Hamlin, refund,  5.05

$1,145.60

EXPENDED.

Silver, Burdette & Co., books,  $209.29
Little, Brown & Co., books,  163.33
D. C. Heath & Co., books,  89.79
Ginn & Co., books,  152.48
Edward E. Babb & Co., books,  72.15
American Book Co., books,  266.81
D. Appleton & Co., books,  48.86
The MacMillan Co., books,  105.52
Houghton, Mifflin Co., books,  36.12
The H. H. Wilson Co., books,  1.25

$1,145.60

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

Appropriation,  $800.00

EXPENDED.

Simon M. Hamlin, Supt., salary,  $800.00
RECEIPTS AND SINKING FUND.

Balance, February 1, 1918, $3,652.15

SPECIAL TEACHERS.
Annie D. McLellan, $775.00
Helen M. Hall, 775.00
Hazel E. Webb, 650.00

STREET LIGHTS.
Appropriation; EXPENDED.
Cumberland County Power & Light Co., $8,000.00
   current for 1917, $7,525.81
   Balance unexpended, 474.19

STREETS AND BRIDGES.
Appropriation, $10,000.00
Overdrawn, 1916, 501.80
Thomas Towle, sale of junk, 70.98
Frank C. Nutter, refund, 46.00
S. A. Townsend, gravel, 7.00
O. A. Delatore, gravel, 3.00
W. B. Skillin, gravel, 10.00
C. M. Hannaford, gravel, 13.00
Z. C. Manter, gravel, 2.50
Town of Cape Elizabeth, use of steam roller, 40.50
James Dunlap, gravel, 11.00
Harry Carmichael, gravel, 2.00
State of Maine, gravel, 13.50
A. C. McCausland, gravel, 118.75
Frank H. Marshall, use of teams and steam roller, 153.71
E. L. Dunscombe, gravel, 19.50
Simon M. Hamlin, lumber, 2.00
J. H. Harrigan, gravel, 13.00
W. H. Doughty, gravel, 46.75
EXPENDITURES.

Rundlett & Verrill Co., gravel, 27.00
James B. Pope, loam, 5.00
George E. Haggett, gravel, 2.25
Philip S. Melcher, gravel, 12.00
Refund, acct. J. W. Gulliver, contract not completed, 393.20
Portland Sebago Ice Co., for their share of driveway at Long Creek, as agreed, 37.50
Transferred from Abatements & Overlays, 1,447.01
Overdrawn, 6,044.43

$19,043.38

EXPENDED.

Overdrawn, 1916, $ 501.80
Horace T. Perkins, agent, pumping out pontoon, 110.00
Rufus Deering Co., lumber, 145.90
Murdock Damper & Bronze Co., bronze tablet, Long Creek bridge, 20.00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight, 31.25
Payroll, 14,478.39
Bennett Contracting Corporation, repairing ferry slip and wrecking pontoon, 867.28
The Good Roads Machinery Co., wagon loader, complete, 899.00
Walter I. McKenney, labor on roads, 6.69
The Emery-Waterhouse Co., supplies, 69.36
A. W. Sanborn, labor and material, 24.05
C. A. Tilton & Co., supplies, 366.54
Knightville Garage, gasoline, 1.35
G. H. Anderson, auto hire, 25.00
Forgione & Romano Co., supplies, 1.90
William B. Haggett, filing saws, .75
W. L. Blake & Co., supplies, 64.63
E. L. Dunscombe, labor and material, 67.40
Forest W. Field, 80 loads of stone, 20.00
The Good Roads Machinery Co., supplies, 17.00
A. R. Wright Co., fuel, 12.93
Portland Terminal Co., demurrage, 6.00
A. E. Skillin, services as engineer, 56.00
Standard Oil Co., gasoline, 13.25
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SIDEWALKS — CEMENT.

Due from Abutters for sidewalks built prior to 1908:

- High Street, $64.70
- Day Street, 16.63
- Front Street, 19.86
- Ocean Street, 100.32
- Randall Street, 16.14
- Sawyer Street, 59.58

Total: $277.23

Due from Abutters for sidewalks built in 1908 and subsequently:

- Brown Street, $15.23
- Cottage Street, 99.20
- C Street, 40.06
- E Street, 48.79
- Kelsey Street, 23.40
- Ocean Street, 40.06
- Preble Street, 100.29
- Stanford Street, 18.03
- Summer Street, 63.06
- Myrtle Avenue, 15.00
- Angell Avenue, 44.22
- Stanwood Street, 13.39
- Sawyer Street, 27.92

Total: $548.65

Due from Abutters for sidewalks built in 1916:

- Pleasant Street, $101.92
- Henley Street, 22.50
- Summit Street, 145.10
- Summer Street, 26.20

Total: $295.72

Due from Abutters for sidewalks built in 1917:

- Woodbury Street, $37.12
- Cottage Street, 31.16
- Summit Street, 16.25
- Smith Street, 16.50
- A Street, 24.74
- B Street, 16.50
- Elm Street, 65.82
- Anthoine Street, 55.28
- Woodbury Street, 106.03
- Highland Road, 146.02

Total: $515.72

OLD SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Balance due from old sidewalk assessment account, $159.63
SEWERS.

