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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF FALMOUTH, ME.

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEB. 19

1915

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1914.

Selectman, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor.

ALGERNON BOWIE,

FRED S. HUSTON

FRED A. MERRILL.

Town Clerk.

ARTHUR S. NOYES.

Treasurer.

ARTHUR S. NOYES.

School Committee.

WILLIAM H. MERRILL, JOHN F. WILLIAMS
LESTER N. WINSLOW

Superintendent of Schools.

DANIEL W LUNT.

Board of Health.

GEORGE M. WHITNEY, WILLIAM E. DOW CHARLES G. PURRINGTON.

Collector of Taxes.

JOHN F. WILLIAMS.

Road Commissioners.

IVER H. IVERSEN, WILLIAM E. WINSLOW HANS PETERSON.

Auditor.

DANIEL W LUNT.

Constable.

JOHN F. WILLIAMS.

Warrant for Town Meeting.

To JOHN F. WILLIAMS, a Constable in the Town of Falmouth,

GREETING: -

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Falmouth, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at the town house in said town, on the first day of March, 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to wit:—

First. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting. Second. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Third. To hear and act upon the reports of the Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, Assessors, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Schools.

Fourth. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Fifth. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools and the poor, and the repairs of roads and bridges and defray all other necessary town charges for the ensuing year.

Sixth. To see what action the town will take in regard to the pay of town officers.

Seventh. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, on a written order from the Selectmen, to hire on the credit of the town, such sums of money, as in their opinion, may be necessary to meet the liabilities and current expenses of the town or act anything relative thereto.

Eighth. 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 20 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Ninth. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$864.00 for improvement of the sections of State aid road, as outlined in the report of the State highway commissioners, in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of highways and bridges, the above being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of section 19 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Tenth. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to sell timber and wood on the town farm lot.

Eleventh. To see if the town will vote to sell the town farm, or act anything relative thereto.

Twelfth. To see if the town will vote to make an easier grade at the Pound Hill, near the Baptist church, and raise money for the same.

Thirteenth. To see if the town will vote to make a new survey of the lines between Falmouth and Westbrook, and raise money for the same.

Fourteenth. On petition of W. W Libby and others, to see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to lay out a town way leading from the road running past the house of W. W Libby to the County road as follows; beginning at the westerly corner of Edward J. Leighton's land, thence easterly by said Leighton's land and land of Daniel Wilson heirs to the County road.

Fifteenth. To see if the town will accept the way as laid out by the Selectmen near residence of Alexander Skillin leading from Foreside road to the old road to Mussel Cove.

Sixteenth. To see if the town will accept the old road leading to Mussel Cove, as bounded and defined by the Selectmen.

Seventeenth. To see if the town will vote to discontinue that portion of the old Mussel Cove road, beginning at the angle 279 feet easterly from Kimball's line to the mill site.

Eighteenth. To see if the town will vote to make an easier grade on the Johnson road hill lying southeasterly from the Grand Trunk R. R., and raise money for the same.

Nineteenth. On petition of Sewall P. Winslow and others to see if the town will vote to pay Sewall P. Winslow for hauling poles for Mr. Weir, which had to be cleaned up in order to get those poles which were used for guide boards.

Twentieth. On petition of Adelaide Gulliver and eighteen others, to see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to lay out a way through the right of way known as the Ramsdell road.

Twenty-first. To see if the town will vote to install two hydrants, one easterly of Underwood Park, and one at the Town Landing road near right of way to Stubbs tract.

Twenty-second. To see if the town will vote to select and purchase a lot for a new schoolhouse in school district No. 2, and raise money for the same.

Twenty-third. To see if the town will vote to build a new school house in district No. 2 and raise money for the same or act anything relative thereto.

Twenty-fourth. To see if the town will vote to unite school districts Nos. 1 and 2.

Twenty-fifth. On request of Henry Olsen and others, to see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to secure better conditions at the crossings of the Portland and Lewiston Interurban Railroad.

Twenty-sixth. On request of W. T. Curtis, to see if the town will vote to raise any sum of money for a sinking fund.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town, and hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said lists, at the town office, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands February 19, A. D. 1915.

ALGERNON BOWIE, Selectmen of F. A. MERRILL, Falmouth.

REPORT OF

Assessors, Selectmen and Overseers of Poor.

To the Inhabitants of Falmouth:

We, the undersigned, Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, herewith submit our report for the municipal year ending February 19, 1915.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN FOR YEAR 1914.

Real estate, resident,	\$673,290	00	
Real estate, non-resident,	$572,\!655$	00	
Total real estate,			\$1,245,945 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$442,550	00	, ,
Personal estate, non-resident,	28,250	00	
Total personal estate,			470,800 00
Total value estates,			\$1,716,745 00

Rate of taxation, \$15.20 on \$1,000. Number of Polls, 418. Poll tax. \$2.00.

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1914.

For State tax,	\$7,649 22
County tax,	2,12374
Highways,	3,000 00
Town Officers,	1,200 00
Bridges and Culverts,	700 00
Snow,	600 00
Out Poor,	1,000 00
Contingencies,	300 00
Brown Tail Moth,	1,000 00
Abatements,	100 00
Interest,	600 00
Superintendent of Schools,	200 00
Schoolhouse Repairs,	400 00
Schools,	800 00
High School Tuition,	700 00
Text Books,	2 50 00
School Supplies,	600 00
State Road,	650 00
Hydrants,	450 00
Lambert's Bridge,	400 00
Falls Bridge Hill,	500 00
Duck Pond Road,	300 00
Harmon Culvert,	300 00
Bushes,	400 00
Outstanding Notes,	3,000 00
Overlay,	207 54
Supplementary,	22 29
Total amount committed to collector,	\$ 26,952 7 9

Account of Expenditures.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Appropriation,			\$1,200 00
Balance last report,			3 60
Algernon Bowie, Selectman, etc.,	\$210	00	
Fred S. Huston, " "	146	25	
Fred A. Merrill, ""	96	2 5	
A. S. Noyes, Clerk and Treasurer,	142	00	
D. W. Lunt, Auditor,	2	50	
John F. Williams, S. S. Committee,	10	00	
S. G. Huston, ""	10	00	
W. H. Merrill, "" "	20	00	
John F. Williams, Constable,	34	00	
William E. Winslow, Moderator,	2	50	
George M. Whitney, Ballot Clerk,	5	00	
L. L. Huston, " "	5	00	
E. W. Winslow, Election Clerk,	5	00	
C. K. Richards, ""	5	00	
E. F. Knight, Constable,	4	25	
Algernon Bowie, Selectman, in part,	9 5	00	
Fred S. Huston, ""	40	00	
Fred A. Merrill, ""	90	00	
George Whitney, Board of Health,	25	00	
C. G. Purrington, " "13-1	4, 21	00	
S. P. Winslow, Truant Officer,	1	00	
John F. Williams, Collector,	200	00	
Balance in favor appropriation,	33	85	
•	1,203	60	\$1,203 60
FORESIDE GRAVEI	. PIT		
Balance from last report,			\$133 00
Unexpended,	\$ 133	00	
	\$133	00	\$133 00

