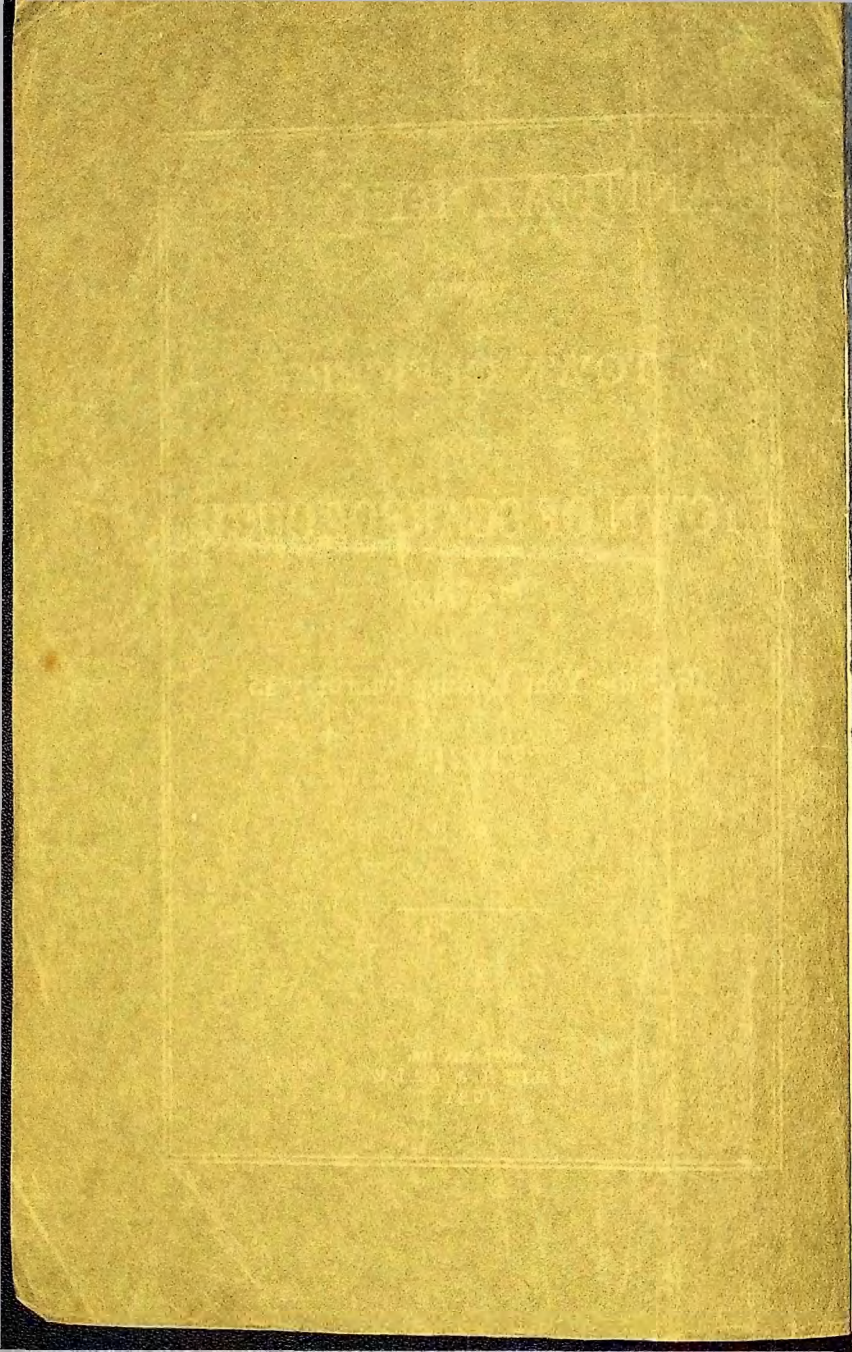


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OF THE
TOWN OF SCARBOROUGH
MAINE

For the Year Ending February 15

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OFFICERS OF SCARBOROUGH

ELECTED 1920

Moderator

DR. B. F. WENTWORTH

Town Clerk

F. HERBERT WENTWORTH

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

CHAS. P. NUTTER MARSHALL E. MOULTON
GEORGE A. SHERWOOD

Collector

WILLIAM G. SHERMAN

Treasurer

LEWIS L. LITCHFIELD

School Board

Elected 1920,	JOSEPH B. SHERMAN
Other members,	R. E. HUDSON
	HOWARD A. KNIGHT

Road Commissioners

District No. 1—N. C. HARMON
District No. 2—J. S. PILLSBURY
District No. 3—HARRY B. LIBBY

Auditor

FRED F. HARRIS

Fire Wards

Elected 1920,	LEROY HARMON
Other members,	PHILIP L. STOREY
	JOHN O. LIBBY

Officers of Scarborough
Appointed 1920.

Constables

WM. G. SHERMAN	J. HENRY BURNHAM
MYRON E. MOULTON	CLARENCE RAYMOND
ONVILLE WARD	JOHN F. BRYANT
EDWARD S. HIGGINS	EDWARD BAKER
GEORGE FREDERICKS	LOREN RICHARDSON

Police Officer at Prout's Neck

JOHN F. BRYANT

Weighers of Hay, Straw and Produce

F. M. NEWCOMB & SON	J. H. LEAVITT
SMITH W. CARTER	

Fence Viewer and Field Driver

HARRY B. LIBBY

Health Officer

DR. B. F. WENTWORTH

Board of Health

DR. B. F. WENTWORTH	B. FRANK SEAVEY
WALTER SEAVEY	

Scalers of Weights and Measures

RODGER A. BENNETT

Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber

W. L. PROUT	JOHN M. LIBBY
HOWARD M. CARTER	

Town Agent

JOHN M. LIBBY

Superintendent of Schools

F. H. B. HEALD

Attendance Officer

A. W. HODGMAN

Election Clerks

ROYAL E. HUDSON

LEWIS E. GILMAN

Ballot Clerks

SMITH W. CARTER

JOHN M. LIBBY

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

VALUATION AND ASSESSMENTS FOR YEAR 1920

TOWN, COUNTY AND STATE.

VALUATION.

Real estate, resident,	\$733,015.00	
Real estate, non-resident,	978,259.00	
Total real estate,		\$1,711,274.00
Personal estate, resident,	\$270,198.00	
Personal estate, non-resident,	76,160.00	
Total personal estate,		\$346,358.00
Total valuation of town,		\$2,057,632.00
Number of polls taxed,	524	
Number of polls not taxed,	80	
Total number of polls,		604
Rate of taxation, \$24.60 per \$1,000.		
Amount assessed on each poll, \$3.00.		
Total assessed on polls, \$1,572.00.		

Personal Property:

409 horses,	\$37,145.00
17 colts, 3 to 4 years old,	575.00
12 colts, 2 to 3 years old,	700.00
4 colts, 2 years old,	200.00
795 cows,	40,528.00

45 oxen and bulls,	\$3,340.00
46 three-year-olds,	1,985.00
189 two-year-olds,	5,740.00
26 swine (over 10 in number),	320.00
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Total amount of live stock,	\$90,583.00

Exempt Live Stock:

161 one-year-olds,	\$3,745.00
71 sheep (to 35 in number),	828.00
300 swine (to 10 in number),	5,227.00
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Total amount,	\$9,800.00

Other Personal Property Taxable:

Stocks and bonds,	\$44,500.00
Money at interest,	58,600.00
Stock in trade,	7,100.00
Small boats,	1,790.00
Logs and lumber,	19,850.00
Carriages,	800.00
Automobiles,	55,130.00
Musical instruments,	13,625.00
Furniture,	7,900.00
Portable mills,	3,750.00
Machinery not taxed as real estate,	43,000.00
Other property,	1,730.00
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Total amount,	\$255,775.00
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Total personal property,	\$346,358.00

**MONEY RAISED AND ASSESSED BY VOTE OF
THE TOWN FOR THE YEAR 1920**

For support of common schools,	\$6,500.00
Schoolhouse supplies and repairs,	1,500.00
School text books,	550.00
School appliances,	350.00
Free high school,	3,800.00
Support of poor,	500.00
Maintenance of roads,	5,000.00
Repair of bridges,	1,000.00
Officers' salaries,	2,500.00
Contingent expenses,	1,000.00
Breaking snow roads,	3,000.00
Electric street lights,	1,063.00
Memorial purposes,	75.00
Prout's Neck police,	300.00
Hydrants, Pine Point,	180.00
Hydrants, Portland Water District,	2,000.00
Road special, Harmon's Corner to Prout's Neck,	1,000.00
Road special, Collins' Corner to Gorham line,	300.00
Road special, Dover Street, at Pine Point,	200.00
Road special, Greenwood Avenue, Morning and Vesper Streets,	500.00
Road special, Higgins' Beach streets,	250.00
Road special, Spurwink Road, Black Point Road to Higgins' Beach Road,	300.00
Road special, Marsh Road,	250.00
Road special, Wescott Hill,	300.00
Maintenance State aid roads,	475.00
State aid road, No. 1, \$4,650.00, apportioned,	930.00
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Total,	\$33,823.00

Town tax,	\$33,823.00
State tax,	13,927.09
County tax,	3,275.19
Overlay,	1,165.47
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	\$52,190.75
Supplemental tax,	429.18
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Total tax,	\$52,619.93

CHARLES P. NUTTER,
M. E. MOULTON,
GEORGE A. SHERWOOD,
Assessors of Scarborough.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

SUPPORT OF POOR

DR.

To appropriation,	\$500.00
To two cows sold to Harry Worster, at town farm,	<u>\$100.00</u>
	\$600.00

FARM INVENTORY.

24 hens.
Chairs and tools.
Household furniture.
1 fire extinguisher.

CR.

By care of Charles P. Clancy for the rent, and two cows, valued at	\$100.00
Orders drawn in favor of East- man Bros. & Bancroft, bedding,	5.50
Gorham Farmers' Club, ins.,	6.00
G. W. Knight, clothing for inmate,	28.65
G. W. Knight, barbed wire, glass, etc.,	<u>37.72</u>
	\$177.87

TOWN AID.

By orders drawn in favor of:

W. H. Graftam, supplies for Mrs. H. S. Rockwood,	\$97.77	
Harry Worster, boarding sick tramp,	42.00	
P. E. Woodman, supplies for C. C. Turner,	42.70	
Atlantic Grain Co., supplies for Mrs. Emily McDermit,	17.50	
		<hr/> \$199.97
		\$377.84
Balance unexpended,		222.16
		<hr/> \$600.00

CHAS. P. NUTTER,
M. E. MOULTON,
GEO. A. SHERWOOD,
Overseers of the Poor.

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

DR.

To appropriation,		\$3,800.00
Received from State,		500.00
		\$4,300.00

CR.

TEACHERS' WAGES.

By orders in favor of:		
Elwood G. Bessey,		\$2,094.36
Frances V. Bryant,		1,333.06
Florence S. Allen,		399.96
Gladys Logan,		555.40
		\$4,382.78

FUEL ACCOUNT.

J. H. Leavitt.	\$136.05
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JANITOR SERVICES.

A. W. Hodgman,	\$247.50
	\$4,766.33
Balance overdrawn, 1920,	6.16
	\$4,772.49
Total overdrawn, 1921,	472.49
	\$4,300.00

SUPPORT OF COMMON SCHOOLS

DR.