Assessment due from Sewer Abutters:

- Anthoine Street, $137.10
- Bean Street, 49.66
- Cottage and Woodbury Streets, 44.82
- Henley Street, 99.50
- Hill Street, 169.18
- Highland Avenue, 39.18
- Henry Street, 21.78
- Kelsey Street, 20.42
- Lincoln Street, 81.10
- Pickett Street, 34.83
- Marriner, Broadway and Sawyer Streets, 491.86
- Spring, Summit and Grand Streets, 154.47
- Surfsite Street, 1.04
- Pine Street, 46.40
- Cottage Street, 183.24
- Summit Street, 28.45

Total: $1,603.03

Assessments due from Abutters for sewers built in 1916-1917:

- Broadway, $450.06
- Elmwood Avenue, 127.41
- Anthoine Street, 150.77
- East Broadway, 407.90
- Carter Street, 111.51
- Elsmere Avenue, 238.11

Total: $1,485.76

OLD SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

Balance due old sewer assessment account, $978.00

SIDEWALK AND SEWER ACCOUNT.

Total assessments due from Sidewalk abutters to February 1, 1918, $1,796.95-
Total assessments due from Sewer abutters to February 1, 1918, 4,066.79

Total: $5,863.74
AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen —

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the City Treasurer and find them to be correct, and that the foregoing statement of the receipts and expenditures of the City of South Portland for the financial year ending January 31, 1918, is correct.

Edwin J. Morrill,
Auditor.

South Portland, Maine, February 18, 1918.
REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of South Portland—

Gentlemen:—The following is a record of tax collections for the year ending January 31st, 1918:

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Total, $162,986.44 $133,175.49 $1,943.10 $27,867.85

1917 collections includes $1,136.88 bid in by city at tax sale.
1917 uncollected includes $592.84 sold for taxes in previous years.
1917 uncollected includes $650.43 in City list.
Paid to City Treasurer, taxes, $132,088.61
" " " " interest, 622.08
" " " " fees, 193.03

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. BROWN,

Treasurer and Collector.
REPORT OF CITY TREASURER

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of South Portland, Maine —

The following is a true record of receipts and expenditures of the Treasurer’s office for the year ending February 1, 1918:

Receipts.

Cash balance, Feb. 1, 1917, less error charged off by Auditor, $5,180.10
1917 tax collections, 130,458.35
Interest on collections, $622.08
Tax fees, etc., 192.83
City Clerk’s fees, 449.57
Board of Health fees, 70.00
Municipal court fine, 5.00
Telephone tolls, 12.10
Interest earned on bank account, 684.48
Poor department, 721.90
Common School tuition, 1,140.20
High School tuition, 220.00
High School supplies, 109.52
Text books, 5.05
Common School supplies, 2.38
Streets, bridges and sidewalks, 1,050.14
Police department refunds, 501.00
Public buildings, 1.50
Drains and sewers, 191.51
Cement sidewalks, 86.30

Total of regular income accounts, $6,075.56

Dog license refund, $143.67
Railroad and telegraph tax, 280.73
Common school and mill fund, 16,331.90
High school fund, 500.00
Burial of soldiers, 70.00
Mothers’ Aid refunds, 52.71
State Aid road, 1,083.99

Total from State, $19,163.00
Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,
one-half cost Broadway extension, 3,184.55

Collected from Assets —

Back taxes, $ 1,580.26
Old sidewalks, 235.93
Old sewers, 57.96
Tax deeds, 1,995.58

Total from assets, 3,869.73

Total collections, $167,231.29

Notes in anticipation of taxes, $60,000.00
For temporary loans, note No. 1, 7,000.00
For temporary loans, note No. 2, 3,000.00
For temporary loans, note No. 3, 3,000.00
For temporary loans, note No. 4, 4,500.00
For temporary loans, note No. 5, 5,000.00
For temporary loans, note No. 6, 5,000.00

Total loans, $ 87,500.00

Total collections and loans, $254,731.29

Expenditures.

Council order No. 1, $10,719.04
Council order No. 2, 11,074.55
Council order No. 3, 11,400.45
Council order No. 4, 13,421.48
Council order No. 5, 8,818.02
Council order No. 6, 8,354.78
Council order No. 7, 18,445.70
Council order No. 8, 79,126.18
Council order No. 9, 23,117.56
Council order No. 10, 15,114.98
Council order No. 11, 36,637.12
Council order No. 12, 12,409.24
Council order, special, March, 600.00
Council order, special, March, 125.00
Council order, special, June, 3.50
CITY TREASURER.