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

WEIGHTS AND M	LASURE	э.		
Unexpended last report,			\$1 50	00
Fairbanks Co.,	\$ 150	00		
State Department of Agriculture,	3	22		
From overlay,			3	22
	\$ 153	22	\$ 153	22
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HIGHWAY	S.			
Appropriation,			\$3,000	00
Received from State,			138	
Due from R. F. Hudson,				25
Amount expended,	\$3,138	37		
Carried to Bridges and Culverts,		95		
	\$3,145	32	\$3,145	32
WILLIAM E. WINSLOW,	Commissi	onei	•	
Apportionment,			\$1,000	00
Wm. E. Winslow,	\$229	40	\(\pi_1,000\)	00
Percy R. Winslow,		40		
Willis B. Shapleigh,		80		
Fred M. Kinney,		25		
Elmer J. Leighton,		50		
Percy F. West,		50		
Richard Barbrick,		00		
Maurice P. Blake,		10		
W. W. Poole,		00		
Allie J. Herbert,		00		
Nelson V. Pelton,		50		
E. W. Ross,		15		
Clough & Wilson,	119			
Walter R. Leighton,		00		
E. T. Lewis,		00		
Fred M. Blake,		50		
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F. E. Shaw,	\$ 5	00		
S. W Lunt,	" -	30		
Irving B Lunt,	3	15		
Maurice N. Winslow,	3	15		
Fred Marston,		60		
Roy M. Simmons,	5	00		
W C. Pratt,	8	00		
Butler Pratt,	2	00		
E. B. Huston,	4	95		
H. D. Babbidge,	7	00		
W W Libby,	7	40		
J. P. Aaskov,	5	4 0		
Fred S. Huston,	5	00		
David Spearin,	12	40		
Harry Hicks,	2	00		
F. O. Whitehouse,	12	40		
Edith J. Leighton, gravel,	5	85		
A. H. Haskell, "	22	65		
W W Libby, "	19	20		
Elbridge Huston, "	9	55		
W S. Pride, smithwork,	7	55		
W H. Pearson & Co., tools and nails,	7	62		
Kendall & Whitney,	4	65		
Good Roads Machinery Co.,	2	66		
George F. Piper, lumber,	10	80		
W F. Trask,	1	00		
Balance in favor appropriation,		77		_
*	31,000	00	\$1,000	00
Iver H. Iversen, Comm	ission	e r .		
Apportionment,			\$1,000	00
Received from State,			138	
Due from R. F. Hudson,				25
Iver H. Iversen,	\$229	17	•	
Andrew Iversen,		00		
Allulew Iversell,	40	, 00		

Martin Iversen,	\$	5 00
C. K. Richards,	11	0 00
Frank Richards,	15	5 00
Maurice Hansen,	7	7 50
J. F. Williams,	2	00 00
John Jensen,	7	8 00
Neils Johnsen,	4	9 00
Hans Larsen,	4	3 50
M. Madsen,	6	8 50
L. H. Hincks	1	4 00
C. H. Chenery,	4	2 00
John D. Allen,	1	1 50
John Hjort,	5	7 67
Fred Jones,		2 00
Good Roads Machinery Co.,		2 67
William Tobey,	1	2 00
John Madsen,	1	7 50
Arthur Hineks,	2	8 00
A. Bowie, stone,	1	.0 50
C. H. Soule, "		4 20
Fred Hincks,		5 00
Henry Iversen,		2 25
Mary A. Poland, gravel,		1 60
William Homden, "		7 00
E. F. Brown,		4 70
S. H. & A. R. Doten, lumber,		5 70
Portland Stone Ware Co.,		6 98
J. R. Wescott,		2 03
S. Olsen,		6 00
A. P. Jensen,		2 00
Balance in favor appropriation,	1	4 35

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HANS PETERSEN, Commissioner.

Apportionment,			\$1,000	00
Hans Petersen,	\$238	30	. ,	
William E. Bell,	47	35		
Emery & Waterhouse,	7	00		
John Warburg,	9	50		
Levi Huston,	40	00		
A. H. Haskell, gravel,	24	20		
Hans Alling,	65	15		
Lawrence Terrison,	9	60		
Jens Jensen,	3	75		
Fred Hansen,	161	50		
J. H. Fabricius,	143	50		
John Johnson,	68	15		
Thomas Thompson,	5	00		
W S. Pride, smithwork,		25		
W. E. Winslow, clay,	5	75		
Edgar Leighton,		00		
F. P. Marston,		60		
Good Roads Machinery Co.,	2	67		
Arthur Hansen,	32	50		
E. F. Hansen,	64	50		
Edith J. Leighton, gravel,	12	4 0		
Isaiah Pride,	5	80		
M. B. Field,		40		
Thomas Fowler, '	4	2 0		
L. L. Howard, "		10		
A. P. Jensen, "	3	60		
William Homden, "	5	00		
E. W Winslow,	5	00		
Maynard Aaskov,	3	50		
William Thurlow,		00		
Willis Hansen,	1	2 5		
Howard Petersen,		00		
E. J. Leighton, clay,		35		
John Jensen,	3	00		

Peter Dyrhburg,	\$2	00		
Henry Brink,	2	00		
J. R. Wescott, smithwork,	1	30		
Balance against appropriation,			8	17
	#		## 000	_
	\$1,008	17	\$1,008	17
STATE ROAL	D.			
Appropriation,			\$ 650	00
From State,			452	15
Material on hand,			30	00
Iver H. Iversen,	\$172	00		
L. H. Hincks	52	00		
M. Madsen,	72	00		
C. H. Chenery,	34	00		
John Hjort,	52	00		
Austin Jones,	18	00		
Mellis Hincks,	10	00		
Arthur Hincks,	55	00		
Neils Johnson,	66	00		
Maurice Hansen,	50	00		
Fred Hincks,	87	50		
Frank Richards,	40	00		
Hans Larsen,	47	00		
A. P. Jensen,	37	50		
C. K. Richards,	55	00		
John Madsen,	26	00		
Henry Iversen,	6	00		
Martin Iversen,	30	00		
Andrew Iversen,	20	00		
J. R. Wescott,	4	22		
John Jensen,	14	00		
John F. Williams,	15	00		
B. L. Jones,	17	50		
S. Olsen,	6	00		
Mrs. Hans Hansen, stone,	4	90		
Ole Petersen, "	7	00		

Mrs. B. A. Hincks, stone,	\$ 2	10		
William Homden, gravel,	1	80		
Fred Hincks, clay,	4	50		
E. F. Brown, clay and gravel,	42	95		
A. P. Jensen, "	42	00		
W E. Howell, lumber,	1	57		
John Lund, "	3	25		
J. M. Brown estate, gravel,	5	25		
Mary A. Poland,	1	6 0		
Martin Iversen,	1	00		
Berger M'fg. Co.,	30	00		
From overlay,			2	47
	\$ 1,134	62	\$1,134	62

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

Appropriation,			\$ 700	00
From material sold,			7	53
From Highways,			6	95
From Lambert Bridge,			37	27
Portland Stone Ware Co.,	\$29	00		
William E. Winslow,	82	52		
Fred Whitehouse,	18	75		
Hans Alling,	24	00		
William E. Bell,	3	00		
Arthur Hansen,	10	00		
Isaiah Pride,	1	20		
John Johnson,	33	00		
E. F. Hansen,	36	00		
Nelson V Pelton,	1	25		
Maurice P. Blake,	20	50		
Hans Petersen,	62	12		
Carl O. Lund, lumber,	51	98		
Iver H. Iversen,	71	00		
Neils Johnson,	5	00		

