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Town Clerk's Report

The record of Births, Deaths and Marriages for year ending January 31, 1919, are as follows:

Record of Births for Year Ending January 31, 1919

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Names of Parents
1919 Mar. 30	Charlotte M	F	Frank H. & Alice Libby
Mar. 27	Isabell Mildred	F	Frederick & Mildred Kasper
April 14	Shirley Elizabeth	F	Clinton C. and Violet Mew- er
May 3	Angelina Kathleen	F	John & Antonietta Marano
May 9	George A	M	Arseni & Anna Dumair
May 18	Amos Elmer	M	Himan & Ruth Benway
Jun 15	Helen Inez	F	E. W. & Marion Gifford
July 6		M	Herbert & Hannah Kentwor- thy
July 27		F	James & Maryn Kelly
Dec 2		M	Charles S & Bertha M com- ber
Dec 4 1920	Morton Curtis	M	Curtis Smith & Ella A. Ir- ving
Jan 4	Albert Furlough	M	Edwin B. & Ethel Springer.
Jan 12	William Omer	M	Omer & Albertine Bill
Jan 21		M	James A. & Sora Fitzgib- bons

Date	Names	Residence	Married by
1919			
Mar. 11	Wilbert George Murch Emma Mitchell	Old Orchard Haverhill, Mass.	Fried I. Luce, Old Orchard
May 29	Howard T. Cleaves Hattie E. Spaulding	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard
June 22	Isabel Cettin Eva Morsbøl	Biddeford, Me. Gloucester, Mass.	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard
July 5	Frank B. Emery Mattie Avis Day	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
July 5	Walter Ernest Sherman Marie Carlos	Edgewood, R. I. Providence, R. I.	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
July 11	George Howard Noyes Ethel Ellen Barter	Sharon, Mass. St. John, N. B.	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
July 16	Berke Badbury Velma Effie Badger	Pittsfield, Me. Pittsfield, Me.	Rev. W. A. Bartlett Lewiston, Me.
July 19	Ernest Branson Jeane Belle	Montreal, Que. Montreal, Que.	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
July 21	Carol R. Warren Lula M. Ingeron	Portland Portland	Rev. Charles F. King Portland

Date	Names	Residence	Married by
1919	John H. Tiedman Frances A. Thompson	Hillside, N. J. Hartford, Conn.	Rev. W. A. Bartlett Lewiston, Me.
July 25	Henry John Giffun Madeline Agnes Fowler	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard
July 31	Willard Frances Dearborn Annie Leavitt Meserve	Sanford, Me. Hilis, Me.	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
Aug. 4	David Y. Alkazin Consuelo Dorothy Wood	Old Orchard Oxford, Me.	Rev. Edwin H. Brewster Auburn, Me.
Aug. 9	Benjamin C. Cutler Elen F. Collins	Westbrook, Me. Westbrook, Me.	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard
Aug. 13	Alton Russell Card Elizabeth A. Youmans	Lisbon Falls, Me. Lisbon Falls, Me.	Rev. Willis M. Davis Lisbon Falls, Me.
Aug. 23	J. Francis King Alice M. Lindsay	Philadelphia, Pa. New York City	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard
Aug. 29	Carl Harlow Davis Hazel Mae Cleaves	Ocean Park Old Orchard	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
Sept. 22	Michael Howard Ada Perkins	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
Sept. 24			

Record of Marriages for the Year Ending January 31, 1919

Date	Names	Residence	Married by
1919	Elliot K. Washburn Laura Etta Hamilton	Boothbay Harbor Me. Old Orchard	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
Oct. 14	Herbert Stanley Hodsdon Helen Curtis Morris	Yarmouth, Me. Boston, Mass.	Rev. Addison Lorimer Portland
Oct. 18	William F. Howard Gertrude N. Stevens	Lewiston, Me. Lewiston, Me.	Rev. Thomas Hall Old Orchard
Nov. 15	Linneus A. Clegg Maude B. Freeman	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard
Nov. 27	George Keith McAuley Inez Parker Parsons	Old Orchard Old Orchard	Rev. Warde R. Clarke Saco, Me.
1920	Edmund H. Brown Clara Palardy	Old Orchard Saco, Me.	John H. McSweeney Old Orchard

Record of Deaths for the Year Ending January 31, 1919

DATE	NAME	AGE			CAUSE
		Y	M	D	
1919					
Feb 3	Hugh O. well Curran	52	6	22	Cancer of Stomach
Mar. 22	Eugene H. Bowlitch	80	8	4	Heart failure from pneumonia
April 10	Mary D. Abisalih	62			Organic Heart Disease
April 23	Milton N. Ricker	80			Organic Heart Disease
May 6	Remo Aries	7			Broncho Pneumonia
June 20	Annie O. Fiske	69	6	29	Carcinoma
June 22	Nellie M. Thompson	67			Organic Heart Disease
June 25	Robert A. Beaumont		1	20	Marasmus
July 8	Chas. Fayette Staples	77	1	8	Arterial Sclerosis
July 12	J. L. Publicover	60			Acute Indigestion
July 20	Miriam E. Pike	86	11	19	Probable Heart Disease
July 21	William H. Guinan	62			Cardiac Paralysis
July 28	Casper Knight Jordan	64	1	29	Chronic Endocarditis
Aug 5	Walter E. Libby	64	1	10	Parapleged
Oct. 11	Lucy Thompson	6	9	7	Carcinoma of Breast
Oct. 8	Vinfield Scott Small	69	4	9	Heart Failure
Dec. 2	Infant Macomber				Stillborn
1920					
Jan 1	Susan B. Hill	72	10	20	Cancer of Liver
Jan. 22	Thom. J. Fitzgibbons	10			Still born

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

VALUATION AND ASSESSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1919

TOWN, COUNTY AND STATE

Rate of assessment, \$17 per \$1,000.		
Rate of assessment on Polls, \$2.50.		
Valuation of Real Estate	\$2,253,805 00	
Valuation Personal Estate	113,690 00	
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		\$2,367,495 00
Assessments Real Estate	\$38,314 68	
Assessments Personal Estate	1,932 73	
Assessments Polls	655 00	
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		\$39,902 41
Number of Polls at \$2.50, 262.		

SPECIAL LIMITS

Rate of assessment, \$7.50 per \$1,000.		
Rate of assessment on Polls, 50c.		
Assessments, Real Estate,	\$16,018 15	
Assessments, Personal Estate	852 68	
Assessments, Polls	114 50	
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		\$16,985 33
Number of Polls at 50c, 229.		

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR L. JONES,
NICHOLAS ROBINSON,
FRANK CLEMENT,

Assessors of Old Orchard.