Council order, special, August, 2.65
Council order, special, September, 24.00
Council order, special, October, 45.00
Paid J. P. Gurney, in March, 1917, *36.65

Total orders drawn, $249,475.90
Deduct advances for State aid, ** 2,233.50

Bonds redeemed, 6,500.00

Total expenditures for city obligations, $253,742.40

Balance, February 1st, 1918, $ 988.89

*This payment was authorized in order No. 11 of December, 1916, but payment was held up till March, 1917 by committee order.
**This sum represents advances on behalf of the State, and while it is included in city orders, it is not a city obligation and is not treated as such in auditor's accounts.

For details of above orders, see Auditor's report.

The above total of orders, $249,475.90, less State aid advances and $60,000 of notes in anticipation of taxes, leaves $187,242.40 as per Summary.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

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**EXPLANATION OF SUMMARY,**

*These items are transfers from overlays and abatements accounts and amount to $5,500.00.

**This item was not in appropriation bill; it was taken care of by notes which are to be converted into a bond issue.

†This item was not in appropriation bill. The City's share of expense was taken care of by notes.

‡These items were not in appropriation bill.

In analyzing this summary, it should be noted that the Treasurer has treated the transactions for the past year strictly as Cash Transactions, all balances and overdrafts of the previous year being disregarded entirely. The total amount raised by the City Government by appropriation is shown and the various amounts collected during the year and credited to the different accounts, also the exact amounts charged against each account and for which Treasurer's checks were actually drawn. The items under the heads of "Used in other accounts," and "Used from other accounts," represent transfers made by the Council at the close of the year, to be used in the Auditor's records; they are not considered in arriving at figures shown under heads of balances and overdrafts. If these items and the balances and overdrafts of the previous year are taken into consideration, the Treasurer's and Auditor's accounts would show no differences.
Resume.

 Appropriated and assessed, $129,467.23
 Collected of assessment, 129,467.23

 Orders drawn (summary), $187,242.40
 Appropriation, 129,467.23

 Bonds redeemed, 6,500.00
 Outstanding bond of Sept. 1, 1917, 1,000.00

 Amount to be made up in excess of 1917 appropriation, $65,275.17

 Made up as follows:
  Balance 1917 commitment, $ 991.12
  From State, 19,463.00
  From assets, 3,869.73
  Regular income, 6,075.56
  C. C. P. & L. Co., B'dway extension, 3,184.55
  Floating notes, 27,500.00

  $61,083.96

 Plus loss in cash —
  February 1, 1917, $5,180.10
  February 1, 1918, 988.89

  4,191.21

  $65,275.17
LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PORTLAND.

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Total bonded debt, $206,450.00

Floating notes, 27,500.00

Bond due September 1, 1917 and not presented for payment, 1,000.00

Total assets, 46,276.14

Valuation by assessors, $5,400,885.00
REPORT OF ASSESSORS.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen—

Gentlemen:—We herewith submit our report as Assessors of the City of South Portland for the municipal year ending January 31st, 1918.

Total amount of property as valued by assessors and shown by valuation book for the year 1917, is as follows:

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POLLS AND RATE.

Number of polls, 2,262. Polls pay $3.00 each. Rate of taxation, $2.40 on a $100.00.

APPROPRIATION.

Amount of money appropriated by the City Council of the City of South Portland for the municipal year of 1917, and for cleaning brown tail moths from individual property, $129,516.23
Overlays, 5,185.61
Supplemental tax, 1,859.40

.0240 on $5,327,785.00 $127,886.84
2,262 polls at $3.00, 6,786.00
Supplemental tax, 1,859.40
Brown tail moth tax, 49.00

$136,456.24
OVERLAYS AND ABATEMENTS.

Balance on hand, February 1, 1917, $ 843.13
Overlays, 5,185.61
Supplemental tax, 1,859.40

$ 7,888.14

ABATEMENTS ALLOWED.

For the year 1915, $ 37.07
“ “ 1916, 273.82
“ “ 1917, 1,610.78
Transferred to other accounts, 5,500.00
Balance on hand, February 1, 1918, 466.47

$7,888.14

Geo. E. Haggett,
Henry E. Cash,
Charles W. Brown,

Assessors of South Portland.
REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of South Portland —

Gentlemen:—The Overseers of the Poor herewith respectfully submit this, their annual report for the year ending January 31st, 1918.