John Jensen,	\$ 30	50
M. Madsen,	22	50
Arthur Hincks,	3	00
A. P. Jensen,	2	00
John Madsen,	2	00
W. H. Pearson & Co.,	1	70
Berger M'fg. Co.,	16	80
Charles S. Chase Co.,	3	50
Hans Larsen,	2	00
Carl Westross,	35	00
Henry Iversen,	7	50
John Hjort,	10	00
P. R. Winslow,	25	3 5
George F. Piper, lumber,	5	25
W. E. Howell, "	8	83
L. H. Hincks,	9	00
F. M. Blake,	10	00
Percy F. West, labor and stone,	20	00
David Spearin,	24	00
E. W Ross,	17	25
Fred B. Estes, stone,	7	50
W. W Libby, gravel,		2 0
Fred Hansen,	5	00
J. H. Fabricius,	10	00
Dresser & Carlisle,		65
John Waburg,	4	00
John Whitney, dynamite,	7	90
W. H. Thaxter, stone,	3	50
Edgar Leighton,	2	00
Fred Marston,		00
G. W. Leighton,	1	75
F. E. Shaw,	1	00
William E. Winslow, clay,		75

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HARMON CULVERT.

HARMON COL	V 15161.			
Appropriation,			\$300	00
William E. Winslow,	\$38	00		
Percy R. Winslow,	10	75		
F. M. Blake,	19	20		
M. P Blake,	15	00		
E. W Ross,	17	00		
David Spearin,	15	00		
F. O. Whitehouse,	12	00		
R. S. Barbrick,	4	00		
E. L. Huston,	19	50		
B. H. Pratt,	8	00		
Clough & Wilson,	13	00		
Lincoln Abbott,	1	20		
A. D. Black,	1	20		
W W Libby, gravel,	3	90		
Charles S. Chase, cement,	36	75		
Winslow & Co., "	2	38		
Maine Central R. R., freight,	4	72		
W H. Winslow, lumber,	3	35		
George F. Piper, "	36	02		
W S. Pride, smithwork,	4	10		
W H. Pearson & Co.,	6	05		
E. Corey & Co., steel,	28	75		
West Falmouth M'fg. Co.,	2	80		
From overlay,			2	67
	\$ 302	67	\$302	67
PRESUMPSCOT	HILLS.			
Appropriation,			\$ 500	00
Hans Peterson,	\$129	30	**	
William E. Bell,	-	45		
Hans Alling,		00		

John Johnson,

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Edgar Leighton,	\$ 16	00		
William Tobey,	4	00		
E. F. Hansen,	56	00		
Dresser & Carlisle,	2	08		
Lawrence Terisen,		00		
Thomas Thompson,	9	00		
William Thurlow,	3	65		
Fred Hansen,	15	00		
Henry Fabricius,	16	00		
John Waburg,	23	00		
Percy Winslow,	4	20		
Arthur Hansen,	5	00		
J. R. Wescott, smithwork,	3	57		
W. H. Winslow,		40		
Isaiah Pride,	3	00		
Emery Waterhouse Co.,	4	30		
John A. Whitney, dynamite,	29	90		
From overlay,			16	60
	\$ 516	60	\$ 516	60
DUCK POND RO	-	60	\$516	60
	-	60	_	
Appropriation,	OAD.		\$516 \$300	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow,)AD. \$74	50	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow,	OAD. \$74 25	50 00	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse,	9AD. \$74 25 24	50 00 85	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross,	\$74 25 24 26	50 00 85 85	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake,	\$74 25 24 26 21	50 00 85 85 85	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24	50 00 85 85 85 85	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 24	50 00 85 85 85 85 50	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson, C. G. Purrington, loam and gravel,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 29	50 00 85 85 85 85 50 05	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson, C. G. Purrington, loam and gravel, U. R. Pride,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 29	50 00 85 85 85 85 50 05	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson, C. G. Purrington, loam and gravel, U. R. Pride, E. T. Lewis,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 29 7	50 00 85 85 85 85 50 05 50	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson, C. G. Purrington, loam and gravel, U. R. Pride, E. T. Lewis, E. Corey & Co., steel,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 29 7 20 2	50 00 85 85 85 85 50 05 50 00 24	_	
Appropriation, William E. Winslow, Percy R. Winslow, F. O. Whitehouse, E. W. Ross, M. P. Blake, David Spearin, Clough & Wilson, C. G. Purrington, loam and gravel, U. R. Pride, E. T. Lewis,	\$74 25 24 26 21 24 24 29 7 20 2	50 00 85 85 85 85 50 05 50	_	

Hans Petersen, dynamite,	\$4	00		
T. B. Davis,	1	00		
King & Dexter,		90		
Kendall & Whitney,		50		
Balance in favor appropriation,	5	46		
	\$ 300	00	\$300	00
LAMBERTS BRID	GE.			
Appropriation,			\$400	00
Material sold,				00
S. H. & A. R. Doten, lumber,	\$ 100	85		
George F. Piper, "		50		
Dresser & Carlisle, nails,	5	41		
C. F. Colley,	51	00		
William E. Winslow,	4	50		
Percy R. Winslow,	2	40		
J. F. Williams,	51	00		
Bridges and Culverts,	37	27		
Balance in favor appropriation,	101	07		
	\$401	00	\$ 401	00
BUSHES.				
Appropriation			\$400	00
W E. Winslow,	\$1 0	75		
Roy M. Simmonds,	2	00		
John Johnson,	24	75		
Hans Alling,	39	50		
E. F. Hansen,	23	50		
C. H. Chenery,	54	00		
A. P. Jensen,	24	50		
David Spearin,	28	50		
E. W. Ross,	25	5 50		
M. P. Blake,	30	50		
F. O. Whitehouse,	25	5 00		

P. R. Winslow,	\$22	75		
William E. Bell,		00		
L. H. Hincks,	18			
F. E. Thurlow,	18			
Hans Petersen,		50		
John Jensen,	3	00		
M. Madsen,	6	00		
Hans Larsen,	1	00		
W. H. Winslow,		50		
E. J. Leighton,	2	00		
Everett Libby,	2	00		
Samuel Hill,	3	50		
C. H. Field,	3	00		
Nelson V Pelton,	2	00		
Edwards & Walker, tools,	1	60		
Emery & Waterhouse,	3	00		
W C. Pratt,	1	00		
Balance in favor appropriation,	8	65		
	\$400	00	\$400	00
SNOW				
Appropriation,			\$600	00
Balance last report,			174	
Lawrence Iversen,	\$11	00		
George E. Burnham,		20		
John Burnham,	1	00		
Clyde Burnham,	2	60		
L. H. Hincks,	6	00		
M. Hincks,	5	00		
Martin Iversen,	16	50		
B. L. Jones,	22	00		
Fred Hincks,	10	00		
E. L. Huston,	4	23		
Thomas Simmonds,	4	00		
Seward Latham,	2	00		