To appropriation,	\$6,500.00	
School and mill tax,	1,423.07	
School funds,	2,830.70	
Sale of tickets,	163.34	
		<u>\$10,917.11</u>

TEACHERS' WAGES.

CR.

By orders in favor of:		
Elizabeth Littlejohn,	\$508.80	
Catherine Bartlett,	668.00	
Lida Libby,	724.00	
Laura J. Milliken,	724.00	
Carrie L. Leavitt,	707.00	
Mary E. Gower,	766.00	
Lena M. Sherman,	724.00	
Mabel F. Storey,	724.00	
Susie Mitchell,	724.00	
Emma Wentworth,	706.00	
Margaret Corneally,	288.00	
R. M. Woodward,	112.00	
Elinor F. Harmon,	668.00	
Florence Baker,	706.00	
Buxton school,	227.10	
		<u>\$8,976.90</u>

FUEL ACCOUNT.

CR.

By orders in favor of:		
R. L. Skillins,	\$ 55.50	
Harry W. Small,	88.00	
Harry B. Libby,	108.00	

J. H. Leavitt,	\$416.74	
R. E. Hudson,	29.00	
J. D. Milliken,	169.50	
Edward Meserve,	2.50	
Sarah L. McKenny,	37.50	
S. B. Carter,	32.00	
	<hr/>	\$938.74

JANITOR ACCOUNT.

CR.

By orders in favor of:

A. W. Hodgman,	\$232.50	
Lena M. Sherman,	16.00	
Laura J. Milliken,	13.00	
Florence Baker,	6.00	
Carrie Leavitt,	16.00	
Mabel Storey,	16.00	
Susie Mitchell,	16.00	
Emma Wentworth,	13.00	
Margaret Corneally,	6.00	
R. M. Woodman,	5.00	
Catherine Bartlett,	16.00	
Elinor Harmon,	16.00	
Elizabeth Littlejohn,	11.00	
Buxton school,	8.20	
	<hr/>	\$390.70

TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT.

CR.

By orders in favor of:

M. E. Moulton,	\$501.00
Lena Sherman,	6.00
Cumberland Co. Power & Light,	163.34

Mary Higgins,	\$ 72.00	
R. L. Skillings,	103.00	
		<u>\$845.34</u>
Balance overdrawn, 1919,		166.03
		<u>\$11,317.71</u>
Total overdraft,		400.60
		<u>\$10,917.11</u>

SCHOOLHOUSE SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS

DR.

To balance unexpended, 1920,	\$ 282.79	
Appropriation,	1,500.00	
Sale of logs,	20.00	
		<u>\$1,802.79</u>

CR.

By orders in favor of:	
F. M. Newcomb & Son,	\$11.95
Ernest J. Libby,	32.50
Parker Haynes,	8.75
Harris & Jackson,	20.80
York Co. Power Co.,	12.70
Mabel F. Meserve,	15.00
Portland Water Co.,	7.58
H. H. Hay's Sons,	.40
Bertha Emerson,	2.50
E. L. Snow,	5.00
Alfred Swinborn,	57.38
Clarence Beckwith,	7.00
Margaret M. Corneally,	5.80
Edwards & Walker,	6.86
King & Dexter,	.50

M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.,	\$ 3.58
Maine Institute for Blind,	3.88
S. C. Ripley & Co.,	14.50
Samuel Newcomb,	16.00
Berry & Smith,	2.36
Knights of Pythias,	12.50
Eugene Sparrow,	3.00
Florence M. Meserve,	15.00
Nellie Sullivan,	8.00
M. F. Staples,	3.25
L. C. Leavitt,	.52
Carl Newcomb,	2.00
Fred G. Barrows,	1.00
Ellen Williams,	8.00
J. B. Leary,	10.00
F. X. Jannelle,	1,017.14
R. L. Skillings,	17.50
Martin Anderson,	2.00
Chas. M. Hay Paint Co.,	21.97
S. H. Doten,	39.11
Burbank, Douglass & Co.,	6.00
A. W. Hodgeman,	53.35
Kendall & Whitney,	4.50
O. M. Milliken,	53.00
George Waterhouse,	2.00
Winslow & Co.,	3.85
Biddeford & Saco Water Co.,	15.00
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun,	53.67
Rufus Deering Co.,	100.65
Frank L. Baker,	107.30
E. M. Sylvester,	7.00
F. A. Miller,	15.65
York & Boothby Co.,	92.00
Thomas Laidlaw,	6.40
R. E. Hudson and others,	48.00
F. & C. B. Nash Co.,	4.32
O. E. Sherman,	18.96

George F. Smith,	\$ 6.25	
G. W. Knight,	14.67	
W. H. Graffam,	3.30	
	<hr/>	\$2,011.90
Overdrawn,		209.11
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		\$1,802.79
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SCHOOL APPLIANCES

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$350.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	\$ 2.75	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	85.76	
A. N. Palmer Co.,	28.00	
Milton Bradley,	32.83	
L. Hammett Co.,	8.20	
Plummer's Insurance Agency,	94.49	
Shaw's Business College,	27.00	
University Co-operation,	1.67	
Carter Bros. Co.,	3.25	
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun,	11.14	
The Hartford Steam Boiler Co.,	37.46	
Montrose,	.85	
H. H. Hay's Sons,	3.59	
Demoy Gippert Co.,	16.27	
Fred. L. Tower Co.,	17.00	
John Gould,	6.74	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	4.71	
Milliken, Tomlinson Co.,	6.32	
Balance overdrawn, 1920,	5.30	
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Balance overdrawn, 1921,		43.33
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		\$350.00
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TEXT BOOKS

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$550.00

	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	\$ 27.83	
Ginn & Co.,	156.71	
Scott Foseman,	151.13	
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	35.06	
John Winston Co.,	3.67	
American Book Co.,	60.35	
Joseph F. Ryan,	3.91	
The Palmer Co.,	6.31	
Rand, McNally & Co.,	3.87	
Allen & Bacon,	1.06	
Henry Holt & Co.,	29.29	
McIntosh Publishing Co.,	5.73	
McKinley Publishing Co.,	3.39	
Educational Publishing Co.,	4.53	
World Book Co.,	1.08	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	5.85	
Atlantic Monthly,	3.40	
Arlo Publishing Co.,	16.56	
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.,	20.04	
Ivan Bloom Harding,	6.05	
Balance overdrawn, 1920,	100.98	
	<hr/>	\$646.80
Account overdrawn, 1921,		96.80
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		550.00

CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT

	DR.	
To appropriation,	\$1,000.00	
Sale of board,	1.00	
R. R. and Tel. tax,	11.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,012.50
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CR.

By orders in favor of:

Annie F. Locke,	\$ 3.30
F. M. Newcomb & Son,	2.53
Harry W. Small,	18.97
James L. Plowman,	48.70
Harry Worster,	3.50
A. K. P. Meserve,	3.75
Alfred Swinborn,	5.08
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	12.45
John O. Libby,	62.72
Loring, Short & Harmon,	89.35
Streeter Press,	147.50
J. S. Pillsbury,	10.00
M. E. Moulton,	75.33
W. & L. E. Gurley,	3.06
Dover Stamping Co.,	15.00
N. C. Harmon,	31.50
R. K. Bennett,	25.00
C. W. Gerow,	44.25
William G. Sherman,	30.00
O. Ward,	32.52
Jordan & Jordan,	187.42
A. J. Huston,	4.75
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.,	3.70
J. Henry Burnham,	35.00
Dr. B. F. Wentworth,	50.25
Plummer's Insurance Agency,	112.00
F. X. Jannelle,	43.00
Southworth Printing Co.,	59.25
J. A. Randall, M. D.,	5.00
L. E. Harmon,	16.00
A. F. Moulton,	29.00
Charles P. Nutter,	20.00
Cumberland Co. Power & Light Co.,	16.48
Herbert Wentworth,	22.17
A. E. Skillings,	6.00

John Libby,	\$ 1.87	
Chas. H. Seavey,	30.00	
L. L. Litchfield,	12.80	
G. W. Knight,	4.53	
	<hr/>	\$1,313.73
Overdrawn,		301.23
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		\$1,012.50

OFFICERS' SALARIES

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$2,500.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
Fred Harris,	\$ 10.00	
Harry W. Small,	94.50	
James L. Plowman,	155.00	
A. K. P. Meserve,	75.00	
Dr. B. F. Wentworth,	57.50	
F. H. B. Heald,	424.95	
George Sherwood,	382.50	
M. E. Moulton,	407.50	
Chas. P. Nutter,	575.00	
William Sherman,	1,183.94	
L. E. Gilman,	7.50	
F. Herbert Wentworth,	75.00	
A. W. Hodgman,	8.00	
John M. Libby,	7.50	
Royal E. Hudson,	7.50	
Smith M. Carter,	7.50	
L. L. Litchfield,	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,628.89
Overdrawn,		1,128.89
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All salaries paid in full to date,		\$2,500.00
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HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

DR.

To appropriation,

\$5,000.00

CR.

DISTRICT No. 1.

N. C. Harmon, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:

N. C. Harmon,	\$162.58
Kendall & Whitney,	12.99
Frank X. Jannelle,	5.50
Fred Skillings,	105.01
Chester Fogg,	70.00
William Bowley,	122.50
Asa Beckwith,	93.75
Elver Harmon,	301.25
John Meserve,	136.21
E. G. Meserve,	26.27
Ed. Skillings,	9.38
Winfield Skillings,	9.38
Arthur Libby,	17.50
Edward McKay,	7.50
O. A. Maloney,	18.84
Charles P. Nutter,	14.00
Joseph Larrabee,	7.00
George Leonard,	85.13
Andrew Johnson,	.90
W. D. Bowley,	10.05
James Tucker,	106.90
Herman Leonard,	186.00
Perley Meserve,	20.63
Charles E. Libby,	3.96
Dr. B. F. Wentworth,	10.75
George B. Libby,	26.25

Walter Larrabee,	\$ 7.00
Clarence Beckwith,	13.13
Ina Olsen,	20.63
Martin Anderson,	9.38
Roy Kellie,	18.75
Clifford Mitchell,	15.75
Robert Carter,	8.51
George Stanford,	35.25
Benj. Newcomb,	35.00
C. B. Newcomb,	7.50
Edward Mitchell,	12.25
E. Stover,	7.50
L. Lunn,	7.00
Chester Lunn,	3.75
Roland Meserve,	63.77
William Libby,	24.38
Ed. Meserve,	20.63
Guy Pillsbury,	.50
Clinton Libby,	9.38
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	\$1,845.29

CR.

DISTRICT No. 2.

J. S. Pillsbury, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:

New England Road Mach. Co.,	\$ 12.00
C. S. Burnham,	11.00
W. H. Graffam,	6.50
J. S. Pillsbury, team and labor,	448.61
G. H. Libby,	117.92
I. E. Leavitt,	297.50
J. C. Wentworth,	163.09
William Green,	11.25
Leon Libby,	24.37
Joe Holt,	74.98

D. Jacobs,	\$15.00
Eugene Harding,	7.50
O. E. Milliken	3.50
H. Waterhouse,	16.87
L. Waterhouse,	23.87
Lester Leavitt,	39.36
L. C. Leavitt,	56.00
Rueben Snow,	24.36
William H. Seavey,	45.00
Robert Moulton,	84.36
Bill Merry,	1.87
F. A. Higgins,	16.38
P. Peterson,	3.75
Charles Henry,	31.49
John A. Snow,	21.25
H. A. Moulton,	1.00
A. E. Libby,	3.75
James Thurston,	1.75
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	\$1,564.28

DISTRICT No. 3.