TOWN LIMITS

ABATEMENTS AND COMMISSIONS

Appropriation	\$ 500 00
Paid	
M. P. Collins	Abatement \$25 24
Ferguson Haines	" 14 00
J. N. Milliken, collector,	" 388 48
Fannie Milliken	" 16 95
E. M. Wight	" 22 05
M. E. Hill, Collector	Commission 500 00
" " "	Abatements 1,445 20
	\$2,411 92
Overdraft	\$1,911 92

COMMON SCHOOLS

Unexpended balance 1918	\$ 284 66
Appropriation	1,500 00
Recd. from State account common schools	\$2,500 00
" " " " school and mill funds	599 81
" " other sources	24 00
	\$4,908 47

Paid	
Biddeford & Saco Coal Co., coal	\$397 52
Biddeford & Saco R. R., tickets	200 00
Cumb. Co. Power Co. tickets	253 76
Margaret E. Fogg, teacher	649 80
G. H. Fenderson, wood	15 56
Pearl Sinclair, teacher	624 78
Ethelynn Peabbles, teacher	655 32

Lillian Nickles, teacher	655 32
J. A. Randall, services	50 00
C. A. Scriptor, teacher	30 54
Mun. fuel yard, fuel	63 60
Annie I. Lord, teacher	246 00
J. H. Leavitt, coal	137 30
J. B. LaRochelle, fuel	6 00
E: E. Googins, janitor	189 00
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	\$4,174 50
Unexpended balance	<hr/>
	\$733 97

CONTINGENT FUND

Appropriation	\$525 00
Receipts	6,240 36
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	\$6,765 36

Paid

Ida Allen, services	\$ 17 60
Geo. Anthoine, supplies	2 52
S. W. Atwood, auto hire	7 00
D. Benway, forest fires	49 50
H. H. Benway, "	5 50
H. M. Benway, labor	3 00
Biddeford Journal, services	4 50
Cora Blow, wife of soldier	24 00
B. & M. R. R., freight	21 88
E. J. Burnham, services	25 21
H. Burnham, labor	5 00
L. S. Butler, treas. expenses	65 00
C. H. Campbell, services	56 30
A. M. Chase, services	7 48

Crosby Steam Gage and Valve Co.	
supplies	5 62
J. Crowley, labor	5 00
J. F. W. Dorman, supplies	12 95
J. H. Farrington, labor	24 00
E. J. Fletcher, services	250 00
L. M. Fowler, labor	25 35
L. Goldberg, supplies	12 97
K. Goodwin, mother of sailor	36 00
E. E. Googins, labor	26
H. P. Googins, auto hire	1 00
Alex. Hamilton, services	2 00
R. H. Hamor, services	2 00
S. Harrisburg, auto hire	3 75
M. E. Hill, services and supplies	279 99
M. E. Hill, collector, tax sale	1,371 75
G. T. Hinchliffe, services	115 00
W. R. Hobbs, labor	23 00
D. E. Huntington, services	16 00
A. L. Jones, "	10 78
Georgia Jordan "	17 60
S. Levenson, labor	15 00
P. N. H. Lombard, services	299 66
F. I. Luce, supplies	14 35
Loring Short & Harmon, supplies	4 78
Louise Madden, dependent of soldier	64 00
J. H. McSweeney, supplies	48 16
S. McClellan, services	63 50
Violet Mewer, wife of soldier	36 00
W. J. C. Milliken, labor	9 00
Thos. Noolan, labor	2 25
E. D. O'Neil, services	2 25
Ocean News Co. supplies	7 50

J. A. Randall, services	18 75
Josephine Ricker, wife of soldier	104 00
Wilbur Rumery, services	12 60
Saco Flower Co. flowers	10 00
Smith & Sale, supplies	34 30
Standard Oil Co. "	60 83
W. H. Staples, services	35 00
S. Stone, labor	40 50
G. L. Thomas, labor	10 50
Charlotte Towle, mother of soldier	36 00
L. C. Upham, services	2 00
Bertha Wing, "	2 00
Worcester Greenhouse, flowers	6 00
Oscar Watson, labor	20 00
Whitshead Hoag & Co. supplies	228 97
E. M. Yates Co., supplies	11 75
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	\$3,639 16
Unexpended balance	<hr/>
	\$3,126 20

FREE TEXT BOOKS

Appropriation		\$300 00
Paid		
American Book Co., supplies	\$14 01	
Edward E. Babb Co.	36 78	
C. C. Birchard Co.,	1 32	
Marion Z. Clancy,	2 37	
Silver Burdette Co.,	2 00	
Cressy & Allen,	6 91	
Ginn & Co.,	34	
H. H. Hays & Son,	22 92	
Funk & Wagnalls,	25 61	

D. C. Heath Co.,	"	2 29	
F. H. Jewett,	"	18 48	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	"	56 56	
J. R. Libby Co.,	"	7 02	
F. I. Luce,	"	54 50	
C. E. Merrill Co.,	"	17 31	
A. N. Palmer Co.,	"	1 63	
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.,	"	4 71	
Porteous Mitchell & Braun	"	96	
Shaw Business College,	"	10 00	
Standard Oil Co.,	"	20 25	
			<u>\$305 97</u>
Overdraft			<u>\$5 97</u>

HIGH SCHOOL

Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Received from State	500 00
	<u>\$3,500 00</u>

Paid

Overdrawn 1918 account	\$ 510 81	
Mariou E. Clancy, teacher	883 23	
Beryl E. Cram, "	894 40	
Margaret E. Fogg, "	33 32	
E. E. Googins, janitor	133 00	
F. H. Jewett, principal	1,838 70	
Effie W. Stanhope, teacher	3 89	
		<u>\$4,347 40</u>
Overdraft		<u>\$847 40</u>

HIGHWAYS

Appropriation	\$5,200 00
Sprinkling Tar	2,266 34
Received from other sources	496 58
	\$7,962 92

Paid

Geo. Anthoine,	supplies	\$ 42 83
M. Albanaki,	gravel	6 75
S. W. Atwood,	auto hire	3 00
H. M. Benway,	labor	365 03
R. W. Benway,	"	3 75
Barret Mfg. Co,	tarvia	2,699 34
F. G. Benner,	labor	76 91
Boston & Maine R. R.,	freight	66 90
F. Conant,	labor	7 90
R. Cameron,	"	91 77
C. H. Downs,	"	60 17
Walter Dolley,	gravel	31 30
C. W. Eastman,	labor	160 23
R. Emmons,	"	170 67
Geo. Evans,	"	42 16
Edwards & Walker,	supplies	18 22
J. W. Flanders,	labor	3 70
J. H. Farrington,	"	228 13
J. Fitzgibbons,	"	9 83
J. H. Gibson,	"	162 11
L. Goldberg,	supplies	59
E. A. Gifun,	labor	12 00
H. T. & P. F. Googins,	gravel	35 40
W. R. Hobbs,	labor	268 75
E. Hough,	"	94 16
Kendall & Whirney,	supplies	15 19

H. King,	labor	4 50
M. A. Leavitt,	"	12 00
F. H. Libby	"	16 50
F. I. Luce,	supplies	3 88
E. C. Lyon,	labor	96 17
C. H. McCutcheon,	'	1 65
W. J. C. Milliken,	"	474 82
J. H. McAfee,	"	24 00
W. J. Mewer,	supplies	4 80
G. A. Murch,	labor	107 04
A. Nilson,	"	12 00
N. E. Road Mch. Co.	machine	437 50
A. Osgood,	labor	171 47
Penn Metal Co.	supplies	35 00
W. Rumery,	labor	1 00
A. W. Richardson	"	110 81
S. Stone	labor	44 52
W. H. Staples,	labor	900 42
Solvay Process Co.	supplies	476 00
A. Rolfe,	labor	7 50
K. E. Sears,	"	7 83
Wm. Taylor,	"	40 83
G. L. Thomas,	"	9 00
Wm. Townsend	"	110 83
P. Webb	"	82 44
W. M. Towle,	"	3 33
Western Union Tel. Co.	services	35
Winslow & Co.,	supplies	9 14
B. M. Whitman,	labor	1 75
W. F. Worcester,	supplies	3 85
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		\$7,887 92
Unexpended balance		<hr/> \$75 00