William E. Winslow,	\$23 80
Percy R. Winslow,	5 20
Robert Jordan,	50
F. O. Whitehouse,	1 50
R. S. Barbrick,	8 25
Everett L. Huston,	2 00
William W Poole,	1 00
W H. Thaxter,	5 00
David Spearin,	2 25
Irving B. Lunt,	25
D. R. Dorman.	11 00
L. W. Dyer,	8 90
A. Johnson,	2 00
Everett Libby,	4 10
Ralph Leighton,	4 00
T. Thorsen,	90
H. T. Meloon,	1 00
H. D. Babbidge,	13 25
E. J. Leighton,	6 75
U. R. Pride,	6 00
C. G. Purrington,	1 00
W T. Curtis,	3 40
Hugh C. Curtis,	1 40
William Curtis,	1 40
Fred M. Kinney,	2 2 0
E. B. Leighton,	3 00
Fred Hansen,	9 40
Willis Hansen,	1 80
L. Dyhrburg,	1 00
Peter Dyhrburg,	1 40
Harry Winn,	2 25
Levi Huston,	13 50
Fred O. Whitehouse,	12 92
Stephen Parker,	3 00
Lawrence Terisen,	3 00
Herman Terisen,	1 13

Neils Thorsen,	\$ 1 13
Carl Terisen,	1 88
Hans Petersen,	17 00
John Warburg,	2 00
H. F. Leighton,	2 00
Wellington Pratt,	1 20
William A. Field,	2 50
C. P. Lawson,	10 55
Harry Lawson,	3 60
Alfred Jensen,	4 00
Neils Jensen,	1 00
Carl O. Lund,	24 75
Maynard Aaskov,	1 50
Edgar Casey,	2 50
Robert Colley,	2 50
C. F. Colley,	8 62
John E. Lund,	2 50
Edgar Lund,	75
Harry H. Brink,	2 40
C. K. Richards,	4 50
J. C. Smith,	2 00
M. A. Madsen,	1 00
S. M. Blanchard,	1 00
P. P. Aaskov,	3 00
F. E. Thurlow,	4 00
Fred M. Blake,	1 00
Maurice P. Blake,	1 30
Iver H. Iversen, 2nd.	18 90
C. A. Ulricksen,	3 20
William Tobey,	6 00
F. P. Marston,	5 80
John Stewart,	40
Percy Marston,	7 40
John Johnson,	7 80
Arthur Hansen,	70
J. H. Fabricius,	4 40

Clifford Aaskov,	\$ 2	00		
Iver H. Iversen,	28			
Andrew Iversen,	52	50		
Frank Richards,	2	00		
John Jensen,	6	00		
C. H. Chenery,	5	40		
Lawrence Aaskov,	3	60		
Neils Johnson,	7	00		
Neils Jensen,	4	00		
H. E. Bailey,	2	40		
Thaddeus Young,	2	60		
Waldo E. Hawkes,	36	00		
Isaac Harmon,		75		
Arthur O'Brien,		50		
Charles Olsen,	3	60		
Maurice Hansen,	4	50		
W. H. Pearson & Co.,		55		
Balance in favor appropriation,	189	09		
	\$774	25	\$774	25
CEMETERIES				
Balance last report,			\$ 107	89
Fred E. Chase,	\$2 5	00	•	
Balance in favor appropriation,	82	89		
	\$107	89	\$107	89
CONTINGENCIE	S.	ē		
Appropriation,			\$ 300	00
State, dog licenses refunded,			-	00
State, railroad and telegraph tax			107	00
Tax claims,	•		27	3 9
Due from State,			45	00
George M. Whitney, fumigating and				
material,	\$2 0	60		
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Martin Iversen,			\$	5	00
A. S. Noyes, reports, p	ostage, ϵ	·tc.,	7		00
Carl O. Lund, fuel,				7	00
Carl O. Lund, subduin	Carl O. Lund, subduing fire,				
H. M. Moulton M. D.,	H. M. Moulton M. D., certificate births				
and deaths,				2	50
G. W. Goodnow, subduing fire, 1913,					00
John F. Williams, tax costs, 1913,					49
William E. Winslow,					50
George E. Nickerson,		g fi r e,	'13,	3	50
S. M. Blanchard,	" "	"	'14,	1	80
J. C. Connor,	"	"		5	00
Clifford Aaskov,	"	"		1	65
Harold Aaskov,		"		1	40
Lester B. Bragg,	4.4	"		2	44
Edward E. Bragg,		"		2	00
A. W Doughty,	" "	"			60
George S. Doughty,		"			30
Frank M. Brown,	" "	"			60
Lawrence Petersen,	"				75
William E. Winslow,				1	25
George W Knight,	ii	4.6		1	00
W. H. Winslow,	" "			1	00
Arthur Hincks,	" "			2	00
John H. Jensen,		"		3	00
J. H. Fabricius,	"	"		7	20
Ernest Fabricius,	" "	"	1	0.	00
P. N. Dyhrburg,	"	"	1	4	00
E. B. Leighton,	c i	"		5	60
H. M. Leighton,	"	4.4		5	00
E. E. Leighton,		* *	1	7	00
W. E. Leighton,	"	"	1	3	00
John Aaskov,	"	"		6	00
Wallace Carlisle,	"	"		6	00
B. L. Jones,	4.6	"		2	20
Everett W Libby,	"	"		5	20

Ralph Leighton, subd	uing fire,		\$ 4	00
C. H. Wibe,			1	00
John Stewart, fire insp	pector,		34	18
William E. Dow, boar	d of healt	th,	5	96
G. D. Loring, office su	ipplies,		17	80
Portland Evening Exp	oress,		10	52
H. H. Hay Sons,			8	10
Martin Mikklesen,			1	00
Noyes Printing Co., ta	ax bills,		7	25
L. L. Howard, hen da	ımage,		20	00
Portland Water Distri	ct,		2	70
Dresser & Carlisle,			6	70
American Express Co	.,			2 8
Portland Stove Found	ry Co.,		10	00
Percy Winslow, cartin	ıg,		1	00
William E. Winslow,	surveying	g,	6	00
Mrs. Lincoln Lunt,			5	00
Geo. E. Nickerson, U	J nderw oo	d fire,	2	50
A. C. Robins,	"	""	2	50
A. W Doughty,	"	"		5 0
R. S. Norton,	"	"	3	00
E. J. Nickerson,	"	"	1	50
Mellie Hincks,	"	4.4		75
R. W Merrill,	"	"	1	50
Arthur Stubbs,	"	"		50
E. F. Knight,	"	"	1	5 0
Alberti Starling,	Poland	"	1	00
L. H. Hincks,	"	6.6	1	00
E. J. Nickerson,	"	44	1	00
W. H. Brown,	"	"	1	00
L. H. Norton,	"		1	00
Broda A. Hincks,	"	"	1	00
R. W. Merrill,	"	"	1	00
George W Goodnow,	"	"	1	00
E. S. Ramsdell,	"	"	1	00
Fred Chase,	"	"		50

A. C. Robins,	Poland	fire,	\$ 1	00		
W. P. Norton,	4.6	"	1	00		
Frank Moulton,	"	"	1	75		
George Nickerson,	"	"	1	75		
E. F. Knight,	" "	"	2	25		
George Hill,		4 6	1	00		
E. J. Leighton, dam	age to p	oultry,	25	00		
C. F. Colley,				60		
E. F. Robinson, M.	D., cer	tificate l	oirths			
and deaths,			4	25		
E. F. Robinson, M.	D.,		4	50		
Balance in favo	or appro	priation	, 120	67		
			\$576	39	\$576	39

BROWN TAIL MOTH.