Harry B. Libby, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:

Harry B. Libby,	\$352.56
Alonzo Meserve,	56.25
E. J. Libby,	35.00
Ernest Hanscom,	2.10
Lawrence Merry,	163.01
Philip Storey,	20.17
O. K. Merry,	70.00
Elmer Pennell,	2.50
Walter Meserve,	42.00
Wendall Meserve,	11.25
Edwin H. Meserve,	13.13

Edwin A. Meserve,	\$21.00
J. M. Libby,	21.00
N. C. Meserve,	42.00
A. H. Goudy,	45.50
D. C. Libby,	15.00
E. H. H. Meserve,	37.50
Perley Meserve,	37.50
Fuller Merry,	94.82
Samuel Newcomb,	43.13
Geo. A. Sherwood,	58.12
E. J. Libby,	10.50
Dan McKenney,	7.00
Will Plummer,	3.75
J. A. Libby,	92.44
Ronald Tracy,	33.75
Arthur Pillsbury,	39.38
J. E. Skolfield,	29.96
W. A. Mitchell,	35.00
Frank Mitchell,	15.00
S. B. Carter,	2.00
Mertrude Emerson,	40.44
Jack Kenney,	3.75
Melville Wilbur,	27.30
Howard Carter,	43.96
Ashley Emerson,	32.94
Jim Green,	7.00
Grover Green,	3.75
Robert Green,	3.75
Harold Green,	3.75
W. W. McKenney,	3.30
Mrs. E. B. Carter,	14.00
Dan Carter,	6.69
Charles Libby,	30.00
Ira Libby,	3.75
Salame Patnaude	11.25
A. K. P. Meserve	21.00

F. F. Rice,	\$5.63	
John Spolpe,	5.63	
F. C. Meserve,	1.60	
		<u>\$1,721.99</u>
Grand total,		\$5,131.56
Account overdrawn,		131.56
		<u>\$5,000.00</u>

STATE AID ACCOUNT

Received from the State on account of State aid construction in 1919,	\$1,697.97
Closing the 1920 account and showing an unex- pended balance of	.70

STATE AID ROAD NO. 2

DR.

To apportionment from No. 1,	\$930.00	
Received from State,	911.95	
		<u>\$1,841.95</u>

CR.

By orders in favor of:	
Culverts from bridge account,	\$ 86.40
C. S. Burnham,	9.30
J. S. Pillsbury,	235.50
Cumberland County,	441.00
O. M. Milliken,	35.00
A. Hurell,	122.50
Charles Henry,	142.50
J. C. Wentworth,	86.00

A. Laughton,	\$ 44.00	
A. E. Libby,	175.25	
Leon Leavitt,	168.00	
Oliver Milliken,	87.50	
Joseph Holt,	82.00	
E. H. Decker,	26.00	
Carrol Burnham,	77.00	
I. E. Leavitt,	24.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,841.95

STATE AID ROAD MAINTENANCE

	DR.	
To appropriation,	\$475.00	
State allowance received,	58.20	
	<u> </u>	\$533.20

	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
State Highway Commission,	\$366.60	
J. S. Pillsbury,	66.50	
I. E. Leavitt,	52.50	
L. C. Leavitt,	56.00	
Joseph Holt,	30.00	
J. C. Wentworth,	7.50	
Robert Moulton,	13.12	
	<u> </u>	\$592.22
Overdrawn		59.02
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		\$533.20

MARSH ROAD SPECIAL

	DR.	
To appropriation,	\$250.00	
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CR.

By orders in favor of:

N. C. Harmon,	\$16.88	
John Meserve,	24.75	
B. N. Newcomb,	24.50	
L. J. Lunn,	21.00	
George Stanford,	52.00	
Edward Mitchell,	21.00	
Clifford,	21.00	
Roland Meserve,	15.00	
Clinton Libby,	9.38	
E. G. Meserve,	15.00	
Robert Carter,	7.50	
Elver Harmon,	12.64	
Augustus Mitchell,	1.88	
William Mulcher,	3.75	
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		\$246.28
Balance unexpended,		3.72
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		\$250.00
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SPURWINK ROAD SPECIAL

DR.

To appropriation,	<hr/>	\$300.00
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CR.

By orders in favor of:

N. C. Harmon,	\$15.00
Chester Fogg,	21.00
William Bowley,	26.25
Arthur Libby,	7.00
Walter Larrabee,	26.25
Elver Harmon,	33.25

E. G. Meserve,	\$14.07	
Edward Skillings,	14.07	
George Leonard,	3.75	
John Meserve,	14.07	
Perley Meserve,	14.07	
Fred Skillings,	15.00	
George B. Libby,	10.50	
Charles E. Libby,	32.70	
Edward Meserve,	10.32	
Charles O. Libby,	14.00	
Harry Libby,	14.00	
Asa Beckwith,	12.25	
John Purcell,	3.75	
	<hr/>	\$301.30
Overdrawn,		1.30
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		\$300.00
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PROUT'S NECK ROAD SPECIAL

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$1,000.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
William Bowley,	\$ 68.25	
James Tucker,	57.20	
N. C. Harmon,	67.52	
Elver Harmon,	112.25	
John Meserve,	66.58	
Fred Skillings,	49.90	
Asa Beckwith,	92.75	
I. Olsen,	3.75	
Herman Leonard,	81.50	

Charles E. Libby,	\$87.45	
Roland Meserve,	13.13	
William Bartlett,	7.50	
Guy Pillsbury,	43.00	
Edward Meserve,	46.88	
William Libby,	13.13	
Edward Skillings,	32.82	
Perley Meserve,	47.82	
Arthur Libby,	28.00	
Clarence Beckwith,	10.32	
James Littlejohn,	3.50	
Chester Fogg,	35.00	
A. J. Hudson,	12.00	
George B. Libby,	10.75	
Charles O. Libby,	14.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,004.80
Overdrawn,		4.80
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		\$1,000.00
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PROUT'S NECK ROAD SPECIAL NO. 2

DR.

To appropriation,	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
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CR.

By orders in favor of:

Dr. B. F. Wentworth,	\$ 15.27
Leon Leavitt,	175.00
J. S. Pillsbury,	179.50
Clifford Libby,	4.00
Charles O. Libby,	98.00
James Plowman,	14.00
Joseph Holt,	48.75
County of Cumberland,	216.00

William Bowley,	\$31.50	
New England Machinery Co.,	17.90	
F. Libby,	1.25	
G. W. Knight,	3.00	
E. Corey Co.,	1.17	
Emery Waterhouse Co.,	29.69	
M. A. Messer,	3.00	
C. F. Walker,	.92	
Freedom Libby,	3.25	
N. C. Harmon,	18.78	
Elver Harmon,	24.50	
E. G. Meserve,	3.76	
Charles Bowley,	3.76	
Perley Meserve,	3.76	
W. D. Bowley,	1.75	
	<hr/>	\$898.51
Balance unexpended,		101.49
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		\$1,000.00
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HIGGINS BEACH STREETS SPECIAL

DR.

To appropriation,	<hr/>	\$250.00
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CR.

By orders in favor of:	
N. C. Harmon,	\$13.13
Chester Fogg,	7.00
William Bowley,	28.00
John Meserve,	15.00
Elver Harmon,	28.00
Perley Meserve,	3.75
Fred Skillings,	11.25

Edward Meserve,	\$ 7.50	
Asa Beckwith,	28.00	
Clarence Beckwith,	7.50	
James Tucker,	15.00	
Guy Pillsbury,	15.00	
Geo. B. Libby,	21.75	
Herman Leonard,	21.00	
Ina Olsen,	11.25	
Arthur Libby,	14.00	
William Libby,	3.75	
Roland Meserve,	3.75	
	<hr/>	\$254.63
Balance overdrawn,		4.63
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		\$250.00
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HIGGINS BEACH NEW STREETS

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$500.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
Edward Meserve,	\$ 7.50	
N. C. Harmon,	43.14	
Elver Harmon,	52.50	
Fred Skillings,	31.88	
John Meserve,	41.26	
Edward Skillings,	39.38	
John Purcell,	39.38	
E. G. Meserve,	33.76	
Arthur Libby,	56.00	
Chester Fogg,	28.00	
Asa Beckwith,	42.00	
Roscoe Skillings,	20.63	

Perley Meserve,	\$26.25	
Winfield Skillings,	13.13	
George Leonard,	13.13	
Frank Harmon,	3.00	
Walter Larrabee,	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$497.94
Balance unexpended,		2.06
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		\$500.00
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DOVER STREET SPECIAL, PINE POINT

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$200.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
J. S. Pillsbury,	\$42.00	
L. C. Leavitt,	42.00	
I. E. Leavitt,	42.00	
Joseph Holt,	22.50	
G. H. Libby,	18.75	
Robert Moulton,	22.50	
J. H. Leavitt,	21.25	
	<hr/>	\$211.00
Balance overdrawn,		11.00
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		\$200.00
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WESCOTT HILL ROAD SPECIAL

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$300.00
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CR.

By orders in favor of:		
Harry B. Libby,	\$28.00	
James Green,	28.00	
James Deering,	28.00	
George Douglass,	28.00	
John Libby,	15.00	
E. H. H. Meserve,	15.00	
Samuel Newcomb,	15.00	
Nelson H. Meserve,	15.00	
Grover Green,	15.00	
Robert Green,	15.00	
George Waterhouse,	15.00	
Wendall Meserve,	14.00	
Theodore Deering,	1.00	
Dan McKenney,	48.25	
	<hr/>	\$280.25
Balance unexpended,		19.75
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		\$300.00
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COLLINS CORNER TO GORHAM LINE SPECIAL

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$300.00
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Unexpended balance,		\$300.00
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BRIDGE ACCOUNT

	DR.	
To appropriation,	\$1,000.00	
54 ft. culvert sold to State,	86.40	
Sale of plank,	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,089.90
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CR.

By orders in favor of:

H. B. Snow,	\$ 7.50
J. S. Pillsbury,	119.83
L. C. Leavitt,	15.87
Harry B. Libby,	9.10
J. B. Holt,	13.12
G. H. Libby,	3.75
J. C. Wentworth,	24.37
Berger Manufacturing Co.,	553.44
Robert Moulton,	33.75
I. E. Leavitt,	21.00
C. Henry,	9.37
N. C. Harmon,	41.30
John Meserve,	11.27
Elver Harmon,	58.14
Roland Meserve,	20.66
Fred Miller,	5.00
Roy Hudson,	2.25
E. G. Meserve,	18.76
Philip Meserve,	1.88
Asa Beckwith,	.30
V. T. Shaw,	.60
Fred M. Newcomb,	4.18
E. Plummer,	1.87
Brown Co.,	139.00
A. K. P. Meserve,	10.06
F. F. Rice,	1.88
John Spolpe,	1.88
O. E. Sherman,	.70
A. E. Libby,	.50
Winslow,	4.38
A. A. Thurston	14.40
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	\$1,150.11
Balance overdrawn	60.21
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	\$1,089.90
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BREAKING SNOW ACCOUNT

DR.

