

Eighteenth Annual Report

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

NORTH
KENNEBUNKPORT

MAINE

For the Year Ending February 15

1934

Town Officers

1933-1934

Town Clerk

FRED A. DURELL

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

ERNEST A. RICKER ALTON H. BENSON

PHILIP W. PEARSON

Treasurer, Collector and Constable

FLORENCE R. HAYES

Town Constables

EVERETT MOULTON JOSEPH A. GREGOIRE

RAY BOSTON

Auditor

MILDRED L. DAY

Road Commissioners

ALDO DROWN ERNEST RICKER

Superintendent of Schools

H. C. HULL

Superintending School Committee

WILLIAM B. BRIGGS

MRS. MABEL MITCHELL

MISS CELIER SMITH

Report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

The selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor of
the Town of North Kennebunkport submit their report
for the municipal year beginning March 6, 1933, and
ending February 15, 1934.

Amount of real estate and personal property	
as per inventory,	\$330,225.00
Rate of taxation,	\$42.80 on \$1,000.00
Number of polls at \$3.00,	178
Number of polls not taxed,	23
AMOUNT OF MONEY APPROPRIATED FOR 1933	
For common schools,	\$2,871.00
Free textbooks,	75.00
High school tuition,	1,000.00
School supplies,	75.00
Repairs and insurance on school buildings,	150.00
School flags,	15.00
Salary of superintendent of schools,	157.50
Repairs of roads and bridges,	2,100.00
Cutting and burning bushes on State and	
State Aid roads,	150.00
Maintenance of third class road,	453.00
State Aid road,	533.00
Note and interest on Durrell,	690.00
Removal of snow,	400.00
Support of poor,	1,500.00
Out of town fire companies,	300.00
Public health nurse,	25.00
Contingent,	1,000.00

State tax,	2,641.50
County tax,	577.29
Overlaying,	554.34
	\$15,267.63
Amount allowed for excise tax,	600.00
Amount committed to Florence R.	
Hayes for collecting,	\$14,667.63
The selectmen have drawn 378 orders on the treasurer for the following purposes, amounting to:	
For common schools,	\$3,851.83
Free textbooks,	74.23
School supplies,	102.55
Repairs and insurance on school buildings,	253.43
High school tuition,	1,190.00
Salary of superintendent of schools,	157.50
School flags,	7.94
Repairs of roads and bridges,	975.82
Snow removal,	1,792.38
Cutting bushes,	149.95
Maintenance of third class road,	453.00
State Aid road,	708.21
Support of poor,	1,985.01
Pay note and interest on Durrell bridge,	6.90
Service of fire companies,	300.00
Public health nurse,	25.00
To pay loans,	1,025.00
For dog tax,	108.00
Balance of State tax,	1,000.06
Maintenance of State highway,	883.20
County tax,	577.29
Contingent fund,	<u>1,971.17</u>
	\$18,281.57

SUPPORT OF POOR

To Arthur Lombard, supplies to Drown family,	\$529.92
H. G. Sinnott, milk for Drown family,	109.50
Cumberland County Power & Light Co.,	
light for Drown family,	30.98
Ida C. Berry, board of Robert Drown,	48.00
J. C. Penney Co., supplies for Drown family,	49.52
A. M. Wells, supplies for Drown family,	1.35
Joseph D. Ascanio, repair of shoes for	
family,	1.50
Joe the Clothier Co.,	57.57
Lloyd Clough, taking Drown family to	
Portland,	5.00
Ralph Wells, cleaning up rubbish at Drown	
place,	8.75
John W. Thompson, repairing Drown place,	22.13
John W. Lord, repairs to Drown stove,	4.25
Mrs. S. A. Merrill, wood to Drown family,	18.00
Alton H. Benson, cutting and hauling	
wood for Drown family,	26.00
Carl Clough, sawing wood for Drown family,	7.50
H L Prescott, M. D., services to Drown	
family,	45.50
McKenney & Heard, repairs on Drown	
house,	9.23
Miller's Drug Store, supplies for Drown	
family,	13.54
George Coolbrick, repairing shoes for	
Drown family,	2.00
The Diamond Match Co., lumber for	
Drown house,	5.30
R. T. Cole, repairs to Drown house,	1.85
Robert Bartlett, lumber for Drown house,	11.71
A. J. Welch, board of George Smith,	322.00
A. F. Lombard, supplies for Dyer family,	149.17
(This amount due from the State.)	

F. X. Esmond, burial of Joseph Latarte,	80.25
Robert Bartlett, supplies for Tibbetts family,	6.70
City of Biddeford, support of Hannah dark,	132.01
City of Biddeford, aid to Mrs. Virginia Brilow,	141.75
Joe the Clothier Co., supplies for Frank Furbish,	12.59
Robert Bartlett, supplies for Mrs. Frank Furbish,	16.75
William Kearney, supplies for Mrs. Frank Furbish,	2.95
Charles Chappell, aid,	57.00
Webber Hospital, care of Mrs. Dyer,	34.83
J. R. Larochelle, M. D., care of Mrs. Dyer,	<u>20.00</u>
	\$1,985.01
Town appropriated,	<u>1,500.00</u>
Overdrawn,	\$485.01
SNOW REMOVAL	
To C. M. Conant Co., repairs on tractor,	\$39.77
Colin Todd, labor,	6.84
Ralph Ellis, labor,	5.40
Hartley Whitten, labor,	16.09
Albert Day, labor,	4.00
J. H. Breault, labor,	10.80
Carl H. Clough, plowing,	40.08
The Diamond Match Co., plowing,	185.00
James Campbell, labor,	13.00
George Grant, labor,	2.67
Valvoline Oil Co., supplies for tractor,	7.70
John Fearon, gas,	3.77
Robert Bartlett, gas,	2.97
J. H. Breault, gas,	12.77
George Merrill, labor,	7.28
Ernest Ricker, labor,	3.17