Appropriation,			\$1,000 00
Received from property owners,			$12\ 74$
Solomon Ingalls, 1914,	\$400	00	
Wm. Tobey, "	5	50	
C. H. Chenery, "	20	74	
M. Madsen, "	7	87	
Talbot, Brooks & Ayer,	6	32	
Howard Leighton.	52	50	
Frank O. Dupee,	64	00	
Lawrence Iversen,	48	00	
Hans Alling,	40	00	
M. Madsen,	2 8	75	
W. S. Pride, smithwork,		15	
Balance in favor appropriation,	338	91	
	\$1,012	74	\$1,012 74

OUT POOR.

Λ ppropriation,			\$1,000	00
Due from City of South Portland,			29	
'· '' City of Portland,			12	
E. F. Robinson, M. D., L. S. Huston,				
and Mrs. Hodsdon,	\$ 21			
W. H. Pearson & Co., E. Tolman,	156			
W. H. Pearson & Co., Day family,	21	78		
W. H. Pearson & Co., R. Woodman,	12	59		
Wilson Nevins, Mrs, Everett,	23	50		
H. M. Moulton, M. D., Day family,	8	10		
H. M. Moulton, M. D., Neil McLean,	2	50		
Abbie L. Mains, Mrs. Hodsdon,	172	61		
Fred M. Kinney,	1	00		
George E. Nickerson,	1	25		
City of South Portland, Green family,	96	75		
Harry McCann, L. S. Huston,	59	00		
James A. Martin & Son, L. S. Huston	, 70	00		
James A. Martin & Son, Mrs. Hodsdon		00		
E. L. Huston, care tramps,	2	20		
City of Portland,	5	33		
Balance in favor appropriation,	318	11		
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4	31,042	47	\$1,042	47
OVERLAY ACCOU	NT.			
Overlay 1914,			\$207	56
Balance last report,				05
Carried to State Road,	\$ 2	47		
Harmon Culvert,	2	67		
Presumpscot Hills,	16	60		
Text Books,		91		
School Supplies,		35		
School House Repairs,		85		
Weights and Measures,		22		
Balance in favor account,	166	54		
	\$207	61	\$207	61

Т	AXES ABATE	ED.			
Appropriation,				\$1 00	00
Balance last repo	ort,			16	19
On list John F. Willi		\$ 2	00		
John F. Will	iams, 1912,	2	70		
John F. Will		32	63		
John F. Willi	iams. 1914,	84	04		
Balance against				5	18
		\$121	37	\$121	37
COLL	ECTOR'S ACC	COUNT.			
John	F. WILLIAMS,	1911.			
Balance last report	•			\$10	00
Abatements,	,	\$ 2	00	Ψ.Σ.Ο	00
Uncollected per list,			00	10	00
-	F. WILLIAMS,	_	•		•
Balance last report,	2			\$24	66
Abatements,		\$ 2	70	#	•
Uncollected per list,		.,	96	24	66
John	F. WILLIAMS,	1913.			
Balance last repo	·			\$ 260	27
Cash,	,	\$ 152	91	#2 00	
Abatements,			63		
Uncollected per list,			73	260	27
John	F. WILLIAMS,	1914.			
Total commitment,			;	\$26,953	17
Cash,		6,627 43	3		
Abatements,		84 04	4		
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Uncollected per list, Cash in hands of Collector,

LIST OF DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.

	Year 1911.				
Baker, Frank D.		\$ 2	00		
Starling, George L.		2	00		
Stynquest, Herman		2	00		
Ulricksen, Peter		2	00		
	_			\$ 8	00
	Year 1912.				
Andersen, John F.		\$ 3	17		
Baker, Frank D.		2	00		
Pride, Mary E., estate,		6	79		
Perham, Lee		2	00		
Poland, Hugh B.		2	00		
Starling, George L.		2	00		
Stynquest, Herman		2	00		
Ulricksen, Arthur		2	00		
	-			\$21	96
	Year 1913				
Anderson, John F.		\$2	00		
Baker, Frank D.		2	00		
Brown, Carroll		18	62		
Blake, O. G.		4	78		
Blake, Clinton		2	00		
Clark, Charles		2	00		
Edwards, Geo. T.		4	57		
Hamilton, E. L.		2	00		
Lynch, Richard		2	00		
Langley, Percy		2	00		
Libby, Oscar		2	00		
Miller, Wm. W.		2	00		
TO 1 1 TT 1 TO					
Poland, Hugh B.		2	00		
Poland, Hugh B. Petersen, Christian			00 67		
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Starling, George L. Stynquest, Herman Thurston, Edward B. Whitney, S. A. Weymouth, Wm. Partridge Bros.	-	2 2 2 2	00 00 00 70 00 35	\$ 74	73
	Year 1914.				
Andersen, J. F.		\$2	00		
Andersen, Fred		2	00		
August, Joseph		2	00		
Baker, F. D.		2	00		
Bibber, Eugene		2	00		
Bailey, Earle		2	00		
Blake, O. G.		3	42		
Burnham, G. E.			52		
Brown, Thomas			00		
Bean, Florin		3	52		
Conner, John C.			00		
Cook, J. B.			00		
Clary, C.			00		
Cole, Clarence			00		
Dorman, Delroy			00		
Edwards, Geo. T.			52		
Holms, C. W			00		
Johnson, John			14		
Jordan, G. T.			52		
Jordan, Albert			00		
Jordan, Ernest			28		
Jordan, Harry			00		
Kinney, Fred M.			00		
Kingsbury, Fred			00		
Libby, Oscar			00		
Lewis, Gordon			00		
Marston, F. P.		4	66		

Meloon, H. T.	\$ 4 66
Miller, W.	2 00
Mains, Fred	2 00
Newbert, Frank	2 00
Olsen, Lawrence	2 00
Perry, Eli	7 62
Parker, Charles	2 00
Petersen, Bendix	2 00
Petersen, Peter	2 00
Ray, Fred	2 00
Smith, Wm.	2 00
Starling, G. L.	2 00
Sylvanus, Richard	2 00
Ulricksen, Carl	2 00
Ulricksen, Arthur	2 00
Whitney, S. A.	4 28
Whitehouse, F. O.	2 38
Weymouth, Wm.	2 00
Hawkes, B. S.	10 00

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SUMS RECOMMENDED TO BE RAISED.

Highways,			\$ 3,000	00
Town Officers,			1,200	00
Bridges & Culverts,			700	00
Out Poor,			200	00
Snow,			400	00
Brown Tail Moth,			300	00
Contingencies,			400	00
Interest,			600	00
Repairs of School Houses, h	ov S. S.	Committee,	500	00
Common Schools,	"	"	1,000	00
High School Tuition,	"	" "	500	00
Text Books,	"	4.6	250	00
School Supplies,	"	"	100	00
Hydrants,			300	00
Abatements,			100	00
Bushes,			200	00
Superintendent of Schools.			100	00

HYDRANTS RENTAL.