To appropriation,

\$3,000.00

CR.

DISTRICT No. 1.

N. C. Harmon, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:

Gordon Beckwith,	\$ 48.15
W. L. Prout,	145.05
Asa Beckwith,	131.27
H. C. Lund,	38.21
William Beckwith,	57.04
Clarence Beckwith,	61.06
W. F. Chase,	12.38
Harry W. Small,	42.01
Fred Libby,	38.26
E. M. Sylvester,	1.38
Jack Purcell,	29.51
Albert Jenkins,	3.75
Chester Fogg,	64.37
William Bowley,	59.38
Henry Plummer,	15.14
Nelson Harmon,	60.00
Arthur Libby,	18.00
Harry Arline,	6.00
George Libby,	15.13
Elver Harmon,	19.26
Fred Skillings,	27.50
Ed. Skillings,	19.26
John Dorerty,	20.63
Charles Bowley,	11.01
George Leonard,	2.75
Harold Newcomb,	5.51

Henry Burnham,	\$ 2.75
Fred Richardson,	1.38
Leonard Ettinger,	4.13
Edward Meserve,	1.37
Freddie Skillings,	1.38
Clinton Harmon,	1.37
Walter F. Larrabee,	20.37
Roland Meserve,	11.93
Perley Meserve,	1.83
John Meserve,	1.83
Philip Meserve,	.91
Harry R. Libby,	33.76
Myron C. Libby,	26.91
C. A. A. Libby,	4.00
Martin Anderson,	2.65
David I. Sawyer,	1.40
Charles O. Libby,	9.73
Royal Hudson,	3.00
Clifford Olsen,	3.57
Ralph Libby,	1.24
Herbert Wentworth,	1.25
Albury Lincoln,	1.25
Ina Olsen,	1.25
Clark Libby,	.50
E. S. Higgins,	103.14
John Purcell,	17.88
A. R. Angell,	1.72
Len Emmons,	3.75
Arthur Emmons,	3.75
Harold Emmons,	3.75
Ernest Emmons,	3.75
Fred Newcomb,	43.50
L. J. Lunn,	20.57
C. C. Libby,	22.75
Benj. Newcomb,	26.37
G. Clifford Libby,	35.50
Charles P. Nutter,	107.62

Joseph Larrabee,	\$ 4.62	
Orris Maloney,	8.25	
Isaac E. Willey,	62.26	
Elmer E. Tibbetts,	9.90	
C. C. Mitchell,	64.65	
Joseph Larfano,	27.43	
E. F. Mitchell,	39.90	
Joe Fenley,	13.75	
A. H. Mitchell,	21.85	
Ivory Kilborn,	33.00	
G. Stanford,	19.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,790.68

CR.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

J. S. Pillsbury, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:	
L. C. Leavitt,	\$146.25
I. E. Leavitt,	93.50
J. S. Pillsbury,	48.50
Stephen Bailey,	2.75
George Skillings,	6.15
Archie Merrill	8.25
Leonard Merrill,	13.75
Lon Libby,	15.75
Roy Harding,	19.88
William Green,	26.88
E. S. Baker,	1.25
John Baker,	28.26
Raymond Merrill,	9.00
Elmer Skillings,	3.75
William Merrill,	2.75
Lloyd Turner,	4.13
Locen Burnham,	1.38
Charles Turner,	42.00

Charles Staples,	\$ 1.38
F. L. Skillings,	1.38
Harry Sylvester,	2.75
Harry Lothrop,	16.50
L. E. Burnham,	1.00
R. S. Snow,	8.76
Herbert Skillings,	4.00
Eugene Harding,	8.40
Alec Gendron,	2.75
Howard Lothrop,	11.00
Fred Burnham,	8.25
T. Libby,	2.00
Perley Collins,	2.75
C. R. Bryant,	8.75
Raymond Collins,	1.38
Fred E. Merrill,	2.75
P. E. Merrill,	1.38
Joe L. Mains,	3.25
E. C. Milliken,	18.00
J. D. Milliken,	51.75
Robert Moulton,	13.75
Wilbur Moulton,	5.25
Paul Higgins,	5.25
Cecil Plummer,	12.25
Ernest Plummer,	3.75
Arthur Roberts,	3.75
Gerald Sargent,	11.50
Raymond Sargent,	5.50
Fred Tucker,	13.99
Alfred Milliken,	2.50
Weston Snow,	2.50
Rueben Moulton,	1.00
Henry Milliken,	6.00
T. D. Morrison,	48.87
Harry Worster,	57.87
Peterson,	7.25
Frank Moulton,	26.12

Charles Seavey,	\$ 4.12
A. L. Jordan,	9.00
George Worster,	2.75
James Knox,	28.38
Chris. Anderson,	17.25
James Plowman,	29.25
Frank A. Higgins,	87.42
Halsey W. Small,	24.25
J. L. Libby,	26.75
M. B. Robinson,	5.77
Elmer Merrill,	2.44
H. S. & L. F. Waterhouse,	31.06
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	\$1,127.90

CR.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Harry B. Libby, Commissioner.

By orders in favor of:

F. F. Rice,	\$15.25
A. K. P. Meserve,	53.50
A. S. Meserve,	36.00
C. H. Raymond,	9.37
John Spolpe,	11.12
H. S. Dingley,	22.00
James Deering,	56.00
James Gill,	15.81
Theadon,	2.00
W. W. McKenney,	3.67
G. A. Bettis,	3.67
A. S. Leighton,	2.75
Milton A. Skillings,	20.47
Charles M. Skillings,	19.86
W. J. Plummer,	3.06
Arthur A. Skillings,	24.10
Everett Skillings,	22.00

C. A. Skillings,	\$11.00
W. H. Skillings,	11.00
Alonzo Meserve,	40.26
Perley Meserve,	19.27
Wendall Meserve,	32.75
N. H. Meserve,	30.97
Salame Patnaude,	20.63
Wilfred Patnaude,	8.25
Geo. A. Sherwood,	33.83
Geo. E. Douglass,	52.39
Ed. Bragdon,	6.88
C. E. Skolfield,	40.50
S. B. Carter,	58.07
Harold Green,	8.25
James W. Green,	18.00
N. C. Meserve,	65.69
Edwin H. H. Meserve,	25.20
Samuel Newcomb,	3.75
Fuller Merry,	30.88
Lawrence Merry,	61.15
John Pillsbury,	32.27
Arthur Pillsbury,	12.12
Guy M. Jones,	6.33
R. E. Ahlquist,	16.09
Philip Storey,	39.37
Lawrence Storey,	6.87
H. M. Carter & Son,	56.61
W. F. Wilbur,	23.18
Mertrude Emerson,	9.25
Evelyn Carter,	30.00
Ernest Ferguson,	50.45
J. W. Tompkins,	75.04
Harry B. Libby,	98.39
B. W. Shaw,	2.60
Franklin Meserve,	14.61
Walter Meserve,	49.87
C. O. McLellan,	4.57

H. C. Temm,	\$34.00
C. F. Hanson,	11.00
Eugene H. Libby,	87.00
Edgar Milliken,	3.36
Charles A. Libby,	5.83
Ralph Deering,	33.00
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	\$1,601.16

	\$4,519.74
Overdrawn,	1,519.74
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	\$3,000.00
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HYDRANTS AT PINE POINT

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$180.00
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	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
Biddeford & Saco Water Co.,		\$180.00
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HYDRANTS, PORTLAND WATER DISTRICT

	DR.	
To appropriation,		\$2,000.00
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	CR.	
By order in favor of:		
Portland Water District,		\$2,000.00
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ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

	DR.	
To appropriation,		<u>\$1,063.00</u>
	CR.	
By orders in favor of:		
Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	\$636.25	
York County Power Co,	<u>489.61</u>	
		\$1,125.86
Overdrawn,		<u>62.86</u>
		<u>\$1,063.00</u>

PROUT'S NECK POLICE

	DR.	
To appropriation,		<u>\$300.00</u>
	CR.	
By order in favor of:		
John F. Bryant,		<u>\$300.00</u>

MEMORIAL FUND

	DR.	
To appropriation,		<u>\$75.00</u>
	CR.	
By order in favor of:		
A. A. Merrill,		<u>\$75.00</u>

CEMETERY FUNDS, BLACK POINT

DR.

To Arabella Libby Fund, interest,	\$ 4.00	
Sarah and Alvin Larrabee Fund, interest,	8.00	
Mary W. Means Fund, interest,	4.00	
Mary F. Libby Fund, interest,	12.00	
Mary Meserve Fund, interest,	4.00	
Harriet A. Libby Fund, interest,	4.00	
		<u>\$36.00</u>

CR.

By order in favor of:		
Addie Kaler,		<u>\$36.00</u>

CEMETERY FUNDS, DUNSTAN

DR.

To J. E. Moulton Fund, interest,	\$4.00	
Lucy Sweetser Fund, interest,	4.00	
Daniel L. Snow Fund, interest,	4.00	
Almira Collins Fund, interest,	8.00	
Lenora Boothby Fund, interest,	4.00	
Ira Moulton Fund, interest, six months,	2.00	
Lenora Boothby Fund, 1918-19, interest, two years,	8.00	
		<u>\$34.00</u>

CR.

By orders in favor of:		
H. L. Pillsbury,	\$26.00	
Lilley E. Rounds,	8.00	
		<u>\$34.00</u>

DUNSTAN CEMETERY ACCOUNT

DR.

To balance unexpended,		\$48.86
H. L. Pillsbury, burial in old ground,		2.00
Robert Skillings, Lot 408		15.00
Orville Googins, Lot 325		10.00
John A. Baker, Lot 350		10.00
Irene F. Jose, Lots 352-3		28.00
F. H. Snow, Lot 337		10.00
Mrs. Laura Tarbox, Lot 341		10.00
Eva G. Tarbox, Lot 340		10.00
Walter A. Tarbox, Lot 351		10.00
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		\$153.86

CR.

By orders in favor of:		
Alfred Swinborn, plumbing,	\$ 1.70	
J. S. Pillsbury, moving vault,	3.50	
H. M. Milliken, cutting grass,	100.00	
H. L. Pillsbury,	18.00	
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		\$123.20
Balance unexpended,		30.66
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		\$153.86

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town farm,	\$3,000.00
Town hall and lot,	4,000.00
Schoolhouses and lots,	15,000.00
School books,	1,500.00
Road machinery and implements,	750.05
Gravel pits,	300.00

Weights and measures,	\$ 50.00
Fire apparatus,	450.00
Sprayers,	500.00
Oil trailer,	150.00
Snow rollers,	150.00
Office fixtures,	200.00
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	\$26,050.00

SUMMARY

ASSETS.