Balance, February 1, 1917, $ 985.68
Appropriation, 4,500.00
Cash receipts, 721.90

Total expenditures, $4,542.16
Balance unexpended, 1,665.42

Due from S. M. Nutter, $ 153.00
" " Town of Calais, 43.00
" " City of Portland, 3.85
" " Heart Work Society, 16.00

$ 215.85

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. H. Smith,
Joseph P. Tanner,
William A. Cobb,

Overseers of the Poor.

For itemized accounts see Auditor's Report.
REPORT OF CITY ELECTRICIAN.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen —

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit my report for the year ending January 31st, 1918.

INSPECTIONS.

I have made two hundred and sixty-five inspections and issued one hundred and twenty-seven permits as follows:

Fifty-three new buildings, sixty-seven old buildings, three ship yards and four oil works.

All of the above wiring has been done to conform to the National Board of Fire Underwriters rules and requirements.

FIRE ALARMS.

There has been twenty-nine alarms from the following boxes: One from box 12; three from box 15; one from box 16; one from box 18; one from box 25; one from box 26; five from box 34 (two of these were false alarms); one from box 37; two from box 38 (one of these was a false alarm); one from box 44; one from box 56; one from box 64; one from box 65; one from box 66; one from box 71; one from box 74; four from box 75; one from box 77, and one from box 78.

The total loss from the above alarms has been very small. We have at present twenty miles of wire in our fire alarm system of which fifteen miles were constructed in 1916 and 1917, also the present year we had to reconstruct the circuits the whole length of Broadway, on account of the building of the new power lines to furnish power to the new ship yards.

The tapper system has been extended to the Willard Hose Company and to the Knightville Hose Company. The wires have been run out as far as Elm Street for the Pleasantdale Company, but on account of not being able to procure the necessary material, through market conditions, we were unable to complete that section.
At the present time we have fifty-nine tappers in working condition and thirty in stock to be installed as soon as we can get the proper material.

Box twenty-five, located at the corner of High and Preble Streets, has been replaced with a modern Non-Interference Successive Gamewell box.

The coming year brings a large responsibility on our fire companies, as we have four ship yards that are doing a big business together with the other large manufacturing plants that are in operation at present, which are using altogether, over 1,000 h. p. in electric motive power.

Thanking you, gentlemen, for your co-operation with me in carrying out the work of the past year. And especially I wish to thank the chairman of the fire committee, Frank H. Winslow, for his untiring interest and labor in bringing the fire alarm system to its present efficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. H. BRIMECOMBE,

City Electrician.
REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of South Portland—

I hereby submit the following report as Building Inspector for the year ending February, 1918.

I find that building operations in the city has suffered to a large extent from the high cost of building material, as many had planned to build this year.

There are a number of persistent contractors in different sections of the city, that is very noticeable for the number of buildings they have constructed, and the thoroughness of their workmanship.

I have inspected all buildings immediately upon notification, and have found them, with few exceptions, very substantially built and according to the building laws of the city.

There has also been many extensive repairs and alterations on the buildings this year. Considering the number of shipyards and other enterprising concerns, South Portland has made a very favorable progression this year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK H. GILMAN,
Building Inspector.
REPORT OF PLUMBING INSPECTOR.

To the Honorable Board of Health of So. Portland, Maine —

Gentlemen:—I hereby submit my report of the work performed by me in my official capacity as plumbing inspector of the City of South Portland, Maine, from February 1st, 1917 to January 31st, 1918.

I have inspected and supervised the work for which ninety (90) permits were issued, and the following is a detailed list of the plumbing installed within the above mentioned dates:

- Permits issued: 90
- Closets installed: 98
- Lavatories installed: 70
- Bath Tubs installed: 59
- Sinks installed: 78
- Laundry Trays installed: 39
- Conductors installed: 25
- Ice Boxes installed: 1
- Urinals installed: 11
- Carriage Washers installed: 1
- Drinking Troughs installed: 1
- Stall Drains installed: 1
- Butler Sinks installed: 1
- Old Fixtures retrapped: 32
- Cement Drains removed: 15
- Vaults done away with: 13
- Plumbing installed in new buildings: 41
- Plumbing installed in old buildings: 49

All of the above plumbing has been installed according to the rules and regulations of the Board of Health, and the workmanship has been done in a satisfactory manner, every job being thoroughly inspected by me before being accepted as completed.

Within the above mentioned time, thirteen (13) outside vaults have been abandoned for the more modern plumbing, and to conclude my report, I would again recommend, as I did in my report of February 1st, 1917, that all buildings that are accessible to a sewer should enter it, and where there is no sewer, a cesspool should be built the lawful distance from the house and a system of plumbing installed which would conform with the laws of the Board of Health.

