1921

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Monhegan Plantation (Me.)

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Annual Report

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE

Plantation of Monhegan

MAINE

For the Year Ending February 21,

1921

And report of the
Superintendent of Schools
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS, 1920

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
WILLIAM S. STANLEY    GEORGE E. SMITH
GEORGE C. EVERETT

Treasurer
LINWOOD A. DAVIS

Collector of Taxes
ALPHONSO SPEED

Plantation Clerk
WILLIAM S. STANLEY

Superintending School Committee
EARL S. FIELD    FRANK C. PIERCE
OTIS L. THOMPSON

Superintendent of Schools
ELMER C. VINING, Boothbay Harbor

Road Commissioner
GEORGE C. EVERETT

Board of Health
GEORGE E. SMITH    JOHN FIELD
GEORGE C. EVERETT

Truant Officer
HILL M. DANE

Constable
GEORGE C. EVERETT

Sealer of Weights and Measures
WESLEY H. HYDE, Boothbay Harbor
ASSESSORS' STATEMENT

VALUATION OF MONHEGAN PLANTATION

Resident Real Estate $37641 00
Non-resident Real Estate 52627 00

Total real estate $90268 00
Resident Personal Estate $4388 00
Non-resident Personal Estate 1849 00

Total amt. Personal Estate $6237 00

Grand Total Amount $96505 00

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT

Total Valuation of Real Estate $90268 00
Total Valuation of Personal Estate 6237 00

Grand Total Estate $96505 00

Rate of Taxation .0275
Tax Assessed on Estates $2653 89
Tax Assessed on Polls 138 00

Total assessment $2791 89

State tax $724 68
County tax 134 86
Plantation tax 1920 00
Overlay 12 35

Total original $2791 89

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APPROPRIATIONS 1920

For Schools $500 00
Books and Papers 35 00
Schoolhouse Repairs 35 00
Repairs of Roads 150 00
Plantation Expenses 425 00
Supt. of Schools 125 00
Discounts and Abatements 25 00
Repairs of Plan. Landing 300 00
Care of said Landing 25 00
New Road 300 00

Total appropriation $1920 00

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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FREE BOOKS

Paid Silver, Burdett & Co., books $2 78
Ginn & Co., books 6 54
J. L. Hammett Co., paper 8 83
Elmer C. Vining, erasers 1 25
Edward E. Babb & Co., books 9 14
Overdraft 1920  13 74
Appropriation 1920  $35 00
Overdraft 1921  7 28

$42 28  $42 28

SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS

Paid Pierce & Hartung, material  $ 3 00
Perkins Stove Co., damper  30
L. A. Davis, repairs on flag  50
Perkins Stove Co., dust bane  2 50
J. L. Hammett Co., jar  4 25
M. A. Orne, labor  3 75
Pierce & Hartung, material  8 30
Linwood A. Davis, cleaning  6 15
Unexpended, 1920  $ 73 96
Appropriation, 1920  35 00
Unexpended, 1921  80 21

$108 96  $108 96

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Paid Elmer C. Vining, salary and exp.  $ 36 69
Elmer C. Vining, salary and exp.  24 76
Elmer C. Vining, salary  8 76
Elmer C. Vining, salary and exp.  9 56
Elmer C. Vining, salary  9 28
Elmer C. Vining, salary 9 28  
Elmer C. Vining, salary and exp. 16 78  
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**SCHOOLS**

Paid Edith V. Robinson, salary $68 00  
Lelia Richards, labor 5 00  
Henry M. Stanley, janitor 5 00  
Pierce & Hartung, fuel 3 15  
Henry M. Stanley, janitor 4 00  
Edith V. Robinson, salary 136 00  
Hill Dane, trucking 75  
Lelia Richards, labor 4 00  
Leonard Richards, labor on fuel 7 65  
L. C. Nicholson, freight 1 50  
Thelma E. McKown, salary 200 00  
Pierce & Hartung, fuel 6 00  
Lelia Richards, labor 5 00  
Pierce & Hartung, fuel 12 00  
Linwood A. Davis, labor 4 50  
Fred L. Young, trucking 1 75  
Thelma E. McKown, salary 40 00  
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Unexpended, 1920: $143.50
Appropriation, 1920: $300.00
Unexpended, 1921: $336.11

Total: $443.50

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**HORNS HILL ROAD**

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J. W. Brackett, surveying  62 90
G. C. Everett, labor  7 00
Linwood A. Davis, labor  24 41
G. C. Everett, labor  6 43
Fred L. Young, trucking  70 00
Labor on mat. for Main Road  40 00

Appropriation, 1920  $300 00
Unexpended, 1921  10 94

$300 00  $300 00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

AIPHONSO SPEED, COLLECTOR

Amount committed, 1920  $2791 84
Otis L. Thompson, tax  5 50
Maynard A. Orne, tax  3 00
Roland Stevens, tax  3 00
Hill Dane, tax  3 00
J. D. Wells, tax  9 21

$2815 55

Amount paid Treas.  $2765 02
Discounts allowed  46 40
Unpaid tax:
Chas. I. Albee, personal  4 13

$2815 55
Unpaid taxes, 1919:

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Respectfully submitted,
ALPHONSO SPEED
Collector of taxes

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TREASURER’S REPORT

LINWOOD A. DAVIS, TREASURER

DR.