Due from Wm. G. Sherman,	\$591.54	
State, for damage to domestic animals by dogs,	31.50	
Estate of Fred Gerow, or the State of Maine,	64.25	
Lewis L. Litchfield, Treasurer,	6,764.73	
	<hr/>	\$7,452.02

LIABILITIES

Estimated bills outstanding,	\$1,800.00	
Balance due Dunstan Cemetery,	30.66	
	<hr/>	\$1,830.66
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Balance available,		\$5,621.36

No actions have been taken for or against the town during the year, therefore the Town Agent has made no report.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Scarborough:

We are pleased to report on the work of the year from February 15, 1920, to February 15, 1921.

Coming to this work inexperienced in the handling of town affairs, it has been rather strenuous at times and has impressed upon our minds the desirability of electing your Board so that there will be at least one member of the outgoing Board on the new or incoming Board year after year.

As Assessors we have worked as a Board, in an endeavor to equalize the taxes throughout the town. This has resulted in raising the total valuation of the town from \$1,895,590.00 in 1919-20, to \$2,057,632.00 in 1920-21, an increase of \$162,042.00 in total valuation, and a rate of \$24.60 per \$1,000.00, while the commitment was \$8,867.61 larger than in the preceding year.

During the year a number of buildings have been moved from one location to another, repaired and generally improved, and several new buildings are under construction.

As Overseers of the Poor we have cared for our dependants in about the same manner as in previous years. Much needed repairs at the poor farm have been made, but notwithstanding, there will be quite extensive repairs needed within a few years. We have but one inmate, Charles P. Clancy, at the poor farm. Town assistance has been given to several inhabitants during the year, and there are two cases of pauper settlement which are in process of settlement, with strong evidence pointing to Scarborough as the town to carry the burden. In this case it will be necessary to increase the Support of Poor appropriation.

As Selectmen we have drawn 849 orders on the Town Treasurer, amounting to \$44,802.16, covering the various accounts rendered.

The Pleasant Hill Road leading from Nonesuch Corner over Pleasant Hill to the Spurwink River Road has been designated as third-class highway, No. 1, to be built from the mill tax, so-called, without expense to the town, and there is an unexpended balance in the State Treasury for this year of \$752.00, available during the summer of 1921.

The State Highway Commission required a certified measurement of the wrought roads in Scarborough, which we have made and found ninety-four miles exclusive of several miles of privately owned roads. At the annual town meeting it was voted to raise \$4,650.00 on a five times proposition for State aid road No. 1, but owing to shortage of funds the Commission apportioned one-year funds, \$930.00, which automatically reduced your appropriation to the same amount. This was levied and raised by direct tax. At a special town meeting held in September, this amount of \$930.00 was transferred to State aid road No. 2, by vote, and has been worked out and settled with the State. At the same meeting you voted to have the Selectmen borrow and expend \$1,000.00 on the Black Point Road from Oak Hill Four Corners to Prout's Neck, a distance of about five miles. This road was scarified, cleared of rocks, and shaped with a road machine the entire distance; the ditch on easterly side of Oak Hill was cleaned out and a good gravel top put on the road-bed of the hill, at an expense of \$815.93. During the late fall \$82.58 was spent on this road trying to get a smooth frozen surface for the winter, which proved impossible. Thus, a total of \$898.51 has been expended, leaving a balance of \$101.49 in the treasury, \$50.00 of which can be charged to interest account, leaving an unexpended balance of \$51.49.

You appropriated for schools in 1920, \$12,700.00, and for all kinds of roads, \$13,505.00, an average of \$143.67 per

mile for road work, which is too small an amount to do proper constructive work with, in consideration of the amount and kind of travel. Then comes the upkeep or maintenance question, which is well answered by a quotation from *Good Roads Year Book* for 1917:

"Continuous maintenance makes a lower cost of time and labor each succeeding year."

It was an unusually bad winter for snow roads during 1919-20, and caused a heavy overdraft of \$1,519.74, which has been paid, but unless we meet with similar conditions this winter it will not be necessary to increase this appropriation.

The Nonesuch River Bridge question, which was left to the discretion of your Board, has been disposed of for the time being by replanking, the cost being charged to the regular bridge account. In the judgment of your Board this bridge is good for two to five years more service. In the meantime plans should be worked out by competent engineers to determine the nature of the foundations needed; also the type of bridge required, and to that end we have requested an appropriation of \$200.00 in Article 51 of the town warrant.

At the regular town meeting, March, 1920, the town declined to accept the road laid out by the Selectmen from the State road to land of David I. Sawyer, from which decision Mr. Sawyer appealed to the County Commissioners. A meeting was called for the purpose of giving all parties a chance to be heard, at which meeting your Board opposed the laying out of this road and endeavored to sustain the vote of the town, but the County Commissioners, by a vote of three to one, sustained Mr. Sawyer in his appeal. Now the matter is again before you for consideration. See Article 48 of the town warrant.

During the year nearly 600 women have registered and taken part in the National and State elections, and no doubt they have come to stay, therefore it will be necessary

to provide better facilities in our town hall in the immediate future. Better heating, seats, and a rest room should be provided.

In closing, we desire to express our sincere appreciation of the loyal and earnest support of all the town officers during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES P. NUTTER,
MARSHALL E. MOULTON,
GEORGE A. SHERWOOD,

Selectmen of Scarborough.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

	1916	
Balance uncollected,		\$3.00

	1917	
Balance uncollected, Feb. 17, 1920,	\$10.16	
Paid L. L. Litchfield, Treasurer,	7.16	

		\$3.00
Balance uncollected,		

	1918	
Balance uncollected Feb. 17, 1920,	\$23.70	
Paid L. L. Litchfield, Treasurer,	21.70	

		\$2.00
Balance uncollected,		

	1919	
Balance uncollected Feb. 17, 1920,	\$58.75	
Paid L. L. Litchfield, Treasurer,	51.59	

		\$6.16
Balance uncollected,		

	1920	
Commitment of State, County and Town tax,	\$52,190.75	
Supplemental tax,	429.18	

	\$52,619.93	
Paid L. L. Litchfield, Treasurer,	52,042.55	

		\$577.38
Balance uncollected,		

		\$591.54
Total uncollected, 1916 to 1920, inc.,		

WILLIAM G. SHERMAN,
Collector.

Scarborough, Feb. 19, 1921.

DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.

	1916	
Jos. L. Mains,		\$3.00
	1917	
Harrison M. Goodwin,		\$3.00
	1918	
Howard S. Skillings,		\$2.00
	1919	
Melville E. Lothrop,		\$3.16
Howard S. Skillings,		3.00
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		\$6.16
	1920	
Guy Burnham,		\$ 2.46
Ralph Dow,		14.49
John E. Ferguson,		12.37
Chas. L. Homer,	} Court to decide domicile.	450.18
Alice Homer,		73.80
Jason Kenney,		3.00
Benj. G. Kimball,		6.08
Earle A. Nelson,		3.00
Frank Perry,		3.00
Howard S. Skillings,		3.00
Everett Skillings,		3.00
Wilbur L. Snow,		3.00
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		\$577.38

ABATEMENTS.

	1918	
A. B. Leavitt, not in town,		\$ 3.00
Leroy Moulton, bankrupt,		15.70
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		\$18.70

1919

Edw. P. Arsenault, not in town,	\$5.69
Calvin J. Johnson, inability,	5.15
W. S. Libby, not in town,	5.15
Chester Meserve, not in town,	3.00
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	\$18.99

1920

Percy E. Meserve, paid in Portland,	\$ 3.00
Wm. L. Nelson, disability,	3.00
M. S. C. Libby, taxed twice,	14.76
Oliver Merrill, no personal tax,	9.23
Samuel Newcomb, watering place,	5.00
W. A. Mitchell, watering place,	5.00
Frank Moss, age limit,	3.00
Priscilla Newcomb, exempt, P. L., 1919, C. 105,	9.84
D. H. Merrill, exempt, P. L., 1919, C. 105,	19.68
Wm. A. Googins, exempt, P. L., 1919, C. 105,	42.44
Aaron A. Merrill, exempt, P. L., 1919, C. 105,	41.45
Melville I. Milliken, exempt, P. L., 1919, C. 105,	61.50
Ella Small, overvaluation,	7.99
Edwin Moulton, improperly taxed,	1.72
J. Hartley Merrick, paid in Philadelphia,	12.30
Lawrence B. Seavey, minor,	3.00
Frank E. Larrabee, age limit,	3.00
George E. Bettis, overvaluation,	1.23
A. A. & Chas. F. Lawson, taxed to Dr. Mann,	4.92
Mrs. C. S. Homer, taxed to other parties,	76.26
Lawrence Merry,	3.00
James Knox, Spanish War veteran,	3.00
Roger Bennett, overvaluation,	2.46
Isabel F. Carlton, taxed twice,	4.92
B. F. & J. Seavey, taxed to Sprague,	24.60
G. Ross H. Simms, overvaluation,	36.90
Clifton Bryant, improperly taxed,	22.76

A. A. Thurston, overvaluation,	\$45.51
Geo. B. Libby, paid in Westbrook,	6.69
Foss & Shaw, overvaluation,	22.14
Edgar H. Whittier, clerical error,	4.92
Wm. Eastman, paid in Massachusetts,	4.85
Mabel Manchester, taxed twice,	5.54
Albert Dresser, overvaluation,	104.55
Dr. M. Alward, disability,	3.00
Chas. F. Hanson, taxed twice,	7.38
John A. Snow, error in assessing,	7.38
N. R. Martin, taxed twice,	13.53
Fred B. Googins, error in assessing,	1.23
George Hill, paid in Portland,	3.00
Frank Murray, taxed twice,	3.08
H. H. Foster, taxed twice,	7.38
L. A. Reid, age limit and overvaluation,	5.46
Thos. S. Kearns, paid in Portland,	3.00
Jos. Boucher, not in town,	3.00
J. F. McCann, not in town,	3.00
Carl Tucker, dead,	3.00
Andrew Deering, marsh, no value,	.74
L. Fenderson, Heirs, marsh, no value,	.62
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	\$684.96

TREASURER'S REPORT

DR.

Balance in treasury February 12, 1920,	\$8,530.12
Received for tax deeds from	
Abbie T. Mason, for Everett Manchester,	13.27
York County Savings Bank, for Melville Lothrop, 1919,	16.02
W. A. Morgan, for Nellie M. Skillings, 1917-1918-1919,	60.40
First National Bank, temporary loan.	12,500.00
From First National Bank, temporary loan,	12,500.00
First National Bank, temporary loan, Prout's Neck road special,	1,000.00
F. H. Wentworth, Town Clerk, dog licenses,	249.00
State, school and mill funds,	1,423.07
Common school,	2,830.70
R. R. and telephone tax,	11.50
Free high school,	500.00
Improvement of State roads, 1919,	1,697.97
Improvement of State roads, 1920,	911.95
Highway Department,	58.20
Selectmen, for sale of logs,	20.00
Selectmen, for sale of old lumber,	4.50
Interest on bank deposits,	108.36
F. H. B. Heald, for school tickets,	163.34
A. F. Moulton, care of Ira Moulton lot, Dunstan Cemetery,	100.00
Thomas Morrison, care of Henry Morrison lot, Dunstan Cemetery,	100.00

L. P. Skillings, inn keeper's license,	\$ 1.00
H. L. Pillsbury, burying in old part of cemetery,	2.00
Robert Skillings, Lot 408, Dunstan Cemetery,	15.00
Orville Googins, Lot 325, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
John A. Baker, Lot 350, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
Irene F. Jose, Lots 352-353, Dunstan Cemetery,	28.00
F. H. Snow, Lot 337, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
Mrs. Laura Tarbox, Lot 341, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
Eva G. Tarbox, Lot 340, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
Walter A. Tarbox, Lot 351, Dunstan Cemetery,	10.00
M. C. Merry, abated tax, 1915,	3.00
W. G. Sherman, Collector, 1920, on taxes,	51,357.59
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1920, abatements,	684.96
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1919, abatements,	18.99
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1918, abatements,	18.70
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1919, on taxes,	33.60
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1918, on taxes,	3.00
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1917, on taxes,	7.16
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	\$82,531.40

C.R.