MOTH NESTS

Appropriation		\$100 00
Paid		
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	50	
Walter Dolley, labor	106 10	
Frost Insecticide Co., supplies	25 65	
		\$132 15
Overdrawn		\$32 15

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation		\$400 00
Recd. from State		30 00
		\$430 00
Paid		
Treasurer Public Library		430 00

POOR DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Receipts		15 00
		\$2,015 00
Paid		
C. A. Anderson, supplies	73 73	
B. & M. R. R., tickets	6 99	
A. M. Chase, services	12 56	
Lydia Clark, "	36 95	
R. P. Clement, supplies	285 66	
H. T. Cleaves, rent	57 16	
W. I. Dennett, services	52 37	
Mary S. Dunn, rent	91 00	

I. F. Doyle, supplies	36 65	
G. H. Fenderson, supplies	181 51	
L. Goldberg, supplies	95 11	
E. E. Googins, services	1 20	
C. B. Harper, supplies	139 82	
M. E. Hill, services	7 00	
A. L. Jones, services	32 00	
F. I. Luce, supplies	355 91	
Municipal Fuel Yard, fuel	177 57	
Lizzie Perry, services	3 00	
J. A. Randall, "	35 25	
Mrs. H. E. Seavey, services	31 00	
C. W. Shannon, rent	47 00	
Mrs. Archie Smith, board	30 00	
P. S. Walbridge, rent	48 00	
Chas. York, services	3 25	
York Co. Children's Aid Soc. board	642 45	
		\$2,483 22

Overdraft		\$468 22

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Appropriation		\$250 00
Paid		
H. E. Abbott, labor	\$20 00	
Geo. A. Anthoine, supplies	2 60	
Brown & Co., "	10 40	
M. F. Bragdon Pt. Co. supplies	11 42	
Boston & Maine R. R. freight	50	
Boston Spec. Co. supplies	11 03	
City of Portland, supplies	36 00	
B. W. Clark, labor	4 38	
C. A. Dolbier, "	2 60	

Bertha Emerson, "	22 61	
Edwards & Walker, supplies	1 13	
L. M. Fowler, labor	33 61	
E. E. Googins, labor	85	
L. Goldberg, supplies	2 03	
A. H. Hodgman, "	42	
F. H. Jewett "	8 97	
Kendall & Whitney "	3 87	
A. P. Lary, labor	25 00	
F. I. Luce, supplies	19 42	
Loring Short & Harmon "	12 42	
S. C. Ripley "	20 34	
K. E. Sears, labor	2 00	
E. M. Wight "	8 75	
York Co. Power Co., lights	15 49	
E. M. Yates Co., supplies	2 35	
		<u>\$278 19</u>

Overdraft \$28 19

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation \$4,931 50

Paid

York County Power Co., lights \$4,644 87

Unexpended balance \$286 63

STATE ROAD

Appropriation \$1,132 00

Receipts 45 00

\$1,177 00

Paid

B. & M. R. R., freight \$ 4 21

H. M. Benway, labor 49 88

Allan Cameron	"	17 50
R. Cameron,	"	31 90
W. Dolley, gravel		37 95
C. W. Eastman,	labor	192 9)
George Evans	"	67 28
J. H. Farrington	"	27 33
J. H. Gibson,	"	97 03
W. R. Hobbs,	"	116 22
Geo. A. Murch,	"	20 00
Milliken & Clark, lumber		122 00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., supplies		145 73
A. Osgood, laboe		88 67
State of Maine, patrol		390 90
W. H. Staples, labor		3 00
B. M. Whitman, labor		43 95
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		\$1,456 45
Overdraft		<hr/>
		\$279 45

TOWN OFFICERS

Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Paid		
L. S. Butler,	Treasurer	\$200 00
Frank Clement,	Assessor	75 00
R. H. Hamor,	Clerk	75 00
F. H. B. Heald,	Supt. Schools	199 98
G. T. Hinchliffe,	Auditor	25 00
A. L. Jones,	Assessor	75 00
F. H. Libby,	Selectman	200 00
P. N. H. Lombard,	Moderator	10 00

F. I. Luce,	Selectman	200 00
J. H. McSwaney,	Clerk 1918	75 00
Nick. Robinson,	Assessor	75 00
W. H. Parsons,	Selectman	200 00

\$1,409 98

Unexpended balance

\$90 02

TOWN HALL

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
Receipts	85 00

\$2,685 00

Paid

Boston & Maine R. R., freight charges	\$18 01
E. Bille, labor	6 50
B. W. Clark, labor	4 02
Edwards & Walker, supplies	1 96
G. H. Fenderson, wood	22 00
L. L. Gifford, labor	1 25
L. M. Fowler, "	1 80
E. E. Googins, janitor	441 00
L. Goldberg, supplies	3 02
M. E. Hill, insurance and supplies	108 15
W. R. Hobbs, labor	6 00
A. P. Lary, "	14 67
J. Lutz, "	5 50
S. Stevenson, "	6 00
F. I. Luce, supplies	15 89
C. H. McCutcheon, labor	3 94
Pocahontas Coal Co., coal	258 49
G. A. Ricker, labor	1 15

W. B. Robinson	"	2 00
K. E. Sears	"	3 00
W. F. Worcester, supplies		3 50
W. R. Wright & Co., coal		231 42
Western Union Tel. Co., services		77
York Co. Power Co., lights and power,		233 38
E. M. Yates Co., supplies		14 39
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		\$1,424 81
Balance unexpended		<hr/> \$1,260 19

TOWN TEAM

Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Receipts		400 70
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		\$1,900 70
Paid		
Boston and Maine R. R. freight		14 46
C. E. Boothby, hay		79 44
Eastern Grain Co., grain		392 45
Edwards & Walker, supplies		32
E. E. Gibbs, services		55 18
M. E. Hill, insurance		35 00
W. S. Leighton, services		42 53
Fred I. Luce, supplies		2 79
A. F. Moulton, horse		325 00
J. D. Milliken, hay		48 90
W. J. C. Milliken, labor		54 50
G. A. Ricker, driver		1,138 00
J. G. Ricker, labor		3 00

J. J. Lappin Co. grain	112 91	
E. M. Yates Co., supplies	85	
		<u>\$2,287 33</u>
Overdraft		\$386 63

TOWN INTEREST

Appropriation		\$4,200 00
Receipts		127 42
		<u>\$4,327 42</u>

Paid

Canal Nat. Bank, Int. on bonds	\$1,000 00	
Caroline S. Gould, Int. on note	135 00	
C. D. Parker Co., Int. on bonds	580 00	
York Mat. Bank, Int. on bonds and notes	1,333 34	
		<u>\$3,048 34</u>
Unexpended balance		\$1,279 08

PUBLIC TOILET

Appropriations		\$ 350 00
Receipts		4,144 96
		<u>\$4,494 96</u>

Paid

American Express Co., express	\$	1 03
Amn. Coin Lock Co., Commission		357 67
F. Beaudette, labor		7 15
C. E. Cummings, labor		174 00