S. O. Downing, gas,	3.00
Harry Gilpatrick, labor,	4.00
Valvoline Oil Co., oil and grease,	23.44
Joseph Jollette, sanding,	19.88
Hartley Whitten, labor,	100.75
J. H. Breault, labor,	27.89
Clough Bros., plowing,	180.01
Fred Clough, gas,	10.66
J. H. Breault, gas and telephoning,	123.07
James Campbell, sanding,	65.60
Richard Deasey, care to Portland,	6.00
Griggs-Turner Co., Inc., plowing,	427.50
Albert Day, labor sanding,	6.44
Rowland Norman, labor,	30.24
Earl F. Ingles, labor,	10.78
George Merrill, labor,	7.84
The Diamond Match Co., plowing,	11.00
Town of Lyman, tractor,	55.34
Peter Lamothe, sanding,	1.38
Ralph Palardis, sanding,	0.58
Robert Cyr, sanding,	0.92
Maurice Breault, labor,	10.84
George Grant, labor,	6.21
John Fearon, gas,	6.31
Eastern Tractor & Equipment Co.,	283.75
Byron Kimball, sanding,	2.34
Albert Palardis, labor,	0.92
Blair's Electric Shop, supplies,	<u>4.10</u>
	\$1,792.38
Town appropriated,	\$400.00
Received from State,	<u>418.14</u>
	<u>\$818.14</u>
Overdrawn,	\$974.24

CONTINGENT FUND

To Grace M. Ridley, recording tax deeds,	\$3.12
Murphy Carton Co., Inc., printing reports,	68.00
Joseph A. Gregoire, posting warrants,	3.00
J. M. Huston, wheels for road machine,	15.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	11.60
Charles Pillsbury, interest,	55.00
Hartley Whitten, labor on road machine,	16.00
Richard Marcoux, labor on road machine,	37.00
Charles Mitchell, labor on road machine,	9.45
Charles Pillsbury, interest,	60.00
Onesine Gagnon, fighting fire,	12.00
O. W. Dwinal, insurance on Smith property,	40.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., blade for road machine,	7.03
D. E. Russell, iron for town house,	170.55
Byron Kimball, trucking,	3.50
George Goldthwaite, putting iron on town house,	21.00
Albert Todd, interest,	68.75
Ernest A. Ricker, interest,	60.00
Mack the Signist, highway marker,	15.00
Charles Pillsbury, interest,	60.00
Everett Moulton, care of Frank Furbish,	13.50
Philip Pearson, taking Frank Furbish to Augusta,	15.00
Margaret Pearson, typing,	1.00
J. F. Barker, M. D., examining Frank Furbish,	5.00
National Survey Co., map of Maine,	7.90
Town of Kennebunkport, taxes on Smith place,	41.00
E H. Cole & Sons, insurance on Drown house,	20.40
John W. Thompson, care of Frank Furbish,	4.44
Forrest G. Spofford, serving papers,	2.35

Ethel Thompson, typing,	2.00
Adelard Cote, supplies for road machine,	4.25
Alton H. Benson, services as selectman,	45.00
Alton H. Benson, labor and expenses to Augusta,	5.00
Philip W. Pearson, labor and expenses to Augusta,	5.00
Philip W. Pearson, services as selectman,	45.00
John H. C. Johnson, land damage by road, (This amount is due from State.)	50.00
W. H. Nedeau, moving Johnson house, (This amount is due from State.)	200.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	0.75
Mrs. John W. Thompson, typing warrants,	2.00
S. J. Nowell Co., shovels for C. W. A. men,	19.00
Alton H. Benson, services as health officer,	15.00
Robert Bartlett, snow shovels for C. W. A.,	3.00
W. B. Briggs, services and expenses on school board,	15.31
Edgar S. Hawks, examining Frank Furbish,	5.00
Percy Day, one-third of damage at Day's Mill bridge,	34.00
Ethel E. Thompson, typing cards for brown-tailed moth men,	1.50
H. G. Hutchinson Co., insurance on town house,	30.00
Ernest Ricker, services as selectman,	180.00
Ernest Ricker, interest,	110.00
Fred A. Durell, services as town clerk, re- cording and collecting dog taxes,	46.17
Waterhouse, Titcomb & Sibball, legal advice,	22.00
Albert Todd, interest,	45.00
Florence R. Hayes, collecting taxes, post- ing warrants and tax sales,	202.53

Forrest G. Spofford, services as election clerk,	3.00
Charles E. Durrell, services as ballot clerk,	3.00
Ethel E. Thompson, typing payrolls for C. W. A. workers and town warrants,	12.00
Ernest Ricker, labor and supplies for road machine,	12.45
Ernest Ricker, cash paid on small bills,	<u>6.62</u>
	\$1,971.17
Town appropriated,	<u>1,000.00</u>
Overdrawn,	\$971.17
MAINTENANCE OF TOWN HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES	
Town appropriated,	\$2,100.00
Amount drawn by Aldo Drown,	600.00
Amount drawn by Ernest Ricker,	375.82
To pay State patrol,	<u>883.20</u>
Total expenditures,	\$1,859.02
Balance,	\$240.98
CUTTING AND BURNING BRUSH ON STATE, STATE AID AND THIRD CLASS ROADS	
Town appropriated,	\$150.00
Amount expended by Aldo Drown,	101.39
Amount expended by Ernest Ricker,	<u>48.56</u>
Total expended,	\$149.95
Balance,	\$.05
AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ERNEST RICKER, CUTTING BUSHES ON STATE AND STATE AID ROADS	
To Willis Chapman, labor,	\$18.00

Willie DeGrammant, labor,	20.00
Arthur Jones, labor with team,	<u>10.56</u>
	\$48.56

AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ALDO DROWN, CUT-
TING AND BURNING BUSHES ON STATE
AND THIRD CLASS ROADS

To Aldo Drown, labor,	\$12.00
Percy Merrill, labor,	9.33
Geo. dark, labor,	9.00
Ira Bailey, labor,	18.50
Oliver Hight, labor,	18.00
Neal Johnson, labor,	9.00
Roger Turcotte, labor,	11.00
Herbert Huff, labor,	2.00
Rudolph Wilson, labor,	2.56
Harry Gilpatrick, labor,	<u>10.00</u>
	\$101.39

AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ALDO DROWN
AS ROAD COMMISSIONER

To Aldo Drown, labor, self and team,	\$203.00
Frank Lombard, labor with truck,	42.25
Herbert Huff, labor,	34.50
Alton Benson, labor,	6.00
E. K. Houston, labor with truck,	7.00
J. H. Talbot, labor with truck,	66.50
George dark, labor,	3.00
John Knudson, labor,	2.00
Norman Rowell, labor,	4.22
Philip Pearson, labor with team,	21.25
Percy Merrill, labor,	5.00
George Wormwood, labor with team,	14.00
Clarence Wormwood, labor,	3.00

Joshua Thompson, labor and material,	15.00
Ralph Wells, labor with team,	10.00
Fred Goodwin, labor with team,	7.00
Preston Merrill, labor,	1.00
John W. Thompson, labor,	20.55
John Wormwood, labor,	13.00
Ira Bailey, labor,	12.00
Oliver Hight, labor,	4.00
J. H. C. Johnson, labor with truck,	33.50
Rudolph Wilson, labor,	8.00
Edwin Sprague, labor,	2.22
Philip Bouche, labor,	9.00
Ezra Mitchell, labor with team,	1.50

Material and Supplies

To G. W. Larrabee Co., tile,	2.52
B. F. Emery, cement,	1.50
R. W. Bartlett, lumber and spikes,	28.22
E. King, sharpening picks,	1.00
Mrs. John Day, stone chips, :	0.25
Miss Joanna Larrabee, gravel,	3.00
Mrs. Joseph Benson, gravel,	0.75
Aldo Drown, gravel,	3.40
J. H. Talbot, gravel,	<u>6.45</u>
	\$595.58
Balance due,	\$4.42

AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ERNEST RICKER AS
ROAD COMMISSIONER

To Ernest Ricker, for services,	\$53.00
Mitchell Rodziericz, labor,	8.50
Arthur Jones, labor with team,	10.00
Wilfred DeGrammant, labor dragging,	10.00
John Chenard, labor with team,	5.00
Read Walker, truck,	3.50

Hartley Whitten, labor,	5.00
Clement Lamothe, truck,	2.50
Wyman Hill, labor with team,	15.00
Frank Walker, labor with team,	85.00
Earl Walker, labor with team,	55.00
Mearl Stowe, labor with truck,	20.00
Joseph Taschereau, labor,	3.00
Harold Talbot, labor with truck,	7.34
Frank Lombard, labor with truck,	37.50
Saco Brick Co., culvert,	<u>55.48</u>
	\$375.82

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Town appropriated,	\$453.00
Balance from last year,	<u>5.45</u>
	\$458.45
Expended by Aldo Drown, as per payroll, to	
State,	<u>453.00</u>
Balance,	\$5.45

STATE AID ROAD

Town appropriated,	\$533.00
Apportioned by State,	1,066.00
Balance last year,	<u>64.10</u>
	\$1,663.10
Expended by Ernest Ricker, as per payroll, to	
State,	<u>708.21</u>
Balance,	\$954.89

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Town appropriated,	\$25.00
York County Public Health Association,	\$25.00

FOR OUT OF TOWN FIRE COMPANIES

Town appropriated,	\$300.00
To Town of Kennebunk,	\$100.00
Town of Kennebunkport,	100.00
City of Biddeford,	<u>100.00</u>
	\$300.00

COMMON SCHOOLS

Town appropriated,	\$2,871.00
Balance from last year,	250.74
State fund,	<u>922.78</u>
	\$4,044.52

Expenditures

For teachers' salaries,	\$2,957.10
Tuition,	793.48
Fuel,	<u>101.25</u>
Total amount expended,	\$3,851.83
Balance,	\$192.69

FREE TEXTBOOKS

Town appropriated,	\$75.00
Amount expended,	<u>74.23</u>
Balance,	\$.77

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Town appropriated,	\$75.00
Amount expended,	<u>102.55</u>
Amount overdrawn,	\$27.55

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Town appropriated,	\$1,000.00
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Balance from last year,	107.17
State fund,	<u>700.00</u>
	\$1,807.17
To Thornton Academy,	\$290.00
City of Biddeford,	340.00
Town of Kennebunkport,	100.00
Town of Kennebunk,	<u>460.00</u>
Amount expended,	\$1,190.00
Balance unexpended,	\$617.17
SUPERINTENDENT	
Town appropriated,	\$157.50
To H. C. Hull, salary,	\$157.50
REPAIRS AND INSURANCE OF SCHOOL	
BUILDINGS	
Town appropriated,	\$150.00
Balance from last year,	<u>40.75</u>
	\$190.75
To George Goldthwaite, labor,	\$9.00
D. S. Russell, iron for Irving,	75.80
Robert Bartlett, supplies,	2.91
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	48.00
John W. Lord, supplies,	10.92
Ezra W. Mitchell, labor,	45.35
City of Saco, supplies,	1.00
Frances Hutchins, labor,	5.00
W. W. Chappell, labor and supplies,	23.00
Ernest Ricker, two sheets of iron for Irving	
School,	2.45
C. H. Cole & Sons, insurance,	<u>30.00</u>
Amount expended,	\$253.43
Amount overdrawn,	\$62.68

SCHOOL FLAGS

Town appropriated,	\$15.00
Balance from last year,	<u>4.75</u>
	\$19.75
Amount expended,	<u>7.91</u>
Balance,	\$11.81

REPORT ON MRS. ENOCH SMITH PROPERTY

Net cost to town.	\$935.10
Kennebunkport taxes,	41.00
To O. W. Dwinal, insurance for 3 years,	<u>40.00</u>
	\$1,016.10
Received for rent.	\$20.00
Received for gravel,	<u>221.10</u>
	<u>\$211.00</u>
Net cost to town.	\$775.00

TOWN RESOURCES

Due on uncollected taxes, 1929,	\$14.45
Due on uncollected taxes, 1930,	184.59
Due on uncollected taxes, 1931,	812.4
Due on uncollected taxes, 1932,	774.03
Due on uncollected taxes, 1933,	1511.33
Real estate taken for nonpayment of taxes,	1659.64
Due from Frank Furbish account,	841.72
Due from Horace Benard property,	
Due from Mrs. Smith's property,	875
Due from State, Dyer account,	201
Due from State on Johnson land and moving house,	250
Cash on hand,	<u>500.48</u>
	\$7,627.59

TOWN LIABILITY

Outstanding temporary notes, \$9,700.00

ERNEST A. RICKER,

ALTON H. BENSON,

PHILIP W. PEARSON,

Selectmen of North Kennebunkport.