Respectfully yours,

J. H. Duffey,

Plumbing Inspector.
To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen, City of South Portland, Maine—

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit the following report for the year ending January 31, 1918.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPORTED.
Mumps, 1; diphtheria, 7; chicken pox, 4; measles, 30; typhoid fever, 7; scarlet fever, 1; whooping cough, 2.

FUMIGATION.
Dwelling houses fumigated, 17.

PLUMBING PERMITS AND LICENSES.
Number of plumbing permits issued, 91.
Number of plumbing permits cancelled, 1.
Number of plumbers' licenses issued, 34.
All fees received by me have been handed over to the City Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Samuels,
Secretary Board of Health.
REPORT OF CITY CLERK.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council,
South Portland, Maine —

Gentlemen:—As is customary, at the end of the financial year, I herewith submit the following report of the work of the office, from February 1st, 1917 to January 31st, 1918, inclusive.

All fees collected, in amount $459.57, have been recorded in fee book, and said amount has been delivered to City Treasurer, and receipt taken for same. There have been issued licenses and permits as follows: Licenses to conduct pool room and bowling alley, 1; to conduct pool room and billiard hall, 6; to blast, 3; to keep and sell gasoline, 1; to conduct moving picture theatre, 1; victualer's, 21; to peddle junk, 26; to peddle fruit 6; auctioneer, 1.

Permits to open streets, move buildings, make repairs, etc. (this includes Portland Water District permits), 231; permits to erect new buildings, 53; permits to transport explosives, 38; dog licenses, whole number issued, 262. Males, 246; females, 13; kennels, 3.

VITAL STATISTICS.

There have been returned to this office for record 205 births, 147 deaths and 95 marriages.

MARRIAGES.

1916.


1917.

Feb. 2. By Thomas E. O'Brien, Justice of the Peace, of Bellows Falls, Vt., Frederick Donald Gibbs of South Portland and Gertrude Frances Cannon of Brewer, Me.


17. By the Rev. Frank W. Smith of South Portland, Charles E. Riebe and Rachel Jones, both of South Portland.
17. By the Rev. Fred A. Karpe of South Portland, Edward Russell Roberts of Bridgeport, Conn. and Frances Shackford Merriman of South Portland.


25. By the Rev. H. N. Shohet of Portland, Charles Farber of So. Portland and Zella Levin of Bath, Me.


Apr. 5. By the Rev. Jonas Taylor of Westbrook, Philip Loveitt and Eliza Arvilla Hodgkins, both of South Portland.


17. By the Rev. Alexander Jackson of Portland, Percy Clement McManus and Sadie Gray Jenkins, both of South Portland.

18. By Frank B. W. Welch, Justice of the Peace of Portland, Oiva Ware of Portland and Anna Saarikka of South Portland.
18. By the Rev. Frank W. Smith of South Portland, George Henry Minott and Mary Davis, both of South Portland.


May 2. By the Rev. Frank W. Smith of South Portland, Alvin William Dunphe of Portland and Edith May Johnson of South Portland.

5. By the Rev. Fred Karpe of South Portland, Matthew A. Goan of Portland and Ebba E. Lejonhud of South Portland.


June 1. By Andrew S. Macreadie, Justice of the Peace, Cape Elizabeth, Charles Bertrem Ellsworth and Emma Jane Longaphee, both of Cape Elizabeth.


6. By the Rev. Frank W. Smith of South Portland, Henry G. Jones and Harriett Edith Sawyer, both of South Portland.


10. By the Rev. Harry E. Townsend of Westbrook, Edward Clinton Richardson and Mabel Frances Coombs, both of South Portland.


25. By the Rev. Fredric Olsen of South Portland, Walter George Anderson and Vida Elizabeth Morgan, both of South Portland.

25. By the Rev. O. L. W. Brown of South Portland, Mike Hagiopian and Florence Gertrude Dearing, both of South Portland.

27. By the Rev. Hiram Mains of South Portland, Tracy B. Mains of North Windham and Sarah M. Sawyer of Windham.

30. By the Rev. Frederic S. Bamford of South Portland, Reginald Perry Richards and Lillian Caroline Peterson, both of South Portland.


30. By the Rev. Fred A. Karpe of South Portland, John Francis Fitzsimmons and Margaret Mary Napier, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.


2. By the Rev. C. P. Edlund of Portland, Gustave A. Nystrom and Wilhelmina Ward, both of So. Portland.


23. By the Rev. Frank W. Smith of South Portland, Elver A. Harmon and Delona Yetton Waldren, both of Scarboro.


15. By the Rev. Fredric Olsen of South Portland, Oliver Frederick Burt and Grace Florence Weymouth, both of South Portland.