By payment of town orders,	\$44,689.84
State tax, 1920,	13,927.09
County tax, 1920,	3,275.19
Notes at First National Bank, Portland,	12,500.00
Interest on notes,	272.92

Interest on note, Prout's Neck Road special, six months,	\$ 25.00
State, dog licenses,	249.00
Town order No. 3653,	3.30
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1920, tax deeds,	101.68
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1920, abatements,	684.96
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1919, abatements,	18.99
W. G. Sherman, Col., 1918, abatements,	18.70
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	\$75,766.67
Balance in treasury,	6,764.73
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	\$82,531.40

I have on file seventy resident tax deeds, amounting to \$1,448.29, and forty-one non-resident tax deeds, amounting to \$777.82.

LEWIS L. LITCHFIELD,

Treasurer.

Scarborough, Feb. 15, 1921

DUNSTAN CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

DR.

Balance in treasury, February 12, 1920,	\$48.86
Received from H. L. Pillsbury, burying in old part of cemetery,	2.00
Robert Skillings, Lot 408,	15.00
Orville Googins, Lot 325,	10.00
John A. Baker, Lot 350,	10.00
Irene F. Jose, Lots 352-353,	28.00
F. H. Snow, Lot 337,	10.00
Mrs. Laura Tarbox, Lot 341,	10.00
Eva G. Tarbox, Lot 340,	10.00
Walter A. Tarbox, Lot 351,	10.00
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	\$153.86

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Paid Alfred Swinborn, labor on tomb,	\$ 1.70
J. S. Pillsbury, teaming vault,	3.50
H. M. Milliken, cutting grass,	100.00
H. L. Pillsbury, repairing fence, grading roads, laying out lots,	18.00
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	\$123.20
Balance in treasury,	30.66
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	\$153.86

LEWIS L. LITCHFIELD,

Treasurer.

Scarborough, Feb. 15, 1921,

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

To the Citizens of Scarborough:

I hereby submit to you a condensed report of the Town Clerk's Office for the past year for your approval.

The annual meeting was held on Monday, March 1st; Primary election on June 21st; State election on September 13th; special town meeting on September 27th; Presidential election, November 2nd.

At the several jurors' meetings the following were drafted: Harry S. Small, Fred H. Snow, as traverse jurors of the Supreme Court; Leonard S. Brown and James F. Allen as grand jurors of the Superior Court; Ambrose B. Deering and Lewis L. Litchfield as traverse jurors of the Superior Court. At the special juror meetings, James L. Ploughman and Fred E. Merrill as traverse jurors of the Superior Court; Charles O. McLellan as grand juror of the Superior Court.

There were 160 dogs licensed as follows: 140 males; 20 females; 1 Kennel, amounting to \$249.00.

There were 35 births, 33 marriages, and 32 deaths recorded as follows:

BIRTHS.

1919.

Sept. 25. To Fred L. and Blanche E. Sanford, a daughter,
Virginia Natilla.

Oct. 13. To Peter C. and Maty Peterson, a daughter.
1920.

Jan. 11. To Gordon and Alvina Beckworth, a daughter,
Eleanor Beatrice.

- Feb. 11. To A. K. P. and Grace Meserve, a son, Keith Everett.
18. To J. Harold and Janette Newcomb, a son, Frederick Melville.
25. To James and Olive Deering, a son, Howard.
25. To James and Olive Deering, a son, Robert.
- Mar. 29. To Winfield and Ellen Skillings, a daughter.
- Apr. 12. To Ray Leon and Cora Belle Littlefield, a son, Ray Leon, Jr.
15. To Grover C. and Bertha Gratz, a daughter, Eva May.
- May 15. To George and Alice Waterhouse, a son, George.
16. To William and Mary Plummer, a daughter, Lena Marion.
17. To Edward and Mildred Libby, a son, Charles Kineth.
19. To Alfred H. and Selma Milliken, a daughter.
- June 12. To Ernest J. and Vida Libby, a son, Ernest Stevens.
27. To Arthur H. and Laura Nielsen, a son, Arthur H., Jr.
- July 2. To Arthur and Jennie Reed, a daughter, Eleanor.
5. To Percy and Gertrude Williams, a daughter, Hazel.
16. To Francis H. and Iolina Cloudman, a son, Francis H., Jr.
- Aug. 11. To Leroy P. and Verba Harmon, a son, Norman Dennison.
15. To Clifford and Dorris Leary, a daughter, Letitia Anzonette.
17. To Horace and Minnie Frost, a son, Charles R.
20. To Edwin and Irma Meserve, a son, Ralph Edwin.
27. To Melville and Florence Darling, a son, Raymond E.
- Sept. 9. To Earl R. and Evelyn Leary, a son, Myron G.

- Oct. 1. To John R. and Mildred Libby, a son, George Woodbury.
 1. To John R. and Mildred Libby, a son, John Willard.
- Nov. 7. To Harold and Alice Johnson, a daughter, Jeanette.
 25. To Richard and Alice Bullock, a daughter.
 28. To William James and Olive Fielding, a son, William James, Jr.
- Dec. 18. To Weston H. and Bessie G. Snow, a daughter, Harriet Alice.
 20. To William Murray and Mina Pooler, a son, George William.
- 1921.
- Jan. 1. To Edwin J. and Lillian Robinson, a son, Linwood Edwin.
 20. To Frederick J. and Helena Nelson, a daughter, Ida Christena.
 28. To Carroll and Alice Phillips, a son, Ralph Edmond.

MARRIAGES.

- 1920.
- Feb. 11. In Scarborough, by Rev. John A. Foul, Charles A. Henry of Lynn, Mass., and Mildred Seavey of Scarborough.
 12. In Kennebunk, by Rev. Burton H. Tilton, Arthur L. Sullivan of Scarborough, and Josephine Green of Kennebunk.
- Mar. 3. In Portland, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, James Littlejohn of Scarborough, and Elizabeth Robinson of South Portland.
 17. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Leon A. Crosby of Bridgton, and Mildred Hudson of Scarborough.

- Apr. 12. In Topsham, by G. F. Rouillan, Raymond Emerson of Scarborough, and Florence Luce of Topsham.
14. In Portland, by Rev. Viggo Hansen, Lauritz C. Jensen of Portland, and Anna D. Johnson of Scarborough.
22. In Portland, by Viggo Hansen, Niels S. Johnson of Scarborough, and Annie M. Lund of Scarborough.
- May 10. In Gorham, by Rev. E. C. Harmon, Charles Meserve of Gorham, and Hazel McLellan of Scarborough.
18. In Scarborough, by Hiram Mains, George Hunton of Portland, and Carrie Corey of Portland.
23. In Gorham, by Rev. E. C. Harmon, George Bettes of Scarborough, and Elizabeth Poor of Boston, Mass.
- June 12. In South Portland, by Rev. Harry E. Townsend, Hamlin N. Robbins of Scarborough, and Estelle P. Spear of South Portland.
15. In Gorham, by Rev. E. C. Harmon, Eugene M. Lunt of Scarborough, and Nellie Newcomb of Scarborough.
- July 3. In Scarborough, by Rensel H. Colby, William Paul Knight of Amesbury, Mass., and Susan W. Elwell of Danvers, Mass.
- Aug. 18. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Percy K. Gower of Scarborough, and Mary E. Hudson of Scarborough.
- Sept. 5. In Scarborough, by Rev. E. C. Harmon, John H. Moses of Scarborough, and Sylvina Storey of Scarborough.
15. In Portland, by Rev. James F. Albion, Robert Longfellow of Portland, and Eva Rogers of Scarborough.

- Sept. 24. In Scarborough, by Rev. Robert L. Lord, Harold K. Johnson of Scarborough, and Alice Dyer of Scarborough.
30. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Irving D. Cornealy of Scarborough, and Mildred Richardson of Scarborough.
- Oct. 9. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, James O. McCarrison of Winchendon, Mass., and Dorothy C. Walker of Scarborough.
16. In Portland, by Rev. William H. Mousley, Fred Libby of Scarborough, and Louise Lang of Portland.
- Nov. 1. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Fred L. Richardson of Scarborough, and Catharine Newcomb of Scarborough.
24. In Biddeford, by Rev. Charles Brown, H. H. Skillings of Scarborough, and Jannette Merrill of Scarborough.
25. In Portland, by Hiram Mains, Arthur Willman of Portland, and Laura O. Kelley of Scarborough.
27. In Portland, by Rev. Viggo Hansen, Hans Carlson of Scarborough, and Julia Spenser of Scarborough.
- Dec. 18. In Portland, by Rev. Andreas Bersagel, Carl E. T. Ahlquist of Scarborough, and Adelaide Temm of Scarborough.
20. In Scarborough, by Ernest H. Mills, James E. McKenney of Scarborough, and Hattie Stevens of Scarborough.
23. In Portland, by Rev. Frank Potter, Erwin L. Lane of Rumford, and Julia Shaw of Scarborough.
23. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Clifton Roberts of Scarborough, and Bessie Bolstridge of Scarborough.

1921.

- Jan. 1. In Gorham, by Rev. E. C. Harmon, Raymond W. Butler of Gorham, and Lillian Straw of Scarborough.
1. In Saco, by Rev. George W. Judson, Ellsworth Peterson of Scarborough, and Dorris Meade of Saco.
13. In Portland, by Rev. R. R. Kennan, John Bryant of Scarborough, and Adelaide Chapman of Scarborough.
- Feb. 1. In Gorham, by Rev. G. P. Benner, Peter C. Nielson of Scarborough, and Ruth Chandler of Scarborough.
6. In Scarborough, by Rev. Rensel H. Colby, Edwin Buckman of Scarborough, and Florence Wentworth of Scarborough.

DEATHS.

1919.

- Dec. 12. In Scarborough, Mary J. Leonard, aged 50 years, 3 months, 28 days.

1920.

- Feb. 22. In Scarborough, Gertrude E. Tucker, aged 21 years.
25. In Scarborough, infant child of James Deering.
28. In Augusta, Ada Googins, aged 35 years, 1 month, 15 days.
- Mar. 3. In Portland, Richard H. Seavey, aged 76 years, 8 months, 8 days.
18. In Scarborough, Daniel Sullivan, aged 59 years, 6 months, 16 days.
21. In Westbrook, Augusta Phillips, aged 71 years, 7 months, 12 days.
31. In South Portland, Sarah Ferguson, aged 72 years.