Collectors Report

Amount committed for collection,	\$14,667.63
Amount excise tax collected,	798.73
Amount supplementary tax collected,	<u>11.96</u>
Total,	\$15,477.92
Amount collected, including supplementary tax,	\$11,439.38
Amount received from sale of real estate for nonpayment of taxes,	1,643.00
Amount excise tax collected,	798.73
Amount taxes abated,	85.53
Amount taxes uncollected,	<u>1,511.28</u>
Total,	\$15,477.92
Feb., 1933, uncollected taxes for 1932,	\$1,659.64
Collected and abated,	\$684.59
Received from sale of real estate for nonpayment of taxes,	<u>201.02</u>
	\$885.61
Feb., 1934, balance uncollected,	\$774.03
Feb., 1933, uncollected taxes for 1931,	\$931.94
Collected,	<u>119.54</u>
Feb., 1934, balance uncollected,	\$812.40
Feb., 1933, uncollected taxes for 1930,	\$198.72
Collected,	<u>14.13</u>
Feb., 1934, balance uncollected,	\$184.59
Feb., 1933, uncollected taxes for 1929,	\$19.45
Collected,	<u>5.00</u>
Feb., 1934, balance uncollected,	\$14.45

FLORENCE R. HAYES,

Collector.

Treasurer's Report

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March 6, 1934, cash on hand,	\$2,200.88
Rec'd rent from Perley Whitten,	20.00
For tax deed, Taschereau property,	6.43
For tax deed, Onesine Gagnon property,	12.00
For tax deed, James Campbell property,	39.37
For tax deed, Henry Chenard,	18.92
For tax deed, Edward N. Platt property,	21.82
For tax deed, Albert Bedard property,	15.07
For tax deed, Matt Moulen property,	46.20
For tax deed, A. Brousseau property,	8.27
For tax deed, Zoel Courtois property,	38.42
For tax deed, Philip E. Steele property.	148.09
For gravel taken from Smith property,	221.40
From State on snow removal,	418.11
From State on school fund (credit),	1,622.78
From town clerk on dog licenses,	108.00
On loans,	0.00
On tax deeds,	2,033.63
On excise tax,	798.73
On 1929 tax,	5.00
On 1930 tax,	11.13
On 1931 tax,	119.58
On 1932 tax.	609.90
On 1933 tax,	<u>11,439.38</u>
Total,	\$22,438.46

Rec'd from State by credit,	\$ 1,622.78
Rec'd from town for tax deeds by credit,	2,033.63
Paid on town orders,	18,281.57
Deb., 1934, cash on hand,	<u>500.43</u>
Total,	\$22,438.46
Outstanding temporary loans,	\$9,700.09

FLORENCE R. HAYES,

Treasurer.

I have examined the reports of the selectmen and the
treasurer and find them correct.

MILDRED L. DAY.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the Honorable School Committee, Board of Selectmen
and Citizens of North Kennebunkport:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

It gives me great pleasure to submit this, my ninth,
annual report of schools.

This year we have felt the real strength of the depression. The enrollment of the schools has more than held its own. Six new seats were purchased for Iron Bridge School, but the older pupils of this school who were over the compulsory school age went off into industry so that only part of these were needed. Some were transferred to Burnham School and some of them were sent to the Irving School.

The roof on the Irving School building was in such a poor condition that, although the appropriation was insufficient to care for this item, Mr. Ernest Ricker consented to have this fixed, after consultation with the school committee.

Your school buildings are in a very poor state of repair outside. All five buildings are suffering for paint. At the Irving School, under the direction of the teacher, the pupils put on a program and box supper which netted them sufficient funds to paint this building. They expect to carry the project through in the early spring.

Some of the schoolrooms are beginning to be very dark and smoked up and should be murescoed this spring. The light is so very poor at present that much eye strain is caused toward the close of the school day during the winter months. In the cities they have electric lights for the very dark days, but reflected light from.

newly freshened ceiling helps amazingly. I recommend that two schools, the Durell and the Burnham, be done this summer.

The textbook needs are increasing somewhat, due to the very much larger classes than formerly at some of the schools. In the schools recently opened, we have more pupils than had been expected. Each time these pupils are promoted, they have to be supplied with such texts as are used in their particular grade.

The expense attached to the school committee which should have come in on last year's account did not arrive until it was too late to be included, so makes a slightly larger overdraft than was anticipated.

Let me point out that Burnham School is now carrying a capacity enrollment. If there are increases at this school in the enrollment, you must either re-allocate the pupils or place the extra room in repair and hire another teacher.

Determined demands were made by parents living on Route 1, Atlantic highway, for transportation. The committee consulted both the State Supervisor and the selectmen as to what should be the attitude of the town toward transportation for these people who are nearly midway between the Iron Bridge and the Durell Schools. The distance was measured from Durell over the woods road emerging on the Atlantic highway near the Log Cabin and was found to be 1 and $\frac{3}{10}$ miles. It is not more than $\frac{5}{10}$ of a mile from the Log Cabin to Bedard's Hill opposite their house, making the total distance to the school building at Durell 1 and $\frac{8}{10}$ miles. Wishing to be perfectly fair with these people who desire transportation for their children, it was determined to call a town meeting. Consequently a town meeting was called and the results were decidedly against extra expense at this time. The committee was instructed to enforce the truancy law.