15. By the Rev. L. B. Tenney of South Portland, Thomas H. Knight and Sarah E. Jones, both of Portland.


25. By the Rev. Ernest F. Doughty of Berwick, Me., Herbert LeRoy Doughty and Leila G. Redlon, both of South Portland.


26. By the Rev. Frederic S. Bamford of South Portland, Alonzo S. Parks of Bath, Me. and Terina Tanahan of South Portland.


3. By the Rev. Frank C. Potter of South Portland, Charles Augustus Main and Lettie E. Stone, both of Portland.


27. By the Rev. T. W. Owens of Portland, Raymond F. Bennett of Portland and Laura G. March of South Portland.


30. By the Rev. William H. Fultz of Portland, Roy F. Darling and Isabel M. Millett, both of South Portland.

31. By the Rev. Henry G. Clark of South Portland, Henry Adelbert Griffin and Isabelle Eliza Cobb, both of South Portland.


26. By the Rev. T. H. Houlihan of Portland, Joseph Peter Walsh of South Portland and Isabelle Mary Likely of Portland.


10. By the Rev. Clinton Simonton of South Portland, Herbert Leland Grover and Dora May Ross, both of South Portland.


1918.


20. By the Rev. Clinton Simonton of South Portland, Frank L. Peters and Mary G. Stuart, both of South Portland.

23. By Henry N. Taylor, Notary Public of Portland, George Penn and Sophia Spritzer, both of Portland.

30. By the Rev. Frank C. Potter of South Portland, Oscar Merton Holman and Lucy A. Libby, both of South Portland.

DEATHS.

1917.

Feb. 2. James Henry Taylor, 73 yrs., 1 mo., 7 days, cancer of abdomen.

2. Frederick O. James, 46 yrs., 9 mos., heart disease.

3. Infant Miller, stillborn.

4. Albert G. Dyer, 70 yrs., pulmonary tuberculosis.

11. Henry E. Willard, 79 yrs., 3 mos., 2 days, cerebral hemorrhage.

14. Virginia M. Watson, 47 yrs., 10 mos., 2 days, malnutrition, intestinal.

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25. William A. Blake, 53 yrs., cerebral hemorrhage.
26. Linwood H. Smith, 5 yrs., 8 mos., 29 days, fracture of skull, accidental.
29. Josephine Anna Hynes, 4 mos., 10 days, intestinal indigestion.

June
1. Clara Hall Drisko, 52 yrs., cerebral embolism.
13. Alvelda L. Jordan, 6 mos., 3 days, posterior basic meningitis.
15. Philip M. Cormier, 38 yrs., 7 mos., 10 days, shock and hemorrhage, ruptured liver and spleen.
17. Martha Emily Hodgkins 68 yrs., 28 days, cancer of liver.
18. Thomas Horton, 76 yrs., 21 days, pulmonary tuberculosis.
23. Adelaide Gibson, 66 yrs., 27 days, chronic myocardial insufficiency.
25. Lucy F. Griffin, 25 yrs., 2 mos., 18 days, exhaustion, operation for gall stones.

July
6. Clarence V. Rothier, 10 mos., 15 days, double lobar pneumonia.
8. Frances Eudora Welch, 14 yrs., acute nephritis, with complications.
16. Loyd Melvin Curry, 1 day, premature birth.
26. Frederick O. Bailey, 74 yrs., probable coronary spasm.

Aug.
7. Mary Galus, 30 yrs., 18 days, tuberculosis.
10. Joseph H. Pettengill, 77 yrs, 6 mos., 8 days, natural causes, found dead.
13. David T. Thomas, 70 yrs., 5 mos., 7 days, endocarditis, acute.
19. Fred E. S. Hamilton, 45 yrs., 3 mos., 4 days, pulmonary tuberculosis.
23. Sarah G. Dowell, 45 yrs., natural causes, found dead.
23. Electus Gott Lane, 53 yrs., cerebral hemorrhage.
31. Eulilia Gee, 4 mos., 10 days, measles.

Sept. 1. Charles Brown, 75 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day, valvular disease of heart.
5. Raymond P. Phinney, Jr., 8 mos., 16 days, cholera infantum.
5. Virginia Lambert, 4 mos., cholera infantum.
7. Emily Nothelfer, 11 mos., cholera infantum.
8. Paul Floyd, 23 days, cholera infantum.
10. Melvin R. Dyer, 60 yrs., 1 mo., 10 days, pernicious anaemia.
12. Baby Pollock, 1 day, anencephalus.
13. Lucy Sovenski, 4 mos., entero colitis.
15. Mary A. McClare 73 yrs., kerosene burns.
22. Charles Maynard Peabody. 7 days, difficult labor.
26. Edmund Sawyer Henley, 80 yrs., 19 days, chronic nephritis.
28. Tobias Pillsbury, 77 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day, cerebral hemorrhage.
30. Frances Hinds, 11 days, inanition.