B. & M. R. R., freight	3 64	
H. M. Benway, labor	2 00	
Bidd. & Saco Water Co., water	495 00	
W. L. Blake & Co., supplies	413 50	
I. E. Cotton, labor	12 19	
L. M. Fowler, labor	1 75	
R. Fanning, labor	71 15	
L. Goldberg, supplies	1 01	
F. Levinson, labor	9 00	
F. I. Lnce, supplies	4 37	
McKenney & Heard, supplies	1 59	
Thos. Noolan, labor	1 20	
C. M. Rice Paper Co., supplies	39 46	
W. B. Robinson, labor	53 00	
Nettic Rolfe, labor	268 28	
T. D. Whituey Co., supplies	15 60	
W. F. Worcester, supplies	2 52	
Western Union Tel. Co., services	47	
York Co. Power Co., lights	27 73	
		<u>\$1,963 31</u>
Unexpended balance		32,531 65

SPECIAL LIMITS

FIRE DRPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$2,240 00
Paid		
American Ex. Co., Ez. charges	\$ 9 90	
Amn. Lafrance Co., supplies	65 53	
Andrews & Horigan, supplies	7 50	
B. & M. R. R., freight	2 36	
Boston Woven Hose & Rub. Co.		

hose	350 00
J. Berry, firemen	50 00
C. E. Boothby, hay	53 55
Clark & Mills Elec. Co. supplies	123 09
Day's Garage, gasoline	23 03
C. A. Dolbiee, fireman	40 00
J. B. Filleuil & Son, supplies	30 00
Fisk & Blanchard, supplies	9 80
A. Gifun, driver	92 00
H. Gifun, fireman	23 33
L. Goldberg, supplies	9 23
Fred Gooch, driver	313 99
C. Green, fireman	56 30
C. Harmon, "	40 00
J. Heuston, "	40 00
M. E. Hill, insurance	38 55
H. Hutchinson, fireman	13 33
M. B. Kelsea, oil and gas	4 20
Chas. Kirkpatrick, driver	320 00
Otto Knack, fireman,	20 00
J. LaRochelle, fireman	40 00
R. W. LeBaron, supplies	95 13
I. C. Lyon, fireman	57 50
Fred I. Luce, supplies	5 12
Maine Tire & Auto Supp Co. sup- plies	193 74
J. H. McSweeney, supplies	1 04
W. J. C. Milliken, labor	1 75
Theo Mingo, chief	300 00
John Mingo, labor	4 00
F. L. Ordway, labor	60 40
F. Randall, labor	4 00
George Ricker, fireman	40 45
W. B. Robinson, fireman	37 50

J. Rosen, labor	2 00	
J. Scriptor, fireman	46 40	
K. E. Ssars, fireman	40 34	
Sears & Hinchliffe, supplies	100 80	
Paul Sicard, labor	2 00	
Standard Oil Co., oil	14 40	
H. Stuart, fireman	40 00	
York Co. Power Co. light and power	96 90	
E. M. Yates Co., supplies	48	
	<hr/>	\$2,919 64
Overdraft		679 64

POLICE

Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Receipts		93 00
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		\$2,093 00
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Total Expenditures		\$2,860 18
Overdraft,		797 18

SEWERS

Appropriation	\$800 00	
Receipts	75 00	
	<hr/>	\$875 00
Paid		
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	8 12	
H. T. Cleaves, labor	8 75	
C. S. Chase Co., supplies	12 74	
C. W. Eastman, labor	226 00	

OLD ORCHARD BEACH
HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

W. R. Hobbs, “	1 75	
F. I. Luce, supplies	89	
F. H. Libby, labor	3 43	
J. Lutz, “	21 00	
W. J. C. Milliken “	1 50	
A. Osgood “	3 00	
Old Orchard Cem. Co. supplies	3 60	
J. G. Ricker, labor	17 82	
E. Rix, “	7 00	
K. E. Sears, “	41 50	
E. B. Sprfnger, “	5 32	
W. F. Worcester, “	1 00	
Winslow & Co., “	107 44	
		\$470 86
Balance unexpended		\$404 14

HYDRANT RENTALS

Appropriation		\$1,060, 00
Paid		
Biddeford and Saco Water Co., water		\$1,060 00

SIDEWALKS

Appropriation		\$500 00
Paid		
H. M. Benway, labor	\$24 35	
C. S. Chase Co., supplies	5 93	
H. T. Cleaves, labor	3 00	
Irving Doyle, labor	1 50	
Geo. A. Evans, labor	13 00	

J. H. Farrington, labor	1 00	
Edw. Gifun, labor	1 50	
W. R. Hobbs, labor	19 25	
J. G. Ricker, labor	14 75	
K. E. Sears, labor	11 17	
E. B. Springer, labor	3 00	
Geo. Stuart, labor	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$113 45
Unexpended balance		<hr/> \$386 55

MUNICIPAL FUEL YARD

Balance from 1918 account	\$ 704 93
Received from C. E. Goodwin, Mgr.	11,675 00
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	\$12,379 93
Total Expenditures,	12,213 20
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Balance cash on hand,	166 73

**REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER
YEAR 1919.**

L. Sheldon Butler, in account with the Town of Old Orchard,
Maine.

Statement of Town Debt, Jan. 31st 1919.

Town Hall, 4½ p. c. 1899-1919,	\$16,000 00
Fire Truck, Sewers and Note Debts, 4½ p. c. 1915-1935.	20,000 00
Gould Note for General Expenses, 4½ p. c. 1898, on call.	3,000 00
York Nat. Bank Note, 6 p. c. in lieu of bonds for floating debt 1897-1917.	10,000 00
York Nat. Bank Note, 6 p. c., on account public comfort station,	5,000 00
York Nat. Bank Note, 6 p. c., general expenses,	10,000 00
York Nat. Bank Note, 6 p. c., general expenses.	3,000 00
	67,000 00

Statement of Town Debt. Jan. 31st 1920.

Fire Truck. Sewers and Note Debt, 4½ p. c., 1915-1935,	\$20,000 00
Gould Note for General Expenses, 4½ p. c., 1898 on call,	3,000 00
Town Hall, Comfort Station and Floating Debt, 5 p. c., Serial 1919-1929,	20,000 00
Ditto Straight 5 p. c., 1919-1929,	20,000 00
	\$63,000 00

Total receipts,	\$140,430 36
Total expenditures,	139,595 55
	34 81

Balance,

SANITARY DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$1,800 00
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Total Expenditures,	\$2,120 97
Overdraft,	320 97

COLLECTORS REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Old Orchard.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Collector of Taxes for the year 1919.

Collected account town tax,	\$38,552 02
" " Special,	16,306 31
" " Dust,	2,217 59
" " Interest,	110 86
" " Pools,	769 50
" " Sale,	1,232 80
Abatements,	1,445 20
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Total,	\$60,634 28

Respectfully,
MONTROSE E. HILL, Collector.