FINANCIAL

Your attention is called to a comparison of school and municipal costs of North Kennebunkport and the average costs prevailing throughout the State. The average school rate of Maine is .01087. The school rate for North Kennebunkport is .01104. Your school rate is, therefore .00017 above the average. You are now maintaining five schools, whereas formerly you only maintained three schools. One of these five schools will be overcrowded this coming fall. The average municipal rate is .018. The town rate is .0428 or .0052 below the State rate.

The gross amount of State subsidy was more this year than last, due to the increased census, number of schools maintained and the large enrollment of pupils in High School on which these returns were made.

There are six pupils in Kennebunk High School, three in Thornton Academy, four in Biddeford High School, and one in Kennebunkport High School.

There are eight pupils of North Kennebunkport at the Alewife School in Kennebunk, three in the Kennebunkport town house Grammar School, and four in the Kennebunkport town house Primary School. The tuition of these elementary pupils is \$1.00 per week. A 1 tuition charges are in the nature of fixed costs since they cannot be changed. The greatly increased enrollment of pupils since the depression is especially evident in your elementary schools. You can readily see that if conditions continue until the larger classes now coming along in the grades begin to enter High School, as they will shortly, school costs must further increase. Your widely scattered districts seem to compel the set-up you now have. There are abundant evidences that another teacher may be needed this year in the Burnham district.

Your attention is directed to the financial statement appended to this report.

Let me take this space to express to the superintendent, school committee, board of selectmen, and other officers of your town, and to the many citizens at large, my firm conviction that you desire the best for your children and will not, whatever the depression may bring, allow your children to be handicapped because of curtailed educational privilege.

These are difficult times and our faith has been tested, but we have confidence in our institutions and our government to adjust to this new day that lies ahead.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. HULL,

Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL STATISTICS

April census, 1933—Children between 5 and 21 years of age: Boys, 108; girls, 68; total, 176.

Enrollment in town schools, October, 1933;—Boys, 49; girls, 47; total, 96.

Number of pupils attending school, 1932-1933:

Town schools, elementary	107
Tuition, elementary	12
Tuition, secondary	<u>16</u>
Total	135
Aggregate attendance year ending July 1, 1933	14226.5
Average daily attendance ending July 1, 1933	86.2
Weeks of school	34

SIGHT AND HEARING TEST

Numbered examined	96
Number found defective in sight	8
Number found defective in hearing	1

TEACHERS

Miss Mildred L. Day, R. F. D. No. 1, Biddeford, Me., Durell School.

Mrs. Grace L. Smith, R. F. D. No. 1, Biddeford, Me., North Chapel School.

Mrs. Etta B. Chappell, 474 Elm St., Biddeford, Me., Iron Bridge School.

Mrs. Sarah W. Talbot, R. F. D. No. 1, Kennebunkport, Me., Burnham School.

Miss Madeleine F. Morrill, R. F. D. No. 1, Kennebunkport, Me., Irving School.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

February 27, 1934

Account	Expenditures	Resources	
COMMON SCHOOL			
Teachers	\$2,957.10	Town	\$2,871.00
Fuel	101.25	Balance	250.74
Janitors	0.00	State	922.78
Tuition	<u>793.48</u>		<u> </u>
	\$3,851.83		\$4,044.52
		Balance	\$192.69
HIGH SCHOOL			
Tuition	\$1,190.00	Town	\$1,000.00
		Balance	107.17
	<u> </u>	State	<u>700.00</u>
	\$1,190.00		\$1,807.17
		Balance	\$617.17
TEXTBOOKS			
Expended	\$74.23	Town	\$75.00
		Balance	\$.77
SUPPLIES			
General	\$52.18	Town	\$75.00
Office	32.57		
Committee	<u>17.80</u>		<u> </u>
	\$102.55		\$75.00
		Overdraft	\$27.55

SUPERINTENDENT

Salary	\$157.50	Town	\$157.50
REPAIRS AND INSUR- ANCE			
Insurance	\$30.00	Town	\$150.00
Repairs	145.18	Balance	35.75
Irving School repairs, special	<u>78.25</u>		<u> </u>
	\$253.43		\$185.75
		Overdraft	\$67.68
Irving School repairs taken care of by town as overdraft.			
Expended	\$7.94	Town	\$15.00
	<u> </u>	Balance	<u>4.75</u>
	\$7.94		\$19.75
		Balance	\$11.81

Vital Statistics

FOR 1931

MARRIAGES

In Kennebunkport, March 25, by Rev. F. B. Powell, Wilbur F. Goodwin of Kennebunkport and Mae M. Boston of North Kennebunkport.

At Old Orchard Beach, April 10, by Wesley M. Mewer, Justice of the Peace, Frances E. Hefferman of North Kennebunkport and Ruth Esty Gifford of Old Orchard Beach.

At Brentwood, N. H., May 14, by Rev. Wallace S. Boardman, Rodney W. Emmons of North Kennebunkport and Barbara I. Strout of Epping, N. H.

At Goodwin's Mills, August 7, by Rev. Robert A. dark, Francis MacDonald of Saco and Teofila Rodziewicz of North Kennebunkport.

At Goodwill's Mills, December 25, by Rev. Robert A. dark, Ernest D. Hill of Dayton and Josephine O. Kimball of North Kennebunkport."

BIRTHS

May 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chenard, a son, Ralph Theodore.

May 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turgeon, a son, Ralph Gordon.

June 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Johnson, a daughter, Florence Bernia.

July 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Labbe, a son, Ernest Arinez; Raymond.

August 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Walker, a son, Everett Howard.

August 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Antonia Goulet, a son, Joseph Roy-Clemant.

September 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Pillsbury, a son, name not given.

October 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Willie DeGrammant, a son Albert Wilfred.

October 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dyer, a sen, Chester Dyer, Jr.

DEATHS

In Buxton and Hollis Hospital, October 7, Mrs. Lucy G. dark, aged 72 yrs. 11 mos. 25 days.