- Apr. 4. In Scarborough, John Peterson, aged 83 years,
4 months, 4 days.
18. In Scarborough, Abbie Cobb, aged 71 years.
23. In Portland, Nettie Plummer, aged 54 years,
1 month, 13 days.
- May 7. In South Portland, Josie M. Rogers, aged
3 months, 18 days.
14. In Portland, Lester R. Berry, aged 1 month,
14 days.
16. In Scarborough, Cornelia Tripp, aged 70 years,
10 months, 12 days.
22. In Scarborough, Charles F. Seavey, aged 59 years,
6 months, 5 days.
- June 21. In Boston, George W. Farwell, aged 82 years,
9 months, 16 days.
23. In Scarborough, Melatiah Floyd, aged 82 years,
5 months, 7 days.
- July 7. In Scarborough, George T. Libby, aged 65 years,
9 months, 12 days.
12. In Scarborough, John Barker, aged 70 years,
7 months, 7 days.
29. In Scarborough, Samuel Turner, aged 61 years.
6 months.
30. In Scarborough, Fannie Libby, aged 55 years,
4 months.
- Aug. 24. In Scarborough, Benjamin T. Libby, aged 78
years.
- Sept. 2. In Scarborough, Margaret McMillan, aged 32
years, 9 months, 18 days.
5. In Scarborough, Dr. George Eames, aged 66 years,
3 months, 10 days.
19. In Scarborough, Eva Swinborn, aged 54 years,
3 months, 2 days.
- Oct. 18. In Portland, Henry Lee, aged 71 years, 2 months,
5 days.
- Nov. 15. In Lowell, Mass., Caroline Foss, aged 87 years,
1 month, 1 day.

- Nov. 19. In Waterbury, Conn., Danetta M. Lowe, aged
51 years, 2 months, 3 days.
- Dec. 12. In Scarborough, Carl M. Tucker, aged 26 years.
22. In Scarborough, John Leonard, aged 84 years.
- 1921.
- Jan. 5. In Scarborough, Samuel Spring Jordan, aged
58 years.
26. In Portland, Eunice Perry, aged 82 years,
11 months, 6 days.

Respectfully submitted,

F. HERBERT WENTWORTH,

Town Clerk.

SCHOOL REPORT

To the Citizens of Scarborough:

A year ago these three recommendations were submitted for your consideration:

1. The standardization and beautification of all school buildings in the town.
2. Steps leading to the reorganization of our school system with emphasis on the Junior-Senior high school.
3. The erection of a building centrally located to house such a school and to provide the community features of a modern school building.

This educational program was put forward to give every child in our town a square deal. Just as it is the slogan of states that no child should be penalized by educational disadvantages because he lives in a certain town, so it should be our aim to see that no child is similarly penalized because he lives in a certain locality.

In a one teacher school, which includes all eight grades, it is impossible to give every child a square deal. Certain groups of children,—perhaps because they are going to high school, or for some other reason,—will receive special attention. Such special attention to a single child or group of children means inadequate attention to the other pupils. On the other hand, if the teacher is sufficiently mechanical as to be able to divide her attention absolutely equally, this does not allow the teachers to give careful attention to the special needs of individuals. Thus the deficient child who needs special help in order to keep up with others of his age or the naturally brilliant child who should be assisted in making better-than-ordinary progress must suffer the penalty of the school system.

In either situation, justice to the children is defeated, and justice to our children should be a sufficient reason for bringing about the correct reorganization of our school system.

A second advantage which would come from providing a correct school system, would be that better schools would be an inducement for people to come to the town. The population of Scarborough in 1920 was eighty less than by the census of 1910. Improvement of education is one of the first attractions which we should make possible so that at least inadequate educational facilities will not be a factor in keeping home-seekers away. Along this same line, improvement of school conditions will be an inducement which will keep and attract good teachers and will result in further development of our school efficiency.

Finally, such a reorganization would definitely increase the wealth of the town. Adapting to Scarborough an idea given by United States Commissioner of Education Claxton at a conference last May, there are three factors on which the wealth of our town depends. The first is the fertility of the soil and other natural resources. The second is the native ability of the people,—the ability with which they are born. The third is the acquired ability which is gained through education. The first two factors are fixed. The third is what we make it. If the education provided in Scarborough decreases, the power of production decreases; if education increases, the power of production and the wealth of the town increases. Carry this one step further and make the education such as will enable the future citizen to make the best use of the natural resources and the combination will not only increase materially the production of the town, but will provide our young people with attraction to the work for which the town gives opportunity and keep them with us. Any educational program for Scarborough should put considerable emphasis on agricultural work.

With these reasons and the recommendations of a year ago in mind, in agreement with your School Committee, I urge the following definite steps in our educational program for the immediate future:

1. The erection, as soon as possible, of a new grade school at Dunstan. The present building is unsanitary and unsatisfactory and should be immediately replaced. This is a direct step in the standardization of our schools which is imperatively needed.

2. The immediate purchase of land at Oak Hill near the high school lot. This land could be used, starting this spring, for agricultural work in connection with the Oak Hill school, and could eventually be used for the erection of the new high school building. Even when that building is completed, there will still be adequate land for continuing the work in agriculture.

3. The erection, as soon as practical, of a new building such as was just mentioned. The time is not yet ripe for such a building project, owing to the unsettled economic conditions and the present high cost of building. However, it is anticipated that within less than a year conditions will reach normal and the cost of building will be reduced. As soon as this condition is reached, the work of building should be started at once.

In connection with the need of this, you are urged to read the reasons presented in last year's report for the adoption of the Junior-Senior high school plan. Copies of this material will be furnished on request.

THE PAST YEAR.

The chief causes for gratification during the past year have been along the lines of teacher efficiency, standardization of schools, development of health improvement, extension of the work through evening school and community activity.

TEACHERS.

Scarborough is very fortunate in her present force of teachers. Of the twelve teachers in the grade schools, ten have had the benefit of normal training school, while the other two have had long and successful experience. Of these, all but one are Scarborough girls who understand and can pass on the spirit of loyalty to our town. Of the three high school teachers, all are college graduates; two have had considerable experience, and one took special professional work during last summer. Two of the grade school teachers are "helping teachers" who took special work under the State Department of Education and, at the expense of the State, are serving the entire town through educational and community work.

STANDARDIZATION.

As a result of work started previously and completed during the past year, the North Scarborough school has been brought to the standards of the State Department of Education in the matters of heating, lighting, ventilation, and the arrangement of toilet facilities. Improvements have also been made along these lines at Beech Hill. At Oak Hill a playground has been planned and financed through private contributions and will be put into operation as soon as the weather is suitable. Electric lights have also been installed in four rooms and at the outside door of the Oak Hill school.

HEALTH IMPROVEMENT.

Weighing and measuring of pupils in all schools have been instituted during the year, and medical inspection has been started and will be continued. For arousing interest in the factors which will promote good health, the attention of the pupils has been attracted by the Health Crusade material.

A most notable development which tends to better health and better work has been the establishment of a hot lunch in the high school. This work was carried on by the pupils themselves under the direction of the teacher, Miss Bryant. The lunch counter has been self-supporting and besides providing its own equipment has made a profit which will be used in equipment of the proposed new high school. This work was materially assisted through the co-operation of pupils and friends. Similar excellent work has been accomplished at the Beech Ridge school, under the direction of Miss Storey.

EVENING SCHOOL.

On January 3, an evening school with an enrollment of thirty-two pupils was established at the high school, with courses in business English, modern history, stenography, typewriting, penmanship, bookkeeping, and mechanical drawing. The teachers at this school, Elwood G. Bessey, Frances V. Bryant, E. P. Bullock, Rev. R. H. Colby, and the janitor, A. W. Hodgman, are contributing their services. The school was started as an experiment and promises to be a sufficient success for the town to take definite steps for maintaining it as a permanent feature of the school system.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY.

The agricultural club work has been continued during the past year with good success, gaining one county championship. Continued encouragement of this work by citizens is urged. Several community meetings have been held during the year, at which the attendance and interest of the parents and other citizens was most gratifying.

After all, the best test of the school is its product. Thus it is with pleasure that we find three pupils from last

June's graduating class in Maine colleges, in addition to two other recent graduates of the school. Many of the other graduates are also in good positions, while the present achievements of our schools make it possible for our students to transfer to schools of other towns without loss of grade.

To maintain and improve this standard should be the aim of every thoughtful citizen, and support of the proposed educational program is accordingly urged.

In closing, I wish to express my sincere thanks to the members of the School Committee and teachers for their thoughtful deliberation, wise counsel, and sympathetic co-operation in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the schools, and to the town officials for their cordial attitude and fine spirit of good fellowship.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. B. HEALD,

Superintendent of Schools.

School Statistics

School	1920			1920			1920		
	Winter Term			Spring Term			Fall Term		
	Length in Weeks	Registration	Average Attendance	Length in Weeks	Registration	Average Attendance	Length in Weeks	Registration	Average Attendance
Scarborough High	9	59	52.8	13	58	53+	14	48	44.8
Oak Hill Grammar	8	25	22+	13	25	22.8	14	34	32+
Oak Hill Primary	8	34	30	13	38	20.8	14	38	33+
Dunstan Grammar	11	23	21	10	26	22	14	20	16
Dunstan Primary	11	11	8.5	10	19	12.5	14	22	16.7
Black Point Grammar	10	17	13.5+	11	17	15	14	25	23
Black Point Primary	11	13	11.9	10	14	12.9	*	*	*
Blue Point School	11	19	16	10	29	26+	14	31	28
Beech Ridge School	11	18	13	10	21	18+	14	22	20
Beech Hill School	10	25	15.56	10	26	21.9	11	26	23
Libby School	11	14	11+	10	26	23+	14	21	15
No. Scarborough Sch'l	12	22	16.9	10	22	22.55	14	22	20+
Pine Point School	11	24	19+	10	26	22.7+	14	22	16
Scottows' Hill School	9	11	7+	12	15	10+	14	14	10

* School closed.

Roster of Teachers in Service at Present Time

Name	Teaching Experience	Education
	YEARS.	
Elwood G. Bessey	8½	Bates College. Gray's Business College. Officers' Training School.
Frances V. Bryant	7½	Bates College. Bates Summer School.
Gladys L. Logan	½	South Portland High. Bates College.
Lida E. Libby	30½	Scarborough Schools. Gorham Normal.
Laura J. Milliken	25½	Scarborough High. Gorham Normal.
Carrie S. Leavitt	22½	Scarborough High. Thornton Academy.
Mary E. Gower	11½	Scarborough High. Gorham Normal.*
Lena M. Sherman	8½	Westbrook High. Gorham Normal.* Farmington Normal.* Castine Normal.*
Mabel F. Storey	8½	Gorham High. Gorham Normal.*
Susie E. Mitchell	6½	Portland High. Gorham Normal.* Farmington Normal.*
Emma F. Wentworth	5½	Scarborough High. Gorham Normal.
Elinor F. Harmon	2½	Scarborough High. Gorham Normal.
Florence Baker	9½	Western High School. Boston Teachers' Training School.†
Catherine M. Bartlett	1½	Portland High. Gorham Normal. Castine Normal.*
Elizabeth A. Littlejohn	8½	Scarborough High. Standish High.
		* Summer Courses.
		† Partial Course.

Financial Statement

COMMON SCHOOLS

RESOURCES.