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATIONS

Common Schools,	\$ 1,500 00
Hlgh School,	4,000 00
Moth Nests,	150 00
Text Books,	500 00
School House Repairs,	300 00
School Supplies,	200 00
Poor,	2,500 00
Library,	350 00
Police,	2,5000 00
Sewers,	800 00
Mosquitoes,	250 00
Fire Dept.	2,500 00
Sidewalks,	1,000 00
State Road,	996 00
Contingent,	500 00
Hydrants,	7,425 39
Team,	1,700 00
Town Hall,	1,3000 00
Bonds,	2,000 00
Highways and Bridges,	7,000 00
Public Toilet,	350 00
Road Patrol,	400 00
Sanitary,	2,000 00
Interest,	4,200 50
Electric Lights,	5,300 00
Towu Officers	1,500 00
Com. & Abatements	750 00

IN MEMORIAM

Charles Fayette Staples was born in Old Orchard (then a part of the town of Saco) May 30th, 1842. a son of Ebenezer C. and Eliza I. (Buker) Staples, and died in Old Orchard, July 8th, 1919. He was a member of the G. A. R., a charter member of Atlantic Lodge, No. 74, I. O. O. F., and had served the town of Old Orchard as Treasurer in 1885; selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor in 1895, '96, '97, '93; Assessor in 1900; Town Agent in 1901, '03, '04, '05 '06, '07.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

To the Citizens of the Town of Old Orchard:—

I certify that I have carefully examined the accounts of the several town officers, Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer and the account of the Public Library for the year ending January 31, 1920, and find them correct and properly vouched for.

GEORGE T. HINCHLIFFE,
Auditor.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

To the Citizens of Old Orchard:—

The Board of Trustees of the Old Orchard Free Public Library Association invites your consideration of the annual reports of its officers for the past year.

The library work has progressed very satisfactorily and substantial gains are shown in nearly all instances as noted in the Librarian's report. Some repairs and minor changes have been made and the rooms and equipment are now in good condition.

It is with regret that the Trustees note the growing tendency of the public to demand fiction to the almost exclusion of other reading matter of more solid and educational value. We have in the past endeavored to add each year, good books of the later character, by writers of known ability; yet on investigating the circulation of these and other educational and vocational books, we find that some have been taken out a few times and others not at all. Many of these books are placed on the book counter and many more are on the shelves because of lack of space to display them.

This book counter, gives the public access to some 300 or more books, adult fiction, juvenile, and non-fiction, a small item when you consider that there are at present 6546 volumes in the Library. Many of these books we believe would appeal to you and prove interesting and instructive reading if you were informed of their presence in the Library. We have a very comprehensive card index (Dewey System) located in the front of the book counter and in reach of all patrons and we earnestly request that you will make use of this catalogue and learn what books are accessible to you for the asking. We trust that we may be able to put into effect soon, a plan to introduce them to you in a more convenient form.

Our reading room as you will note in the Librarian's report, has been widely patronized the past year, there having been nearly 900 more visitors than the preceding year.

While there have been a few complaints during the year about disorder in the reading room, on investigation we found it due largely to the thoughtlessness of some of the young people who must use this room for lack of one

for their special use. We feel that it was not at all due to a lack of appreciation of the various privileges they are enabled to enjoy in the Library. The Board of Trustees are unanimous in their appreciation of the efforts of the Librarian, Mrs. Yates, who must see that order is maintained for the convenience of the patrons of the reading room while performing her various duties in another room, and believe the public, especially the young people could do much to make her duties more pleasant by observing strictly the rules of the reading room and Library in general.

We wish to thank those who have donated books and in particular Mrs. Arvid Ek, whose gift of some fifty volumes of fiction was greatly appreciated. In closing we would call attention to the considerable balance unexpended, as shown by the Treasurer's report, and should state that there are book bills which have not as yet arrived which will nearly equal this balance. However, we feel that we can do with less money this year and would recommend that \$300 be appropriated for the maintenance of the Public Library.

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. L. SNOW,
 B. M. WHITMAN,
 A. A. ARMSTRONG,
 Board of Trustees.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF PUBLIC LIBRARY
For Year February 1st, 1919 to February 1st, 1920

DEBTOR

Balance in treasury, February 1st., 1919	\$19.98
Sale of books	7 86
Fines from Librarian	36 89
Town appropriation, 1919	400 00
State appropriation, 1919	30.00

Received for year ending January 31st, 1920 \$494.73

CREDITOR

Librarian's salary	\$153.50
Library Bureau, cards, etc.	14.01
Montrose E. Hill, insurance	5.75
P. F. Googins, Kennebunk, magazines	41.25
Clara M. Yates, Librarian, expenses	11.51

Annie I. Lord, services in library	3.00
Sprague's Journal of Main History	1.00
J. R. Barrie, vol. 4 of "The Great War"	6.00
Loring, Short and Harmon, books	130.31
Expenses, cartage of magazines, and postage	1.05
Miles Berry, repairing chairs	6.25
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	\$373.63
Total received for year ending Jan. 31st, 1920	\$494.73
Total expended for year ending Jan. 31st, 1920	373.63
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Balance in treasury, February 1st., 1920	\$121.10

ALBERT ARMSTRONG,
Treasurer Old Orchard Free Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the Old Orchard Public Library:

Gentlemen:—The Librarian's report, being the report for the year 1919, is presented to you for consideration:

Total number of books in the library Jan. 31, 1919 ..	6546
Volumes added by purchase	228
Volumes added by gift	34
Volumes lost in circulation	2
Cards issued	192
Present number of card holders	4240
Largest circulation (March 1st)	135
Smallest circulation (July 5th)	37
Amount of dues	\$35 08
Amount of dues from Summer guests	6.00
Visitors to reading room	3930
Total circulation	9513

Respectfully submitted,

CLARA M. YATES,
Librarian.

Old Orchard, Me., Feby. 1st, 1920.

To the tax payers of the town of Old Orchard:

We have to report the apparatus in good working order. We lost during the year one of our fire horses, but were very fortunate in securing a very fine horse to take place of one lost, the insurance covering a good part of loss.

Would recommend the purchase of 500 feet of new hose.

I wish to thank you, for the men and myself, for the moral support given the company during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE H. MINGO,
Chief of Fire Department.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

To the citizens of the town of Old Orchard:

We herewith present a detailed report of your several officers for the past fiscal year.

Respectfully,

FRANK H. LIBBY,
WM. H. PARSONS,
FRED I. LUCE.

Street Traffic Regulations and Rules for Driving

Be it ordained by the Town of Old Orchard, as follows:

Article 1

Section 1. A vehicle, except when passing a vehicle ahead, shall keep to the right, and as near the right curb as possible.

Section 2. A vehicle, meeting another vehicle, shall keep to the right.

Section 3. A vehicle, overtaking another vehicle, shall, in passing, keep to the left, but it shall not leave the line on the right unless there is a clear way of at least one hundred feet in advance on the left.

Section 4. A vehicle, in turning to the right into another

er street, shall keep as near to the right curb as possible.

Section 5. A vehicle, in turning to the left into another street, shall pass to the right of, and beyond the center of, the intersecting street before turning.

Section 6. A vehicle, crossing from one side of the street to the other, shall do so by turning to the left, so as to head in the general direction of the traffic on that side of the street.

Section 7. Slow moving vehicles shall keep as close as possible to the curb on the right, so as to allow faster moving vehicles free passage on the left.

Section 8. No person, having charge of a vehicle or electric car shall allow the same to come within ten feet of any other vehicle or electric car in front of him, when approaching and passing over a street crossing.

Article 2.

Section 1. Police, fire department, emergency repair wagons and ambulances, shall have the right of way in any street and through any procession.

Section 2. The driver of any vehicle proceeding on the track in front of street car, shall, as soon as possible turn out on a signal from the motorman or conductor of the car.

Article 3

Section 1. No vehicle shall proceed at a rate of speed greater than 15 miles per hour within the built-up portion of said town, as now allowed by law and at no time shall a vehicle be driven with a reckless or negligent disregard of the conditions then obtaining and the right of others.