TAX LIST, 1933

Resident

Amnotte, Emile	\$20.12	Bedard, Emile	46.87
Arundel Grange, No.			
486	21.40	Briggs, Ernest V.	11.56
Bailey Ira A.	29.96	Campbell, James L.	15.84
Belanger, Francis	22.26	Chappell, Willis W.	95.87
Benson, Alton H.	28.68	Chapman, William Heirs	4.28
Bedard, Albert	11.56	Chapman, Willis	3.00
Bishop, George	47.51	Chenard, Henry	14.77
Blanchette,			
Hemenegilde		Chenard, Charles	3.00
and Philip Boucher	57.87	Chenard, John	3.00
Boston, Charles			
Heirs	38.52	Chenard, Napoleon Heirs	57.78
Boston, Edwin Roy	22.26	Chenard, Ernest and	
Boston, Leslie G.	35.10	Alfred	21.40
Boston, John G.	44.94	Cheney, George V.	38.52
Arthur F.	6.21	Clark, George C.	15.84
Breault, J. H.	51.15	Clark, Herbert Heirs	16.26
Breton, Mary	19.78	Cluff, Harvey N.	24.40
Breton, Peter	3.00	Cluff, Chester	3.00
Breton, Jean	3.00	Clough, Walter	3.00
Bennard, Horace			
Heirs	18.19	Clark, Leo	3.00
Bird, C. C.	26.54	Cowgill, James	89.46
Bedard, Omer	74.26	Chappell, Homer J.	27.61
Briggs, William B.	46.87	Coleman, Fred G. Heirs	133.96
Blaine, Henry	57.14	Day, J. F. Heirs and	
Boston, Charles W.			
Heirs	3.21	A. H. Day	119.84
Boucher, Donat	3.00	Day, Jesse L.	98.02
Briggs, Frank A.	3.00	DeGramumant, Wilfred	13.70
Blaine, George	3.00	DeGramumant, Willie	3.00
Boston, Ray	3.00	DeGramumant, Alex.	3.00

DeGramumant, Melvine	64.20	Gagnon, Lewis	3.00
Downes, Ralph G.	26.54	Goulette, George	141.03
Owning, Samuel Heirs	94.16	Goulette, Wilfred	3.00
Downing, Samuel O.	80.04	Goulette, Andrew	3.00
Downing & Norman	42.37	Going, Louis	6.21
Durrell, Charles E.	38.52	Giguere, Arthur	46.87
Durell, William F. Heirs	128.40	Gilmett, Wilfred	71.27
Durell, Fred A.	17.98	Gould, Leonard	3.00
Delorge, Odilon	50.08	Gagne, Joseph	3.00
Descoteaux, James T.	14.77	Going, Raymond	3.00
Drown, Aldo	101.44	Giguere, Alcid	3.00
Drown, Aldo and Lil- lian R-.	29.96	Ham, John Heirs	72.76
Drew' Herbert L.	17.98	Hatch, Ernest	17.98
Drew, Lavina	12.84	Hayes, Walter S.	106.23
Day, John F. Heirs	4.49	Hill, Mrs. George T.	154.08
Day, Albert	13.70	Hill, George T.	17.12
Day, Harold	3.00	Hill, Howard S. Heirs	62.06
Eaton, Joshua Heirs	36.38	Hill, Ray H.	5.14
Emmons, Clarence	9.85	Hayes, Roland	3.00
Ellis, Ralph J.	20.12	Hutchins, Harry	3.00
Fearon, John J.	78.54	Hill, Percy	3.00
Furbish, Frank or Un- known	27.82	Huot, Adelard	3.00
Fletcher, John M.	23.55	Hodsdon, Mrs. O. T. and John W. Thomp- son	42.80
Fountain, Florence G.	20.12	Huff, Herbert W.	56.07
Fountain, William	10.49	Hutchins, George	39.59
Gilpatrick, Harry B.	36.17	Hutchinson, Charles M.	92.88
Goodwin, Fred	82.82	Hight, Oliver	35.10
Green, Henry W.	14.56	Hill, Wyman	126.05
Green, Sadie	21.40	Houston, E. K.	45.80
Gregoire, Joseph A.	72.12	Hutchins, Charles	81.11
Gregoire, George	3.00	Huff, Donald H.	3.00
Gregoire, Joseph T.	3.00	Heffeman, Francis	3.00
Goldthwaite, George	3.00	Hamilton, Forrest S.	7.28

Jellison, John M. Heirs	32.10	Merrill, S. A. Heirs	178.35
Jones, Arthur J.	162.65	Merrill, George A.	4.07
Johnson, J. H. C.	11.77	Merrill, Charles T.	7.71
Johnson, Neil	7.92	Merrill, Percy J.	7.28
Johnson, Donald	3.00	Merrill, Preston	3.00
Johnson, Leslie	5.14	Merrill, J. D.	28.89
Jewett, Harry	3.00	Merrill, George H. Heirs	107.86
Kimball, Frank L.	425.65	Moore, Tom	3.00
Kimball, Fred W. Heirs	19.26	Mitchell, Ezra W.	109.36
Kimball, Mary E.	10.70	Murtaugh, Martin H.	53.50
Knight, Archer B.	59.71	Morrell, Allie W.	38.52
Knudson, John	38.31	Moulton, Mrs. Lillian	12.84
King, George	3.00	Moulton, Everett	3.00
Kimball, Byron	5.14	Mason, Alpheus A.	47.94
Labbee, Ernest	17.98	Mitchell, William N.	3.64
Lamothe, Joseph C. or Unknown	21.40	Mailhot, Alfred	67.20
Lamothe, Peter	55.64	Mitchell, Henry B. Heirs	65.48
Landry, Willie	80.04	Morrow, W. S.	22.26
Lariviere, Mary	4.28	Mador, Dona	3.00
Latarte, Joseph Heirs	17.12	Nason, Isabel E.	47.08
Leach, Mrs. Fred	12.84	Norman, Mary	39.59
Leach, Chester	20.12	Norman, Ralph	11.56
Lamothe, Ernest	3.00	Norman, Percy	3.00
Leach, Franklin	3.00	Norman, Roland	3.00
Leach, Mrs. Franklin	44.94	O'Brine, Victor	69.34
Levelle, Joseph	46.87	O'Brine, Harold	3.00
Lombard, B. F.	100.37	Oliver, Louis	3.00
Latarte, Joseph, Jr.	3.00	Pearson, Philip W. and Margaret H.	203.30
Lux, .Andrew	41.52	Pillsbury, Charles	114.28
Lisica, Boleslaw	49.01	Pillsbury, Leon W.	8.56
Libby, Raymond	5.14	Pillsbury, Ralph W.	78.97
Lamothe, Clemont	3.00	Proctor, Israel Heirs	86.88
Lunt, J-.B.	299.60	Platt, Edward M.	17.98
Lunt, J. B.	477.87	Perry	3.00