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COUNTY TAX

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Respectfully submitted,
LINWOOD A. DAVIS
Plantation Treasurer

PLANTATION CLERK'S REPORT

Of Births

June 16, 1920. To Mr. and Mrs Courtland Brackett, a daughter, Natalie Elizabeth, born at Friendship, Me.

Nov. 2, 1920. To Mr. and Mrs. Maynard C. Brackett, a daughter, Elsie Jean; born at Boothbay Harbor, Me.

Jan. 24, 1921. To Mr. and Mrs. Maynard A. Orne, a daughter, born at Rockland, Me.

Jan. 28, 1921. To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie P. Davis, a son, Maurice Gillman, born at Boothbay Harbor, Me.

Note. The above Births have been recorded in the several places which they occurred.

Respectfully submitted
W. S. STANLEY
Plantation Clerk
To the Citizens of Monhegan Plantation:

I herewith submit my second annual report as supt. of schools for the municipal year ending Feb. 19, 1921.

From Feb. 21, 1920, the date of closing of the books of the Plantation last year, up to Feb. 19, the proposed date of closing them this year, school has been in session 28 weeks. During 11 weeks of this period Miss Edith V. Robinson was teacher. At the close of the spring term she resigned with the announcement that she intended to end her work as an instructor and to take up at once a course in business training. Miss Robinson was an excellent teacher and served the community faithfully during her term of service. It is a misfortune to the teaching profession to lose a young member whose early work gave such bright prospects of success.

During the summer vacation Miss Bertha Thompson of Bristol was engaged to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Robinson's resignation. Miss Thompson had just completed a successful year at Southport and, at its close, had passed, with great credit, the state examination for the certification of teachers and another successful school year seemed assured. Later on, however, a letter came from Miss Thompson stating that she had accepted a position in a store in Portland and wished to be relieved of her engagement. This announcement, coming at a time when the most serious teacher shortage that ever existed in the schools of Maine was on, caused disappointment. Finally Miss Thelma McKown was engaged and she
Miss McKown is a young teacher who has not fully completed her high school course but she is doing surprisingly good work for one so young and inexperienced. She comes from teaching stock and, with more training and experience, will make her mark in the profession.

Your teacher is well paid and, as I said last year, a well paid teacher is a contented teacher. New geographies were purchased for the school this year and a supplementary reader entitled, "Work-a-Day Doings on the Farm" has been introduced to bridge the gap between Books 1 and 2 of the Progressive Road. Paper, crayon and other supplies have been bought as needed.

The school board will give you the estimated appropriations for the support of the school next year.

I wish to thank the people of Monhegan for the courtesies that they show to their teachers and superintendents and I wish also to thank citizens and school officials for the support that they have given me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER C. VINING
Supt. of Schools.
WARRANT
For Annual Plantation Meeting

To Geo. M. Smith a Citizen of Monhegan Plantation in the County of Lincoln.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Plantation qualified by law to vote in Plantation affairs to assemble at the School House in said Plantation on the 14th day of March at "One" o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

FIRST. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

SECOND. To choose a Plantation Clerk for the year ensuing.

THIRD. To listen to the report of the Plantation Treasurer and to act on same.

FOURTH. To choose all necessary Plantation Officers for the ensuing year.

FIFTH. To see if the Plantation will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of Schools and the Poor and repairs of Roads and Bridges and to defray all other Plantation charges for the ensuing year.

SIXTH. To see if the Plantation will grant and raise a sum of money and how much to defray the Superintendent of schools for the ensuing year.

Seventh. To see what action the Plantation will take in regard to making repairs on Plantation land-
EIGHTH. To see if the Plantation will grant and raise a sum of money and how much to continue work on Horns Hill road.

NINTH. To see if the Plantation will grant and raise a sum of Twenty-five (25) dollars to help defray the expenses of the American Legion rooms at B. B. Harbor, Me. Wm. F. Stevens, Post Commander.

TENTH. To see if the plantation will vote to either rent or close the Freight Shed on plantation Landing.

ELEVENTH. To see if the plantation will grant and raise a sum of money to be expended on the roadway opposite Mr. Triscott’s house for about 200 feet across the hollow above Mrs. Humphrey’s property to enable the passage of teams in summer. Dr. John Cabot petitioner.

TWELFTH. To act on any and all business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the School House on the day of said meeting at 12.30 o’clock P. M. for the purpose of correcting the list of voters. Hereof fail not and have you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of the said meeting.

Given under our hands at Monhegan this 4th day of March A. D. 1921.

W. S. STANLEY  
GEO. E. SMITH  
GEO. C. EVERETT  
Selectmen of Monhegan Plantation.