Section 2. On approaching a crossing of intersecting streets, also in traversing a crossing of an intersection of streets, and in going around a corner or curve in the highway, way or street, a vehicle shall not be driven at a rate of speed other than what is reasonable and proper, having regard to traffic at the time and the place, and the use of the way and the safety of the public.

Section 3. No person shall leave a motor vehicle standing or parked nearer than 15 feet of any hydrant.

Article 4

Stopping, Standing and Turning

Section 1. No vehicle shall stop with its left side to the curb.

Section 2. No vehicle shall remain backed up to the curb, except when actually loading or unloading, and then only for reasonable time; except that this provision shall not apply to the southwesterly side of Old Orchard street, from and including the street in front of Odd Fellows' hall, so-called, to the beach, and the northeasterly side of said Old Orchard street from the land of the Boston and Maine R. R. to the beach; but in no event shall such teams or vehicles block electric cars for a longer period than five minutes.

Section 3. No team or vehicle shall be allowed to remain or parked on the southeasterly side of Grand Avenue, from the northeasterly side of Old Orchard street, to the entrance of the Pier Garage, so-called, and on both sides of said Grand Avenue, from said Old Orchard street to Staples street.

Section 4. Unless in an emergency or to allow another vehicle or pedestrian to cross its way, no vehicle shall stop in any public street except close to the curb.

Section 5. No vehicle shall stop in such a way as to obstruct any street or crossing for the purpose of taking on or setting down a passenger, or for loading or unloading freight, for a period of more than five minutes at any one time, or for any purpose except in case of accident, or when directed to do so by a police officer.

Section 6. No vehicle shall stop or stand within the intersection of any streets, nor within ten feet of a street corner.

Section 7. A person having charge of a vehicle shall not stop the same abreast of another vehicle lengthwise of a street in any public street, except in case of accident or emergency.

Section 8. No person having charge of a vehicle shall place the same in any public street so as to prevent or obstruct the passing of other vehicles or electric cars, unless for a reasonable time not exceeding five minutes.

Section 9. When a horse drawn vehicle is backed up to the curb, the horse or horses shall be turned so as to stand parallel with the sidewalk and headed in the general direction of travel for the side of the street on which the vehicle is standing.

Section 10. No horse shall be left unattended in the street, way or highway, unless he is securely fastened by be-

ing tied to a post or weight, or unless the wheels of the vehicle to which he is harnessed are securely tied, fastened or chained, and the vehicle is of sufficient weight to prevent it being dragged.

Section 11. No horse or vehicle shall be driven, backed or lead, or allowed to stand on any sidewalk except for the purpose of crossing the same when necessary, and then only in the shortest way from the street to the abutting estate.

Section 12. No person having charge of a vehicle or a street car in a public way or street, shall refuse or neglect to stop the same or place the same as directed by a police officer any of these rules to the contrary notwithstanding.

Section 13. No vehicle shall pass an electric car while said car is either taking on or letting off passengers.

Article 5

Signals of Vehicles, Police or Other Signals

Section 1. Every driver of a vehicle shall, in slowing up or stopping, give a signal to those behind by raising a whip or hand vertically.

Section 2. In turning while in motion or in starting to turn from a standstill, a signal shall be given by the driver of the vehicle about to be turned, by raising a whip or hand indicating the direction in which the turn is to be made.

Section 3. Before backing, ample warning shall be given by voice or uplifted hand, and while backing, unceasing vigilance must be exercised by the driver, so as not to injure those behind.

Section 4. At all times, drivers of vehicles or electric cars must stop the same on a signal from a police officer.

Article 6

Definitions

Section 1. The word "vehicle" includes equestrians, horses hitched to vehicles, led horses, motor vehicles of all kinds, and everything on wheels, and runners, except street cars and baby carriages.

Section 2. The word "horse" includes all domestic animals.

Section 3. The word "driver" includes the rider or driver of a horse, the rider of a wheel and the operator of a motor vehicle or street car.

Article 7

Penalties

Section 1. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the foregoing ordinances, articles or sections, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.

Article 8

Section 1. All ordinances, chapters, articles and sections of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect when adopted by the Town of Old Orchard, and immediately after public notice is given of said ordinances and approval in accordance with the provisions of the revised Statutes in such case made and provided.

Regulations As to the Possession and Use of Firearms, Explosives and Fireworks.

Be it ordained by the Town of Old Orchard as follows.

Article 1

Section 1. No person shall, without permit from the chief of Police of the Town of Old Orchard fire or discharge any revolver, gun, fowling piece, cannon or firearms within the limits of the said Town of Old Orchard, provided however that this section shall not apply to the use of such weapons at any military exercises or review, or in the lawful defense of the person, family or property of any citizen.

Section 2. No person shall at any time, sell or keep for sale, discharge or set off anywhere within the limits of the said town, or have in his or her possession, for such purpose any toy pistol, toy gun, toy cannon, or cane that can be used to fire a blank cartridge or potash or sulphur pellet, any fire balloon, blank cartridge, fire cracker exceeding five inches in length and one inch in diameter. This section shall not apply to the use of signal torpedoes by railroads in the operation of trains, nor to paper cap pistols or paper caps.

Section 3. Licenses may be granted by the Municipal officers for the sale of fireworks as enumerated on the four week days next prior to the fourth day of July and on the

fourth day of July.

Section 4. Fireworks as enumerated shall not be set off or exploded within ten feet of any wooden building.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person at any time to place upon the rail of any street or steam railroad or upon any street any fire cracker or cap or other explosive with the intent that it shall be discharged or exploded by the passage of any street car, steam car or other vehicle.

Section 6. Whoever violates any provision of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

Section 7. All ordinances, chapters, articles and sections of ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect when adopted by the Town of Old Orchard, and immediately after public notice is given of said ordinance and approval in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes in such cases made and provided.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the citizens of Old Orchard:

In this, my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools, I am happy to state that the achievements prophesied in the 1918 report for your schools are now actualities. After over two years' trial, it can truthfully be said that whatever advantages we claimed would result from the reorganization of the schools have been fully realized and many more that we little dreamed of at that time.

The so-called gulf between the eighth and ninth grades has wholly disappeared and the unity which has taken its place has had a salutary influence on the organization of the entire school system. The teachers of the elementary schools and of the junior and senior high school group are now working together as a unit in school work and in the social life of the town.

As a result we are actually efficiently providing an education based on the principles demanded of the schools of the country. Our work in Americanization and citizenship, our vocational guidance,—including home making and occupational work along both physical and mental lines, and our program of physical training and health improvement are firmly established and under proper conditions should be brought to still greater perfection during the coming year.

Chief among the proper conditions which have made possible these achievements and will advance them in the future is the efficiency of our present teaching force. During the war and this serious reconstruction period we have been able to retain a corps of superior teachers of remarkable ability and resourcefulness. This has been the greatest factor in perfecting and enlarging upon our plan of reorganization. This is the more unusual when we consider that many of the best school systems of the State, including practically every school around us, have had to replace superior teachers during the year with others, new to the system and in some cases undoubtedly inferior in ability. Our ability to hold these teachers has been partly due to the business foresightedness of your committee in maintaining comparatively good salaries and partly due to the loyalty of the teachers themselves, as some of them have had calls to other places at increased salary. Our two primary school teachers

were selected, as among picked teachers, to attend the State school at Castine during the Summer and the selection was highly commended by the State department of education.