4. Elizabeth F. Blackwell, 5 yrs., 11 mos., 30 days, heart failure, diphtheria.
4. Evelyn Louise Holbrook, 68 yrs., 4 days, aortic insufficiency.
7. Raymond Conley, 1 yr., 5 mos., acute entero colitis.
10. Isadore Cutler, 18 days, premature birth.
22. Jerry Strout Thompson, 45 yrs., 9 mos., 6 days, malignant disease of lung.
Nov.  3.  Matthew Ambrose Goan, 2 days, premature birth.
12.  Elizabeth Chase, 55 yrs. ulcers of the stomach.
15.  James B. Libby, 49 yrs., 6 mos., 16 days, diabetes.

Dec.  2.  Lydia Hopkins Moulton, 87 yrs., 8 mos., 19 days, cerebral apoplexy.
2.  Annie B. Bowie, 64 yrs., 7 mos., 25 days, lobar pneumonia.
5.  Alice M. O’Brien, 23 yrs., 6 mos., 12 days, pulmonary tuberculosis.
6.  David A. Kincaid, 63 yrs., 6 mos., 25 days, acute dilation of heart.
10.  Rose Marks, 68 yrs. 9 mos., 10 days, valvular disease of heart.
11.  Elizabeth Widgery Varnum, 82 yrs., 6 mos., 18 days, chronic nephritis.
12.  Arline C. Foss, 1 mo., 17 days, congestion of lung.
12.  William C. Green, 11 mos., 13 days, broncho pneumonia.
18.  Mildred L. Miller, 28 yrs., 1 mo., 3 days, puerperal albumenuria with convulsions.
18.  Infant Miller, premature, stillborn.
25.  Andrew J. Bryant, 80 yrs., 6 mos., 22 days, valvular disease of heart.
27.  Henry C. Harmon, 67 yrs., 3 mos., 23 days, pulmonary hemorrhage.
27.  James J. Smith, 56 yrs., 4 mos., 12 days, aortic insufficiency.
1918.

Jan. 1. Agnes L. Affleck, 64 yrs., 6 mos., 15 days, pneumonia.
1. James E. McLean, stillborn.
3. Mary Elizabeth Griffin, 79 yrs., cerebral hemorrhage.
7. Ida May Powlesland, 62 yrs., 5 mos., 8 days, inanition.
8. Elbridge Stevens Blen, 73 yrs., cerebral hemorrhage.
9. James Alden Barrett, 40 days, inanition.
10. Eliza Oliver, 82 yrs., 2 mos., 10 days, valvular disease of heart.
24. Winfield Ellis Woodbury, 39 yrs., 7 mos., pleuropneumonia.

DIED IN PORTLAND.

1917.

Feb. 6. Charles F. Jordan, 64 yrs., 5 mos., 6 days, cerebral hemorrhage, arterio sclerosis.
Mar. 1. Charles W. Craig, 41 yrs., 1 mo., 12 days, phthisis, lungs.
Apr. 21. George R. Harrison, 70 yrs., cerebral hemorrhage.
June 17. Philip M. Foss, 20 yrs., exhaustion, following operation (for intestinal obstruction.)
July 5. Hiram Ellis, 78 yrs., 3 mos., 18 days, cerebral hemorrhage.
13. Charles A. Harmon, 70 yrs., 11 mos., 5 days, osteosarcoma, face.
27. Thomas F. Small, 83 yrs., 8 mos., 26 days, chronic interstitial nephritis.
Oct. 1. Edward Boultenhouse 75 yrs., 1 mo., 25 days, shock, following operation (for intestinal obstruction).
5. Mary Ann Willcutt, 75 yrs., 4 mos., cerebral apoplexy.
Nov. 1. Frank F. Jones, 42 yrs., 7 mos., 29 days, chronic Bright's disease.
12. Joel M. Sawyer, 81 yrs., 5 mos., 22 days, bronchopneumonia.
19. John F. Place, 59 yrs., 10 mos., 29 days, obstruction of bowels.

1918.
Jan. 4. Willis L. Elliott, Jr., 3 mos., cerebral hemorrhage.

DIED IN CAPE ELIZABETH.

1917.
Mar. 28. Everett P. Lewis, 2 days, premature birth.
Apr. 7. John F. McFaun, 2 yrs., 5 mos., pneumonia.
Aug. 20. Florence F. True, 1 day, premature.
Nov. 22. Winfield S. Jordan, 67 yrs., 9 mos., 28 days, myocarditis.
Dec. 2. Peter Stampon, 26 yrs., 11 mos., 9 days, pulmonary tuberculosis.
13. John F. Peabblies, 80 yrs., 4 mos., 11 days, hernia.

1918.

DIED IN GORHAM, MAINE.

DIED IN BOSTON, MASS.