Appropriation,			\$ 450	00
Foreside Water Co., rental,	\$225	00		
Balance in favor appropriation,	225	00		
	\$ 450	00	\$ 450	00
SUPERINTENDENT OF	scho	OLS	3.	
Appropriation,			\$2 00	00
Balance last report,			12	50
D. W. Lunt,	\$1 50	00		
Balance in favor appropriation,	62	50		
	\$212	50	\$212	50
INTEREST ACCOUNTIES Appropriation, Received from deposits, Fidelity Trust Co., Balance against appropriation,	UNT. \$696 		\$600 24 71 \$696	49 77
Appropriation, Received from deposits, Fidelity Trust Co.,	\$696 \$696	26	71	49 77 26

SCHOOLS.

Appropriation,			\$ 800 00
Balance last repo	ort,		381 28
Common School	Fund,		2,321 58
School and Mill	Fund,		1,512 47
Vivia R. Sturtivent,	teaching,	\$119 00	
Francis D. Mills,	"	31 50	
Annie L. Beard,	"	147 00	
Clara Anderson,	" "	246 00	
Hazel Groves,	"	91 00	
Ethel M. Reed,	" "	25 50	
Flora B. Frost,	"	452 50	
Anna C. Colley,	"	3 68 00	
Hertha Lund,	"	313 50	
Marion Doyle,	"	150 00	
Inez G. O'Brien,	"	288 00	
Grace L. Graham,	"	270 00	
Evelyn B. Butman,	" "	304 50	
Belle L. Ingersoll,	"	322 00	
Inez E. Fowler,	"	104 50	
Anna M. Fowler,	"	162 00	
Edith M. B. Hill,	"	78 00	
Mabel G. Leslie,	"	189 00	
Ruth L. Mains,	"	171 00	
Bertha Richardson,	"	35 50	
Helen Hodsdon,	"	30 00	
Hans Petersen, fuel,		20 50	
E. L. Huston, "		13 00	
W H. Merrill, "		21 70	
Wilson Nevins, "		147 00	
Carl O. Lund, "		84 50	

John Johnson, sawing fuel,	\$ 6	37		
Edgar Leighton, fuel,	4	00		
Percy West, "	11	70		
C. F. Colley, "	10	75		
L. W. Huston, "	2	50		
H. D. Babbidge,	30	00		
T. Thorsen, conveying scholars,	165	00		
Edgar Lund, janitor,	11	50		
Albert Lund, "	13	50		
Lester N. Winslow,	13	88		
Howard Petersen,	1	22		
Harold Aaskov,	3	75		
H. K. Norton, fuel,	1	2 5		
Due Schools,	554	71		
	\$5,015	33	\$ 5,015	33
HIGH SCHOOL	TUITION.			
Appropriation,			\$ 700	00
Balance last report,			324	50

Appropriation	1,				\$ 700	00
Balance last r	eport,				324	50
Received from	n State,				500	00
Anna Adamsen,	Westbrook	Sem.,	\$30	00		
Edith Hill,	"	"	10	00		
Alma Ingersoll,	" "	"	10	00		
Robert Jordan,	"	"	30	00		
Elsie Lunt,	"	"	10	00		
Florence Marston,	"	"	10	00		
Percy Marston,	"	" "	10	00		
Butler Pratt,	"	"	30	00		
Wellington Pratt,	"	"	10	00		
Joy Nevins,		"	30	00		
Marshall Taylor,	"	"	30	00		
Clara Winslow,	"	"	10	00		
Percy Winslow,	"	"	10	00		
Helen Wilson,		" "	30	00		
S. Florence Skillin	١, ''	"	20	00		

Henry L. Richards,	Deering	g High,	\$ 60	00		
Walter Cleaves,	"	"	60	00		
Dorothy Charles,	"	4.4	60	00		
Henry T. Merrill,		"	60	00		
Henry E. Olsen,	"	"	60	00		
Ada Rankin,	٠,	"	30	00		
Phillis Lord,	"	"	30	00		
Adrienne Lalumier	e, Portla	and High,	30	00		
Marion Ramsdell,	N. Y.	Academy	, 30	00		
Arthur Lowell,	"	" "	30	00		
Mabel Goodnow,	"	"	20	00		
Elsie Nickerson,	"	"	10	00		
Mildred Norton,	"	"	30	00		
Lena Hincks,	" "		20	00		
Sarah Leighton,	"	"	20	00		
Edgar Lund,	" "	"	10	00		
Elizabeth Goodnow	,	6.6	10	00		
Harold Norton,	Greely	Institute,	8	00		
Annie Curtis,	"	"	8	00		
Carrie Curtis,	"	4.6	8	00		
Sarah Field, Penne	ell Instit	ute,	7	00		
Balance in favor	appropr	iation,	643	50		
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			\$ 1.524	50	\$1.524	- 5

\$1,524 50 \$1,524 50

TEXT BOOKS.

Appropriation,		\$2 50 00
Balance last report,		59
Noyes Printing Co.,	\$ 6 75	
W. S. Carlisle,	75	
Edward E. Babb Co.,	93 22	
D.C. Heath & Co.,	16 70	
American Book Co.,	2 5 58	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	10 64	
B. Appleton & Co.,	13 50	
Little, Brown & Co.,	12 68	

Milton Bradley Co., Orange Judd Co., Ginn & Co.,	29	10 37		
Benj. H. Sanborn,	7	23 30		
D. W. Lunt, express, From overlay,		5 0	Q	91
From overlay,				
	\$2 54	50	\$254	50
SUPPLIES.				
Appropriation,			\$100	00
Balance last report,			•	02
W. H. Pearson & Co.,	\$ 8	60		
Dow & Hodsdon,	6	72		
Edward E. Babb Co.,	34	85		
F. E Thurlow,	7	50		
Oren Hooper Sons,	14	95		
Houghton Mifflin Co.,	14	65		
Noyes Printing Co.,	7	70		
Dresser & Carlisle,		10		
Howard & Brown,	9	30		
From overlay,			4	35 —
	\$10 5	37	\$105	37
SCHOOL HOUSE R	EPAIRS	\ .		
Appropriation,			\$400	00
Balance last report,				04
Portland Stove Foundry Co.,	\$2 3	50		
Charles F. Guptill & Co.,	2	98		
W. H. Merrill,	37	65		
W. W. Pearson & Co.,	2	61		
S. H. & A. R. Doten,	56	44		
Kendall & Whitney,	2	25		
Lester N. Winslow,		86		
Edward S. Waite,	3	50		

John M. McCabe,	\$ 19	50		
Harold Aaskov,		25		
George E. Nickerson,	1	00		
King & Dexter,	6	36		
Berlin Mills Co.,	26	96		
Mrs. A. Vorren,	5	00		
Martha Stover,	9	20		
E. W Knight,	6	50		
W H. Winslow, posts,	1	04		
L. A. Olmstead,	12	55		
F. M. Brown Paint Co.,	2	20		
D. W Lunt, express and postage,	1	19		
Mrs. Louise Marston,	7	00		
E. F. Knight,	7	85		
Dresser & Carlisle,	1	80		
E. L. Huston, labor and lumber,	27	92		
R. W. Lunt, labor and nails,	37	31		
J. F. Williams, labor and supplies,	63	07		
R. S. Davis Co.,	3	90		
Morgan Bros., shades,	3	60		
George F. Lord,	4	50		
C. F. Colley, carting,	1	00		
Lester N. Winslow, labor,	2	00		
Albert Lund, funnel,		80		
Willis Hansen,	1	60		
From overlay,			7	85
	\$4 59	89	\$459	89

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN.