PHYSICAL TRAINING

An important, and perhaps the most gratifying feature of the work of the past year has been the development of physical training in all the grades. This branch of our work has been highly commended by the State department of education. Especially pleasing is the work of the elementary school teachers, including their supervised play. In physical as in mental education, the earliest years are those which are the most important.

Along the same lines, but looking more definitely to the health status of the schools (which, it must be remembered will provide to a great extent the future town) is the weighing and measurement of each pupil each month with the keeping of a record of the same.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

The advance in manual or vocational training during the year has been most satisfactory. The beneficial results derived from this training are clearly brought out in the excellent report submitted by Principal Frank H. Jewett.

In order to introduce this work it has been necessary to use the school building more extensively. As only one small room is available for laboratory and workshop for Physics, Chemistry, Manual Training and Domestic Arts, classes in some subjects have been held in the evening. While the disadvantages of this are obvious, it at least gives us the satisfaction of feeling that the school property is being used to the greatest possible advantage.

CIVIC EDUCATION

Considering the governmental problems of the time and the demands which they are placing on the schools, perhaps the greatest gain of the year, altho less conspicuous than the receding, has been the institution of definite, modern training along civic lines. Civic education is begun in our first grade by developing a sense of responsibility and making the child conscious of his place in group life. This general work is continued through all the grades. In the eighth grade a text in community civics is introduced as a reader

and in the ninth grade intensive study is begun as compulsory work. In this, "Community Civics," by Hughes, a book used in many schools throughout the country, is used as a text. The pupils are encouraged in doing practical work both by schools and associated organizations,—thrift by actually saving, charity by actually giving, and the doing of many things which show community spirit. Evidence of the last of these is shown by the promotion of activities for the benefit of the school such as purchasing dishes and table linen and starting a library fund.

Public speaking is also encouraged in the lower grades by declamation and in the high school group by prize speaking contests between different schools.

COOPERATION WITH OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS

Cooperation with outside forces has been strong. Mr. Jewett, principal of the high school, an assistant scoutmaster, brings the spirit of Boy Scouts into the school with excellent results. Mr. Harold Hague, of the American Legion, has a class in wireless telegraphy in the evening in the high school building, which includes all the teachers in the junior, senior high school, and many others who wish to take the course.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. With all my heart I urge the citizens of Old Orchard to support its progressive school board in its financial program for the coming year. On this program depends the maintenance and extension of the splendid unified organization which has resulted from the work of the past two years. When one can see results, he does not begrudge the expenditure and the foregoing material shows that we are getting results.

Particularly would I urge the maintenance of salaries which will enable Old Orchard to meet the competition of the most progressive school system of the country.

The appropriations for necessary books, equipment and repairs, especially those which are imperative to guarantee good health of pupils and teachers are equally worthy of support.

Owing to the centralized school arrangement, Old Orchard is well situated financially to meet these financial demands. The amount necessary to secure the best possible con-

ditions is very small compared with the burdens of other towns and no investment could be made which would bring better returns than that which conserves and improves the man-power of the town.

2. As a step forward, with a keen sense of its business value in the future, I also urge that the town secure a lot of sufficient size for outdoor activities. Such a lot should be large enough to make possible the erection thereon of a gymnasium which should follow the purchase of the lot as soon as possible. Such a field and building might well serve as a memorial to the boys who so faithfully represented you in the Great War and might well be called Memorial Field.

3. Finally, we must realize that the time is fast approaching when our present school facilities will be entirely inadequate and a new building must be considered. It may be well to consider the erection of a single building large enough to house all pupils and such a building should provide room for extensive community use.

Respectfully Submitted,
F. H. B. HEALD,

Superintendent of Schools
To F. H. B. Heald, Superintendent of the Public Schools of
Old Orchard:

I herewith submit my second annual report of the conditions, progress and needs of the Old Orchard Junior-Senior High school.

Our registration and attendance this year has been excellent as compared to that of previous years. The general interest is very much improved and I feel I can truthfully say that at present we have the best school since our 6-6 plan was started three years ago.

Our efforts this year have been spent in developing our courses rather than adding new ones. Our Latin department has grown very rapidly in popularity. The increase in the beginners' Latin class over last year is very gratifying. The French classes are doing real work. Several of the students have begun actual correspondence with students of their own age in France. In addition to this we have subscribed to a weekly French newspaper for classroom use.

In our manual training work we are making good pro-

gress. The boys are making many useful household articles. Some of the advanced work is being done toward Scout Merit Badges, thus linking up the scoutwork with our school work. Over 95 per cent. of our boys are scouts. Why should not we be interested?

The girls in their Domestic Arts have made a very creditable showing during the past year. It is indeed a department of which we are justly proud. A part of the practical work in cooking for the lower classes is to furnish material for the supervised lunches at the other building. The advanced class has, as some of its practical work, the serving of dinners to invited guests. These dinners are planned, prepared and served entirely by the class. Everything served is prepared in the domestic science room. No bakery bread, cakes and cookies but the real articles are used on these occasions. As a further manifestation of their interest they have worked and earned money enough to buy a set of dishes, set of silverware and a set of table linen.

After viewing our physical training work one afternoon, a few weeks ago, Mr. Allen, of the State Department said: "That is certainly splendid work. In physical training you are at least a year in advance of any high school of your size in the State."

To carry out our reference work to the best advantage we ought to have some books at our school building. We feel this need especially in the science and history work. We have made a special effort to meet this need by starting a school library. As yet our funds are small and our books are few. I wish there could be a sum of money set apart each year which might be used to purchase books for our school reference library.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation of the willingness with which the scholars have performed their tasks, of the conscientious efforts of the assistant teachers and of the help and the support given me by the superintendent and school committee.

Respectfully Submitted,

FRANK H. JEWETT, Principal.

WARRANT

To Elmer E. Googins, Constable of the Town of Old Orchard in the County of York.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Old Orchard, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town, on Monday the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:

- 1st. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2nd. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
- 3rd. To hear and act upon the reports of the town officers and all special and standing committees.
- 4th. To see what action the town will take in relation to pay of town officers.
- 5th. To see what sums of money the town will raise: 1st, for common schools; 2nd, for free high school; 3rd, for free text books; 4th, for making and repairing highways and bridges; 5th, for the support of poor; 6th, for the pay of town officers; 7th, maintaining street lights and electric lights; 8th, for contingent expenses; 9th, for sanitary expenses; 10th, for town interest; 11th, for repairing school houses; 12th, for the public library; 13th, for heating, lighting and care of town property; 14th, for moth nests; 15th, State Road Patrol; 16th, Public Toilet; 17th, School supplies; 18th, for transportation of High school scholars.
- 6th. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay collector's commission and abatements.

7th. To see what compensation the town will vote to pay the collector for collecting taxes for all moneys actually collected.

8th. To see if the town will vote when the taxes shall be committed to the collector for collection and what rate of interest, in any, will be charged thereon, thereafter.

9th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to hire money in anticipation of taxes and not exceed the same.

10th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to issue town notes to pay those, if any, which fall due the present year.

11th. To see if the town will authorize the Assessors to make such abatements as they think reasonable.

12th. To see what action the town will take and what sums of money the town will raise to maintain a police force; to construct and maintain sidewalks; to construct and maintain sewers and drains; to maintain fire department; to maintain town team; for hydrant rental; for interest on debt incurred in fire department, sewers and loans, all within the limits set out in Section IV, of the act of incorporation of the town of Old Orchard, to be a separate tax, to be assessed and collected as provided in said act.