1917.
Aug. 15. Elizabeth Doughty, 65 yrs., 4 mos., 11 days, disseminated spinal sclerosis.
Sept. 22. Infant Dyer, stillborn.
Oct. 7. Georgia L. Knight, 39 yrs., cerebral spinal syphilis.

DIED IN LITTLETON, N. H.

1917.
Mar. 10. Daniel Boyce, 60 yrs., pneumonia.
DIED IN GLOUCESTER, MASS.

1917.
Mar. 11. Emma Florence Walton, 28 yrs., 8 days, acute tuberculous pneumonia.

DIED IN WESTBROOK, MAINE.

1917.
Apr. 4. Alfred W. Snow, 54 yrs., 10 mos., 28 days, valvular disease of heart.

DIED AT FT. MCKINLEY, MAINE.

1917.
Apr. 17. Henry J. Skinner, 4 hours, 15 minutes, asphyxia neonatorum.

DIED IN FITCHBURG, MASS.

1917.
June 18. Marietta M. Harrington, 65 yrs., 10 mos., 10 days, valvular disease of heart.

DIED AT ISLE OF SHOALS, N. H.

1917.

DIED IN WINDHAM, MAINE.

1917.
Aug. 18. Elizabeth Ellen Harlow, 78 yrs, 9 mos., 7 days, chronic myocarditis.

DIED IN AUGUSTA, MAINE.

1917.
Aug. 25. Sarah Jane Clark, 52 yrs., dementia praecox.

DIED IN AUBURN, MAINE.

1917.

DIED IN NEW GLOUCESTER, MAINE.

1917.
Nov. 12. Madeline Frances Tonneson, 20 yrs., 9 mos., 3 days, acute bronchitis.
VITAL STATISTICS.

DIED IN ST. PETERSBURG, FLA.

1917.
Nov. 27. Benjamin F. Woodbury, 81 yrs., myocarditis.

DIED IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

1917.

DIED IN NEW YORK CITY.

1918.

DIED AT FT. OGLETHORPE, GA.

1918.
Jan. 27. Stewart Pingree Morrill, 24 yrs., 3 mos., 27 days, acute epidemic cerebro spinal meningitis.

Respectfully submitted,

WOODBURY P. HARRINGTON,

City Clerk.
REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen —

The following actions are now pending court:

W. Winfield Smith, Administrator, against the City; a claim for damages by reason of an alleged defect in Broadway. This case is now in the Law Court for determination of the amount of damages, if any.

Mary Garace by Edw. L. Sollima, her next friend, against the city.

Edw. L. Sollima against the City.

These two actions are brought to recover damages by reason of an alleged defect in Rigby Road and are now pending in the Superior Court.

Notice was served on the City November 12th, 1917, by Arthur Dante of Portland, that he had a claim for damages by reason of a defect in Sawyer Street, but no further action has been taken by him.

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. Wilson,

City Solicitor.
REPORT OF BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen —

Gentlemen:—The Board of Registration of Voters hereby respectfully submit its usual annual report. Three sessions, two elections and the regular annual revision, covered the major part of our work for the year.

The posted lists for the municipal election one year ago, contained a total of 1,895 names of legal voters. In said municipal session, we registered 65 new voters, and in the special September session, 14 others qualified, and 9 were reinstated, a total of 88 for the year.

In the July (revision) session, and at other times during the year, we struck from the lists, 28 names of deceased voters, also 150 others as having removed from our city. We also found and confirmed 53 ward changes and corrected a large number of residence changes. Revised lists now ready for posting in the several wards prior to the forthcoming March election, contain a total of 1,805 names of legal voters. By wards, these are divided as follows: Ward 1, 284; Ward 2, 246; Ward 3, 236; Ward 4, 260; Ward 5, 228; Ward 6, 260; Ward 7, 291.

The following named elections occur this year. Municipal, Monday, March 4th. State Primaries, Monday, June 17th, and the State Election, Monday, September 9th.

Prior to each of these events the Board will be in session for the qualification of voters the days and hours prescribed by statute.

James K. Turner,
Marcus A. Hanna,
C. A. Tilton,
Board of Registration of Voters.
QUARTERMASTER'S REPORT, S. P. V. A.

South Portland. February 1, 1918.

Receipts.
Cash from the City of South Portland. $125.00

Expenditures.
Paid transportation, $19.00
" Temple Quartette, 20.00
" Dept. of Maine, G. A. R., flags, 12.75
" E. R. Bates, wreaths, 25.00
" Niles Nilson, bouquets, 3.00
" Mrs. Waterhouse, wreath for monument, 3.00
" D. Sylvester, express and incidentals, 3.65
" Rev. Mr. Tenney, oration, 10.00

$ 96.40

W. S. Dunn,
Quartermaster.