1920.	
Mar. 1.	Local taxation, \$6,500.00
Dec.	State and mill tax, 1,423.07
	Common school fund, 2,830.70*
	Sale of school tickets, 163.34
	<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/> \$10,917.11

EXPENDITURES.

Overdraft, fiscal year, 1919-20,		\$ 166.03
Balance of teachers' wages, 1919-20,		472.00
Teachers' wages to date, ending		
February 12, 1921,		8,277.80
Scarborough proportional part for		
teacher at Union School,		227.10
Fuel,		938.74
Janitor services, including Union		
School,		390.70
Conveyance:		
Electric R. R.,	\$163.34	
Broad Turn pupils,	501.00	
Black Point pupils,	171.00	
Teachers,	10.00	
	<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>	845.34
		<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/> \$11,317.71
Overdrawn,		\$400.60

* \$153.18 less than year 1919-1920.

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RESOURCES.

1920.			
Mar. 1.	Local taxation,	\$3,800.00	
	State,	500.00	
		<u> </u>	\$4,300.00

EXPENDITURES.

Overdraft, fiscal year, 1919-20,	\$	6.16	
Balance of teachers' wages, fiscal year 1919-20,		194.42	
*Teachers' wages to date ending February 12, 1921,		4,188.36	
Janitors' service to date ending February 12, 1921,		247.50	
Fuel,		136.05	
		<u> </u>	\$4,772.49
Overdraft,			<u> </u> \$472.49

* Due Mr. Bessey, \$5.60.

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

RESOURCES.

Mar. 1, 1920.	Local taxation,	\$550.00
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EXPENDITURES.

Overdraft fiscal year 1919-1920:			
High school,	\$25.98		
Common schools,	75.00		
	<u> </u>	\$100.98	
Fiscal year, 1920-1921:			
High school,	\$127.50		
Common schools,	418.32		
	<u> </u>	\$545.82	
		<u> </u>	\$646.80
Overdraft,			<u> </u> \$96.80

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

RESOURCES.

Balance on hand at beginning of fiscal year,	\$ 282.79	
Mar. 1, 1920. Local taxation,	1,500.00	
Sale of logs,	20.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,802.79

EXPENDITURES.

Fiscal year 1920-1921:		
High school,	\$ 126.15	
Common schools,	1,885.75	
	<u> </u>	\$2,011.90
Overdraft,		<u> </u> \$209.11

INSURANCE, APPARATUS, APPLIANCES ACCOUNT

RESOURCES.

Mar. 1, 1920. Local taxation,	\$350.00
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EXPENDITURES.

Overdraft, fiscal year 1919-1920:		
High school,	\$1.30	
Common schools,	4.00	
	<u> </u>	\$5.30
Fiscal year 1920-1921:		
High school,	\$126.15	
Common schools,	261.88	
	<u> </u>	\$388.03
Overdraft,		<u> </u> \$393.33
		<u> </u> \$43.33

AUDITOR'S REPORT

SCARBOROUGH, ME., February 15, 1921.

I have examined the accounts of the several Town Officers for the year ending February 15, 1921, and find them correct, as shown by this report.

All orders drawn during the year have been paid excepting two, one for \$104.95, and the other for \$7.50, totalling \$117.45, showing a balance in the treasury of \$6,764 (six thousand, seven hundred sixty-four dollars and seventy-three cents).

FRED F. HARRIS,

Auditor.

WARRANT

To William G. Sherman, a Constable in the Town of Scarborough, in the County of Cumberland:

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Scarborough, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said town, on the seventh (7th) day of March A. D., 1921, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles:

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

ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk.

ART. 3. To see what action the town will take in regard to choosing Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, for terms of one, two and three years, and one member for a term of three years at each annual meeting thereafter.

ART. 4. To see if the town will vote to elect the several town officers (except Moderator and Clerk) at an adjourned meeting.

Request.

ART. 5. To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Collector, Treasurer, one member of the School Board, Road Commissioners, and other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To see if the town will accept and adopt the reports of the several town officers.

ART. 7. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of common schools; school house repairs and supplies; text books; school appliances; the poor; repair of roads and bridges; rental of hydrants at Pine Point; rental of hydrants with Portland Water District; electric lights; and to defray all other town charges.

ART. 8. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for support of free high school for the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to grant the schools the use of the Town Hall for school purposes.

Request.

ART. 10. To see what action the town will take as regards supporting an evening school, and raising a sum of money for the same.

On petition.

ART. 11. To see what action the town will take as regards raising a sum of money for the encouragement of club work among our boys and girls along lines of agriculture and domestic arts.

On petition.

ART. 12. To see what action the town will take as regards co-operating with some other town or towns in the employment of a nurse on full time for health work, assisting all members of the community, giving whatever time is necessary for work in the schools, and to see what sum of money it will appropriate for the same.

On petition.

ART. 13. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising a sum of money for medical and dental examination of the pupils of the Scarborough schools.

On petition.

ART. 14. To see what action the town will take as regards instructing the School Committee to purchase for school and community purposes the V. T. Shaw property

adjacent to the high school lot and the Margaret E. Laidlaw residence, including not less than twenty acres of land, beginning at the southwesterly corner of said Shaw property, thence running westerly by Saco Road to Oak Hill Four Corners; thence running northerly by the easterly side of Gorham Road to a point; thence easterly to land formerly owned by George Sweetser.

On recommendation of School Committee.

ART. 15. To see what action the town will take as regards authorizing the School Committee to select a new site for the Dunstan School, so-called, and build thereon a modern two-room school building; also to see what action the town will take as regards instructing the School Committee to purchase a portion of the triangular-shaped piece of land now owned by Col. Fred N. Dow, and bounded by the Saco and Payne Roads; also to see what instructions the town will give to its municipal officers relative to procuring the necessary funds for the purchase of said site and the erection of said building.

On recommendation of School Committee.

ART. 16. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for breaking snow roads.

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State aid, as provided in Section 19 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

ART. 18. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$4,980.00 for the improvement of the section of State aid road, as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of the ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 18, Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

ART. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise \$6,000.00; \$5,000.00 to be expended on State aid road No. 1, as outlined in the report of the Highway Commission for 1921, and \$1,000.00 to reimburse the town treasury for the money borrowed by vote at special town meeting and expended on this road during fall 1920; provided the five times State aid is not available and the State appropriates \$6,000.00 for this purpose by special resolve of the Legislature.

ART. 20. To see if the town will vote to reimburse the treasury to the amount of \$1,000.00, it being the money borrowed by vote of the town at special town meeting and expended on State aid road No. 1 during fall 1920.

ART. 21. To see if the town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of \$4,650.00 for the improvement and maintenance of section of State aid road designated as No. 1, irrespective of whether we receive aid from the State, according to the five-year plan, so-called, or not.

On petition. Fifteen signers.

ART. 22. To see if the town will vote to employ two patrolmen, one for the Pine Point road from the State highway at Dunstan to the Old Orchard line at Grand Beach, so-called; also one for the Black Point Road from the State highway at Oak Hill to Prout's Neck, and raise a sum of money to defray the expenses of the same.

On petition. Fifty-two signers.

ART. 23. To see if the town will make an appropriation for repair and maintenance of the Black Point Road from Harmon's Corner to Prout's Neck.

On petition.

ART. 24. To see what action the town will take on having the Assessors appoint a Clerk who shall keep regular office hours at the town office throughout the year.

Request.

ART. 25. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be expended on the Ash Swamp Road.

Request.

ART. 26. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be expended on the Milliken Mills Road.

Request.

ART. 27. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be expended on Back Street at Pine Point.

Request.

ART. 28. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to gravel the Pine Point Road from Pine Point Station to Baker's Corner, Pine Point.

Request.

ART. 29. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$350.00 to repair the washouts on State aid road No. 2.

Request.

ART. 30. To see if the town will appropriate \$350.00 for tarvia and its application on Grand Avenue, Pine Point, from Old Orchard line to Baker's Corner.

ART. 31. To see if the town will appropriate \$400.00 to be expended on the highway from Broad Turn school-house to the State road.

Request.

ART. 32. To see if the town will vote a sum of money to be expended on the Vinegar Road from Moses' Corner to the Payne Road, and raise the same.

ART. 33. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for the repair and graveling of Scottows' Hill Road from the State road to junction of Two Rod Road, so-called.

Request.

ART. 34. To see if the town will vote and raise a sum of money to repair the Dresser Road, so-called, at Beech Ridge.

On petition. Six signers

ART. 35. To see if the town will vote and raise a sum of money to repair the Milliken Road, so-called, at West Scarborough. *On petition. Sixteen signers.*

ART. 36. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$100.00 to be held in perpetual trust for care of Henry Morrison lot in Dunstan Cemetery.

ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to accept the amount of \$100.00 for perpetual care of Joseph L. Newcomb lot in Dunstan Cemetery.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 for the perpetual care of the lot of Bartlett Pillsbury in Dunstan Cemetery.

By request.

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to execute deeds in their discretion releasing the town's ownership in lands conveyed to the town by tax sales.

ART. 40. To see if the town will vote to build a hose tower in connection with the Town Hall for the purpose of drying out fire hose, and raise money for same.

By request.

ART. 41. To see if the town will take over the fire hose of the different hose companies and look after up-keep of same.

By request.

ART. 42. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,000.00 to purchase a motor truck to be used for fire protection at Prout's Neck and vicinity.

On petition.

ART. 43. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for the maintenance of hydrants on the water main extension between the residence of William H. Googins and the Southgate Hotel.

By request.

ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for the purpose of helping to extend the water main from a point near the Southgate Hotel to the Checkley property.
By request.

ART. 45. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for maintenance of hydrants on the water main extension between the Southgate and Checkley Hotels.
By request.

ART. 46. To see what action the town will take in regard to authorizing its Selectmen to enter into a five (5) year contract with the Cumberland County Power and Light Company to furnish thirty (30) electric street lights at Higgins' Beach, to cost not more than \$270.00 annually, and raise the necessary money for same.

Request.

ART. 47. To see what action the town will take in regard to appropriating the sum of \$300.00 to repair Higgins' Beach streets.
Request.

ART. 48. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising money to build the David I. Sawyer Road, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen in 1919, denied by the town and approved by the County Commissioners on appeal.
Request.

ART. 49. To see if the town will vote to furnish a police officer at Prout's Neck, and raise a sum of money for same.

ART. 50. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be expended for memorial purposes.

ART. 51. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$200.00 to be expended in making soundings and plans for a bridge over the Nonesuch River on the Black Point Road between the Eastern and Western Division of the B. & M. R. R.

ART. 52. To see what compensation the town will vote the Collector for the ensuing year.

ART. 53. To see what compensation the town will vote man labor and team labor for the ensuing year.

ART. 54. To see what compensation the town will vote Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.

ART. 55. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to procure the necessary money to meet the obligations of the town, incurred by acceptance of previous articles, and to hire money, if necessary, for the ensuing year.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Town Hall on the 3rd, 4th and 5th days of March, 1921, from 2 to 4 p. m., for the purpose of correcting the check list.

Given under our hands at Scarborough, this twenty-sixth day of February A. D., 1921.

CHARLES P. NUTTER,
MARSHALL E. MOULTON,
GEORGE A. SHERWOOD,
Selectmen of Scarborough.