13th. 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 Sec. 20 of Chap. 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

14th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$996.00 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 ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise un-

der the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, or such other sum as is deemed necessary

15th. To see if the town will vote to set apart the sum of \$1,000.00 from the regular appropriations for sidewalks and highways, for the purpose of maintaining and constructing highways and sidewalks in that part of Old Orchard known as Ocean Park, to be used by and under the direction of the Ocean Park local committee.

16th. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money sufficient to pay for the services of a school physician as required by Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909.

17th. To see what sum the town will vote to appropriate for the purpose of cleaning beach during the summer season.

18th. To see if the town will vote to provide extra lighting on the sea wall during the summer months, and how much it will appropriate therefor.

19th. To see what action the town will take in regard to extra lighting of streets during the summer months and how much it will appropriate therefor.

20th. To see on what streets or parts of streets the town will vote to lay dust during the summer months, the cost thereof to be assessed against the property thereon as now provided by law.

21st. To see what action the town will take and what sum of money, if any, the town will raise to maintain a winter patrolman.

22nd. To see what action the Town will take in regard to lighting sign, now located at foot of Old Orchard street, and what sum of money they will raise therefor.

23rd. To see what action the Town will take in regard to continuing and maintaining the Municipal Fuel Yard and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

- 24th. To see if the Town will vote to celebrate Old Home Week, and what sum of money it will appropriate therefor.
- 25th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to care of Town Hall grounds and what sum they will appropriate for its maintenance.
- 26th. To see if the Town will vote to grade certain sections of the Cascade road (so called) and what sum of money it will appropriate therefor.
- 27th. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to maintain a series of Band Concerts, Fireworks, etc. during the season of 1920, a like amount to be raised by public subscription.
- 28th. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to lease the main hall of the Town Building to the local American Legion for entertainment purposes for the term of one or more years and at what rental.
- 29th. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint a building inspector for the ensuing year.
- 30th. To see if the Town will vote to accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.
- 31st. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$50 for the purchase of lumber for the construction of a portable wooden bulkhead for use at the foot of Temple avenue during the fall and winter.
- 32nd. To see if the Town will vote to establish a yearly light on Winona avenue in place of summer light now located there, and what sum they will raise therefor.
- 33d. To see if the Town will vote to gravel Surfside Avenue from Seaview avenue to Seaforth avenue, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

34th. To see if the Town will vote to gravel Oak avenue from Surfside avenue to Grand avenue and what sum they will appropriate therefor.

35th. To see if the Town will vote to gravel Evergreen street from Grand avenue to Surfside station, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

36th. To see if the Town will vote to locate a street light at the corner of Seaforth avenue and Surf street and amount of money they will appropriate therefor.

37th. To see if the Town will vote to locate a street light at the corner of Seaview avenue and Surf street, and amount of money they will appropriate therefor.

38th. To see if the Town will vote to accept part of Lake avenue as laid out by the selectmen.

39th. To see if the Town will vote to accept that part of Park avenue as laid out by the selectmen.

40th. To see if the Town will vote to accept that part of Hillside avenue as laid out by the selectmen.

41st. To see if the Town will vote to accept Cleaves street as laid out by the selectmen.

42nd. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Street Traffic Regulations and Rules for driving, as drawn up and presented by the Board of Trade committee, and make them a part of the town By-Laws.

43rd. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Rules and Regulations in regard to the use of firearms, sale of fireworks, as presented by the committee of the Board of Trade.

44th. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$300 to use for the purpose of exterminating mosquitoes.

45th. To see if the Town will vote to locate the following electric light and what sum of money they will appro-

appropriate therefor viz: one on St. Johns street, one at the corner of Forrest street and Ocean avenue, one at the corner of Circuit avenue and Fourth street, one at the corner of Reggio and Seaside avenue, one at corner of First street and Fern avenue.

46th. To see if the Town will vote to make the light at the corner of First street and Sea View avenue a four months light.

47th. To see if the Town will vote to have the electric lights now located in Fern Park—so called—turned on July 1 and extend to Oct, 1st, a period of three months.

48th. To see if the Town will vote to build a cement sidewalk on the following named streets—On the westerly side of Barton street; on the easterly side of Reggio avenue; on the westerly side of Central Park avenue; on Saco road from Pleasant street to Union avenue; on north westerly side of Frances street; on the easterly side of Grand avenue from present terminus easterly about 500 feet, and what sum of money they will appropriate for said walks.

49th. To see if the Town will vote to maintain a man with horse and adapted rake on the beach during July and August, for the purpose of keeping the beach clean, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

50th. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws or Ordinances of said Town in proper place by adding the following by-law: The annual license fee for sidewalk vendors of Frankforts or so-called "hot dogs" shall not be less than one hundred dollars each, the term sidewalk vendors to mean any person, firm or corporation engaged in vending frankforts or sausages from any stand adjacent to a public highway, except when offered for sale within a licensed victualer's place of business.

51st. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the select men not to issue any licenses for peddling on the beach or

for the taking of pictures.

52nd. To see if the Town will vote to grade and gravel St. John street, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

53rd. To see if the Town will vote to grade and gravel Reggio avenue from Seaside avenue to sea wall, and what sum of money it will appropriate therefor.

54th. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer on Longwood avenue, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

55th. To see if the Town will vote to construct a cement street and walk at the foot of Old Orchard street, for the purpose of parking automobiles, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

56th. To see if the Town will vote to maintain a permanent fireman at the fire station in the Town Hall, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

57th. To see if the Town will vote to construct concrete footings at the foot of Atlantic avenue and Union avenue at Surf street, each footing to extend between bulkheads and to be eight inches thick, three feet into the ground and to extend one foot above the ordinary sand level, and to be suitably reinforced; back of said footings to be filled with rock and gravel filling, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

58th. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer on Frances street, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

29th. To see if the Town will vote to grade and gravel Frances street, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

60th. To see what action the Town will take to improve our fire department service.

61st. To see what action the Town will take to have dust nuisance, caused by fast moving trains of Boston and Maine railroad, abated.

62th. To see if the Town will vote to raise a committee to confer with the Boston & Maine Railroad, in regard to widening the crossing on easterly side of Old Orchard street.

63rd. To see is the Town will vote to accept Cleaves street as laid out and widened by the Selectmen.

64th. To see if the Town will vote to close the foot of Cleaves street.

65th. To see if the Town will vote to advertise Old Orchard in conjunction with the Old Orchard Hotel Men's Association, and if so, what sum they will appropriate therefor.

66th. To see if the Town will vote to construct a cement sidewalk on the southeasterly side of Westland Ave. and how much it will appropriate therefor.

67th. To see if the Town will vote to construct a cement or macadam road on the Cascade road, so called, and on what part thereof, and how much it will appropriate or raise therefor. And if the Town shall so vote to build said road and to raise the money therefor, whether said money shall be raised by note or bonds and if by bonds the amount, kind (serial or otherwise) how and when to be payable and the rate of interest thereon.

To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Town Hall for the purpose of reviving and correcting the voting list, on the morning of election from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Given under our hands this 21st day of February A. D. 1920.

FRANK H. LIBBY,
WM. H. PARSONS,
FRED I. LUCE,

Selectmen of Old Orchard