Paraday, Albert	3.00	Taschereau, Joseph	44.09
Ricker, Ernest A.	177.41	Taschereau, Edgar	13.70
Roberge, Joseph	23.11	Taylor, Lillian G.	26.75
Roderwich, Mitchell	88.69	Tripp, Frank	28.68
Sinnott, S. E. Heirs	81.32	Tripp, Arthur	3.00
Sinnott & Son	34.24	Thompson, George	3.00
Sinnott, Henry G.	35.10	Walker, Alonzo	48.15
Strope, Homer	3.00	Walker, Frank	246.32
Smith, George H.	72.76	Walker Bros., Frank	
Smith, William A.	4.07	and Ralph	8.56
Smith, Mrs. Enoch Heirs	4.28	Walker, Earle	3.00
Smith, William E.	53.71	Walker, Reed	3.00
Smith, George L.	26.54	Whitten, Hartley	3.00
Spencer, Luther E.	263.87	Wheaton, Arthur	3.00
Spencer, Lincoln	3.00	Walker, Ernest B.	45.80
Spofford, Forrest G.	5.78	Waterhouse, James Heirs	252.52
Sprague, Edwin	23.33	Waterhouse, William	40.66
Sprague, Herbert A.	60.78	Wells, Ralph O.	94.17
Steele, Philip E.	132.04	Wells, John H.	3.00
Strickland, Clarence	15.84	Whitten, Edwin	21.40
Stone, Merle	100.37	Whitten, Edwin	6.42
Stone, Shirley B.	3.00	Wormwood, John B.	48.37
Sprague, Charles	3.00	Wyman, W. F. Heirs	68.48
Smith, Lester L.	13.27	Wormwood, George	8.35
Smith, George	20.12	Wormwood, Clarence	3.00
Talbot, J. Harold	122.41	Wilson, Guy	11.56
Thompson, Adelaide	38.52	Wilson, Rudolph	3.00
Thompson, Raymond E.	6.21	Witcher, Herbert	3.00
Thompson, Joshua	146.38	Walsh, Mrs. Beatrice	38.52
Thompson, John W.	3.21	Wilson, Charles	11.56
Todd, Albert	16.48	Whitten, Edna	8.56
Todd, Colin	27.82	Young, Perley B.	3.00

Non-Resident

Atkins, E. H. Heirs	2.14	Coleman, Sumner E.	12.84
Adamowicz, Frank	42.80	Clough, Fred	3.21
Bartlett, William Heirs	113.42	Campbell, John A.	4.28
Bartlett, Archie Heirs	21.40	Day, Albert P.	29.96
Bates College, Treasur-		Day, Charles C.	59.92
er and President of	12.84	Day, Lizzie W.	92.02
Belanger, Bruno	14.98	Deering, Edward N.	6.42
Belanger, Joseph	2.14	Deering, Gilman N. Heirs	38.52
Benson, Joseph Heirs	8.56	Deering, Frank C.	10.70
Benson, R. Paul Heirs	23.54	Dolben & Co.	214.00
Benson, Dixie	12.84	Diamond Match Co.	46.87
Berry, Solomon Heirs	23.54	Duffield,-Joseph	8.56
Bedard, John B.	25.68	Elwell, Nellie O.	11.56
Boston & Maine Rail-		Emmons, Seth	85.60
road	33.81	Emmons, William	47.08
Bowdoin, John W. Heirs	14.98	Fogg, J. H. Heirs	19.26
Buzzell, William Heirs	6.42	Folger, H. W.	44.08
Bryant, George	8.56	Fitzgerald, Mrs. Esther F.	171.20
Belanger, Fred	4.28	Gagnon, Onesine	34.24
Burnham, Mrs. Jennie	85.60	Gelinas, A. G.	8.56
Carvill, Willard	3.21	Gilpatrick, R. S.	121.98
Clark L. S.	8.56	Gilpatrick & Deering	24.39
Clark, Walter	6.42	Gartland, John	56.50
Clough, George W.	4.28	Grant, Ira W. Heirs	6.42
Clough, Charles O.	2.14	Grant, Fred	2.14
Courtois, Joel	25.68	Gregoire, Pierre	8.56
Cole, Mrs. E. R.	23.54	Gulf Refining Co.	25.68
Cole, Albert	42.80	Goode, N. J.	21.40
Covill, Leroy J.	36.38	Gemma,Salvatore N.	59.92
Colonial Gas. Co.	12.84	Hay, William	17.12
Cumberland County		Hayes, K. P.	12.84
Power & Light Co.	85.60		