ASSETS.

Due from John F. Williams, Collector, 1911,	\$8	00
John F. Williams, " 1912,	21	96
John F. Williams, "1913,	74	73
John F. Williams, " 1914,	241	70
State, Dog licenses, estimated,	110	00
State, State Pensions,	66	00
State, Dog damage,	45	00
City of South Portland,	8	59
City of Portland,	12	59
R. F. Hudson,	7	25
$\mathbf{Tax} \mathbf{deeds},$	279	57
Cash on hand,	662	16
Liabilities over assets,	6,714	46
	\$8,252	01

LIABILITIES.

Due Algernon Bowie,	\$127 30
Fred S. Huston,	10.00
Fred A. Merrill,	80 00
A. S. Noyes,	135 00
John F. Williams,	225 00
Schools,	554 71
Bills outstanding,	120 00
Notes outstanding,	7,000 00
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F. A. MERRILL,

ALGERNON BOWIE.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor of Falmouth.

FALMOUTH, Feb. 20, 1915

I hereby certify that I have examined the record of orders and find them correct and properly vouched; and the amount paid for same being seventeen thousand, seven hundred forty-four dollars and fifty eight cents (\$17,744.58), Also three thousand dollars (\$3,000.) town note paid.

D. W. LUNT, AUDITOR.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

ARTHUR S. NOYES, Treas., in account with the TOWN OF FALMOUTH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance last report,	\$ 592 99
From Fidelity Trust Company, loans,	41,500 00
John F. Williams, Coll., 1914,	26,607 43
John F. Williams, " 1913,	160 60
State Treas., common school fund,	2,321 58
State Treas., school and mill fund,	1,512 47
State Treas., free high school,	500 00
State Treas., State pensions refunded	, 120 00
State Treas., railroad and telegraph t	ax, 107 00
State Treas., dog licenses refunded,	97 00
State Treas., highways,	285 00
State Treas., improvement highways	452 15
Interest on deposits,	24 49
Town Clerk, dog licenses,	113 00
E. B. Leighton,	100 00
Tax Claims,	27 39
City of South Portland,	21 29
W L. Merrill,	7 85
G. W. Hawkes,	4 83
Hans Petersen,	7 56
Victualers license,	2 00
J. F. Williams, lumber,	1 00

^{\$74,565 63}

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Town orders,	\$17,744 58
Fidelity Trust Company, loans,	46,000 00
State tax in full,	7,649 22
County tax in full,	2,12374
State Treasurer, dog licenses,	113 00
State, aid State road,	146 93
Nellie B. Leighton, State pension,	72 00
Almira Hawkes, ""	54 00
Cash on hand,	662 16
	\$74 ,565 63

ARTHUR S. NOYES, TREAS.

FALMOUTH, Feb. 20, 1915

I hereby certify that I have examined the above accounts of Arthur S. Noyes, Treasurer for the year 1914, and find them properly vouched, and find in his hands six hundred sixty-two dollars and sixteen cents (\$662.16).

D. W. LUNT, AUDITOR.

SCHOOL REPORT.

We submit for your approval the following report of the condition of our schools.

It is instructive to bear in mind the gain that is often made by the addition of a new means of education or the alteration of an old one. Recent examples in the case of elementary school education are: supplementary text books, libraries, pictures, sand tables, blocks, tools, raffia work, and the like. The object of these innovations is to economize as well as improve education. If the child in the first grade is kept busy during the first year of school life, he is forming habits which will go with him thru the succeeding grades. It becomes habitual with the active child to follow the example of the teacher whom he loves and respects, therefore every thing depends on how the teacher teaches, and There are two essential elements in how the child receives elementary instruction; one is to so educate as to make the child eager to devote his energy to making his wants better, and the other is to use the schools to help the child to get what he wants when he becomes the future citizen of our land after being so educated as to place his ideals high.

The purpose of making the work interesting by artificial means is not for the purpose of amusing the child, as many suppose, but to instill into the child that interest which becomes a part of the child's nature. I am sure it is not diffi-

cult for parents to notice at once when the child is eager to attend school out of love for the work which is being given to the pupil by the interested, trained teacher. We have in the schools of Falmouth teachers who are teaching because they love the work and the results are such as to call forth words of commendation from all concerned. On the other hand we have those who do not love the work and their teaching is unsatisfactory.

TEACHERS.

We have made but few changes in the teaching force the past year. At the commencement of the fall term, which is the beginning of the school year, we elected the list of teachers as given in the tabular report. The same list was retained for the winter term with the exception of the assistant teachers in Nos. 2 and 3. Soon after the opening of the winter term the main room in No. 3 was divided and we now have a primary and a grammar school in seperate rooms. Bertha N. Richardson of North Monmouth was employed for the primary grades and the work accomplished is beyond our expectations.

In our rural schools the teacher is still the one who is all in all. While the teacher may not occupy quite as important a position in the community as formerly, yet in the school room her position is one of even more responsibility than it was twenty years ago.

As we have suggested in our past reports, it is absolutely necessary that we increase our wage schedule in order to retain the services of our best teachers. We have teachers in Falmouth that should be retained at any price within reason. We have advised a maximum wage schedule of \$12. We find in many of our larger towns in both Maine and Massachusetts that this is the wage limit for all except principals. We have two general bases for the grading of teachers for all purposes, both of which are valid, and are treated as elements in making our decisions. One is the teacher's

personality and general influence over the pupils in stimulating endeavor, arousing interest and affecting character. The other is what we commonly call results, meaning the more definite evidences of good teaching, such as the amount of learning posessed by a pupil after a reasonable period of instruction; there are finer requirements which might be mentioned but we must always take into consideration that teachers are human.

ATTENDANCE.

We wish to call the attention of the citizens of the town to the percentage of attendance during the spring and fall terms; as the winter term is not quite complete we have not included it. We feel that this is something to be proud of. Our percentage of attendance is 89. From our State Superintendent's report of 1913 we find the city of South Portland, with a percentage of attendance of 91, is the only city or town above our percentage. This large increase is owing to the great interest among the pupils of our smaller schools. We wish the larger schools might manifest the same interest. This is not the result of compulsory education, for our truant officers have had but three cases of truancy for the year.

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Our schools are now supplied with good text books. It is always necessary to furnish some new text books as the pupils advance from grade to grade, and to replace those that are badly worn or soiled. This is the case with the primers and first readers, as the books used by the little people are of short duration. We believe it is policy, also, to furnish teachers with books from which they can get the best results in the shortest period of time.

REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

We have made the repairs that were absolutely necessary, and followed out the suggestions made in our last report by having the No. 9 school building painted as recommended and a new ceiling at No. 1. A new wood room has been built at No. 10 schoolhouse and arranged so that the wood can be reached without going out of the building. This is a great convenience as a year's supply can now be placed under cover. We hope two or more such buildings may be constructed the coming year' so that a full year's supply of fuel can be housed, where only about half the required amount can be at the present time. Articles in the warrant will call your attention to the need of a new schoolhouse in No. 2. We hope that conditions which will be duly explained will convince the tax-payers of our town that the people in this section require a better school building located upon a different site.

GRADUATION AND EXHIBITION DAY.

The third school exhibition was held at Falmouth Corner schoolhouse Tuesday and Wednesday, May 5 and 6, and at West Falmouth May 7th. The Teacher's meeting, held the forenoon of the 6th, and the interesting address by Dr. Fowler were the two helpful periods of the exhibit. A second teacher's meeting during the year was held at the Falmouth Corner schoolhouse Friday afternoon Nov. 13. All the teachers were present.

The graduation exercises were held at the First Parish Church, Thursday evening, June 11, 1914. A class of nine passed the examination. Seven entered high school.

The following is the program.

Music, "The Starry Jack"

Orchestra

Prayer

Music, "Asphodel"
Salutatory,
Recitation,
Music, "Barcarolle"
Class Oration,
Class Prophecy,

Orchestra
Susie Florence Skillin
Adrienne Josephine Lalumiere
Orchestra
Howard Smith Peterson
Sarah Evelyn Anderson

Music,''Paprikana'′	Orchestra	
Essay,	Sarah Catherine Leighton	
Music,	Clara Jensen	
Music, "Dream of the Shepherdes	ss''	
Dorothy I	Merrill and Miss Bachelder	
Presentation of Gifts, Edgar Peter Lund		
Class Poem,	Lena Constance Hincks	
Music, The "Son of the Puszta"	Reginald Howe	
Valedictory,	Phyllis Edna Lord	
Awarding of Diplomas,		
Benediction		
Music, "On Desert Sands"	Orchestra	
Colors:—Green and White.		
Motto:—Well Begun is Half D	one.	
SCHOOL STATI	STICS.	
Whole number of scholars in tow	vn April 1st 1914, 428	
Whole number attending our con	mmon schools, 268	
Average number attending our c	ommon schools, 236	
Whole number attending high so	chools, 31	
Length of school in weeks,	33	
Number of different teachers em	ployed during year, 19	
Number retained in the same sche	ool during year, 7	
Number retained thru year,	8	
Respectfully submitt	$\operatorname{ed},$	
2 0	D. W. LUNT, Supt.	
W H. M	ERRILL,) School	
J. F. WI		
L. N. WI		
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No. School.	TEACHERS.	No Weeks.	Total Atten.	Av. Attend.	Wages Per Week.
	SPRING TERM.				
1	Annie L. Beard,	11	17	15	\$ 9 50
2	EVELYN B. BUTMAN,	11	46	39	10 50
	CLARA ANDERSON, ASST.,				6 00
3	FLORA B. FROST,	11	41	36	11 50
	HAZEL GROVES, ASST.,				6 50
4	VIVIA R. STURTIVANT,	11	15	13	8 50
5	ANNA C. COLLEY,	11	28	26	11 50
6	HERTHA LUND,	11	14	13	9 00
7	MARION H. DOYLE,	11	27	24	10 50
8	INEZ G. O'BRIEN,	11	12	8	8 50
9	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	11	18	16	9 00
10	INEZ E. FOWLER,	11	15	11	9 50
12	Belle L. Ingersoll,	11	15	12	9 50
	FALL TERM.		10		, ,
1	CLARA ANDERSON,	13	18	18	9 00
2	EVELYN B. BUTMAN.	13	50	43	10 50
-	EDITH M. B. HILL,		00	1.5	6 00
3	FLORA B. FROST,	13	41	37	18 00
4	Anna M. Fowler,	13	14	13	9 00
5	ANNA C. COLLEY,	13	25	24	11 50
6	HERTHA LCND,	13	14	13	9 50
7	Mabel G. Leslie,	13	29	26	10 50
8	INEZ G. O'BRIEN,	13	11	10	9 00
9	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	13	19	18	9 00
10	RUTH S. MAINS,	13	13	12	9 50
12	Belle L. Ingersoll,	13	$\frac{13}{12}$	11	10 50
12	WINTER TERM.	1	12	11	10 00
1	CLARA ANDERSON,	9	18	17	9 00
2	EVELYN B. BUTMAN,	9	43	38	10 50
-	Helen Hodsdon, Asst.,		40	90	6 00
3	FLORA B. FROST, Grammar,	9	19	18	11 50
3	Bertha N. Richardson, Prim.	9	$\frac{13}{22}$	19	8 00
4	Anna M. Fowler,	9	14	13	9 00
5	Anna C. Colley,	9	22	$\frac{15}{20}$	11 50
6		9	14	13	9 50
7	HERTHA LUND, MABEL G. LESLIE,	9	29	26	10 50
8	INEZ G. O'BRIEN,	9	11	10	9 00
9		8	19	10	9 00
10	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	9	13	12	9 50
10	RUTH S. MAINS,	9	11	10	10 50
12	Belle L. Ingersoll,	ð	7.1	10	10 90

DEATHS.

From January 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914.

- Jan. 11 Sarah Jane Dyer, 68 years.
 - 17 Silas Skillin, 86 yrs., 5 mos., 1 dy.
 - 29 Hans Peter Wibe, 26 yrs., 5 mos., 11 dys.
- Feb. 3 Sarah C. Farr, 92 years.
- Mar. 1 Susan A. Everett, 78 years.
 - 14 Frederic C. Jensen, 78 years.
- Apr. 15 Albert H. Moody, 77 yrs., 7 mos.
- May 14 Susan A. Leighton, 61 yrs., 2 mos., 27 dys.
 - 28 William L. Andrews, 24 yrs. 5 mos. 9 dys.
- June 8 Henrietta V. Liscomb, 73 years.
 - 11 Perez Babbidge, 73 yrs., 5 mos., 3 dys.
- July 7 Hannah H. Anderson, 73 yrs., 5 mos., 21 dys.
 - 27 Thomas J. Pearson, 82 yrs., 5 mos., 16 dys.
- Aug. 3 Lemuel S. Huston, 72 years.
 - 21 Hasket Derby, 79 yrs. 1 mo., 22 dys.
 - 22 Charles M. Berry, 64 years.
- Sept. 3 Eliza Alice Knight, 62 years.
- Oct. 5 Lucy Lunt, 87 yrs., 10 mos.
 - 10 James A. Field, 70 yrs. 8 mos.
 - 12 Joseph S. Hobbs, 73 yrs. 9 mos., 23 dys.
 - 13 Jennie M. Bucknam, 56 years.
- Nov. 16 James W Lord, 81 yrs., 8 mos., 2 dys.
 - 19 Almira V. Kendall, 85 yrs., 7 mos., 27 dys.
 - 23 Fred S. Huston, 50 yrs., 3 mos., 25 dys.
- Dec. 1 Norman R. Flye, 19 yrs., 7 mos., 1 dy.
 - 6 Joseph Walker Asquith, 75 years.
 - 29 Nellie E. Bachelder, 36 years.

ARTHUR S. NOYES, Town CLERK.