Hatch, Philip	6.42	Proctor, Hiram Heirs	8.56
Hoyt, Ashton	8.56	Prenteau, George	40.66
Hurst, Leona	2.14	Potter, George	64.20
Hobbs, George S.	8.56	Pendegrass, Charles	6.42
Irving, Raymond F.	34.24	Pearson, Evelyn C.	4.28
Irving, Curtis S.	12.84	Parsons, Harry	23.54
Jariz, Renie Heirs	11.13	Roberts, L. A. Heirs	7.49
Jellison, Charles E.	8.56	Roberts, Elmer M.	29.96
Jollette, Joseph C.	4.28	Roberts, Winfred W.	21.40
Jordan, Richworth Heirs	56.49	Ross, Roy V.	4.28
Johnson, Blanch M.	139.10	Russell, Eva F.	12.84
Jenney Gas Co.	12.84	Roberge, Alfred	32.10
Kennebunk River Club	34.24	Rousseau, Albert	2.14
Kingsbury, Martin H.	42.80	Ruel, Joseph	17.12
Kimball, Frederick	2.14	Saco Mfg. Co.	64.20
Kimball, Marshall	8.56	Sanborn, Ralph	68.48
Larrabee, Joanna	8.56	Seavey, Eastman P.	6.42
Labounty, Albert	12.84	Small, Louis Heirs	6.42
Libby, Orren, C.	25.68	Smith, Bertell A.	4.28
Lunge, Helen	2.14	Smith, Sarah	8.56
Lynn, Alvin C.	85.60	Shiner, Alfred	8.56
Michie, Harry	13.69	Smith, Walter	2.14
Michmertich, Martin M.	50.72	Stillman, Louis B.	4.28
Mitchell, Charles R.	21.40	Smith, Leander	6.42
Mitchell, George W.	2.14	Saunders, Margaret J.	149.80
Miller, Marshall	1.07	Standard Oil Co.	70.62
Morin, Napoleon	34.24	Taylor, Jonas R. Heirs	8.56
Moulen, M.	34.24	Thompson, Gilbert Heirs	19.26
Moulen, F. H.	8.56	Towne, F. H. Heirs	39.37
McGuire, Frank	53.50	Tuck, F. B.	12.84
Mitchell, Carl and Mae		Tennant, Charles A.	2.57
Goodwin	42.80	Towne, William E. Heirs	3.21
Nason, Robert W.	42.80	Tufts, Herbert E.	2.14
Ocean National Bank	17.12	Turgeon, Charles	42.80
Pollard, Josephine Heirs	46.01	Tibbetts, Edward L.	184.04

Town of Kennebunk,		Witham, L. H.	14.34
Electric Light Dept.	21.40	Waterhouse, Homer T.	18.40
Taylor, Arthur R.	10.70	Waterhouse, Hiram Heirs	25.68
Taylor, Kenneth	27.82	Wells, Elizabeth	4.71
Texaco Oil Co.	12.84	Whitten, Leah	5.14
Tidewater Oil Co.	38.52	Williams, Albert F.	25.68
Todd, Mrs. H. G.	14.34	Whiteman, F. E.	4.28
Valvoline Oil Co.	32.10	Welch, Adelbert J.	4.28
Valette, Mrs. Thomas	42.80	Wormwood, Frank	10.70
Wakefield, J. Frank	8.56	Warren, Edith L.	19.26
Wakefield, Herbert W.	2.14	Whitten, Perley E.	8.56
Wakefield, Louis M.	19.26	Welch, Arthur	8.56
Walker, Jesse C.	8.56	York, Ella B.	14.34
Warren, Pitt	6.42	York Utilities Co.	21.83
		Young, Lyman	25.68

WARRANT

For Town Meeting, March 5, 1934

STATE OF MAINE

COUNTY OF YORK, SS.

To Florence R. Hayes, Constable of the Town of North
Kennebunkport, in said County, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby re-
quired to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town
of North Kennebunkport, qualified by law to vote in
town affairs, to assemble at the town house, in said town,
on the 5th day of March, 1934, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said
meeting.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to dispense
with the use of the check list at this meeting.

Article 3. To choose all necessary town officers for
the ensuing year.

Article 4. To see what sum of money the town will
vote to raise for the support of the common schools.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the town will
vote to raise for high school tuition.

Article 6. To see what sum the town will vote to raise
for repairs and insurance on school buildings.

Article 7. To see what sum the town will vote to
raise for free textbooks.

Article 8. To see what sum the town will vote to
raise for school supplies.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for purchase of school flags.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for salary of superintendent of schools.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of roads and bridges, and see what sum of money shall be paid to the road commissioners per day for their services, and fix the price per hour for labor on highways.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote, grant and raise a sum of money to cut and destroy all bushes on State highway. State Aid, and third class roads, to comply with Chapter 145, P. L., 1927, and if so, how much.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote, grant and raise the sum of three hundred sixty-two dollars to repair and maintain third class road, to comply with Sections 43 to 47 of Chapter 28, Revised Statutes, 1930, as amended by Chapter 175, Public Laws, 1933.

Article 14. 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, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes, 1930.

Article 15. To see what sum the town will appropriate and raise 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) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 175, Public Laws, 1933.

Article 16. To see what action the town will take as regards settlement of cost of Durrell bridge.

Article 17. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for the removal of snow.

Article 18. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for the support of poor.

Article 19. To see what sum the town will vote to, raise for the contingent fund.

Article 20. To see if the town will raise a sum of money to be used in payment for services of out of town fire companies.

Article 21. To see if the town will raise a sum of money to provide for the services of a public health nurse, or take action thereon. This action is made legal by the Maine Legislature of 1925—see Section 58, Chapter 140, of the 1925 Statutes.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to reduce the indebtedness.

Article 23. On petition of Henry G. Sinnott and thirty-one others, to see if the town will vote to raise a sufficient sum of money to buy a new tractor and snow plow for the lower end of the town, the same to be used on the following highways, namely: River road, Nason Mills road, Biddeford road, Lombard's road, Camp Ground road, Proctor road, Old State road, road to residence of Joshua Thompson, and Limerick road to Durrell's bridge on the Limerick road, so-called.

Article 24. To see if the town will instruct the three selectmen to have charge of breaking the roads in winter and also to use the tractor for the removal of snow only.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Bandigo road, running between Limerick road and Alfred road.

Article 26. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Mill road, running between Smith road and Saco.

Article 27. To see what sum the town will vote to pay for the collection of taxes.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the Town of North Kennebunkport, to pay the indebtedness of said town, due or to become due during the present municipal year, to be paid out of money raised by taxation during the present municipal year, the town treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate ten thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, signed by the town treasurer and countersigned by the municipal officers of the town.

Article 29. To act on any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the town house at nine o'clock in the forenoon of the day of said meeting, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at North Kennebunkport, this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1934.

ERNEST A. RICKER,
ALTON H. BENSON,
PHILIP W. PEARSON,
Selectmen of North Kennebunkport.