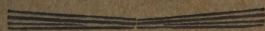


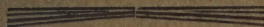
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Annual Report



Errol, N. H.



1930-1931

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE

Town of Errol, N. H.

FOR THE

Year Ending February 5

1931

OFFICERS

Selectmen

G. O. THURSTON

C. F. STEWART

D. C. THURSTON

Clerk

L. C. BRAGG

Treasurer

W. H. WEST

Collector of Taxes

CLINTON S. FERREN

Library Trustees

WINNIFRED ARNO

W. H. WEST

ESTELLA AKERS

Supervisors of the Check List

T. N. BEAN

C. A. BEAN

C. R. WEST

Constable

L. D. SWEATT

Board of Health

F. B. BROOKS

Moderator

CLINTON S. FERREN

Warrant for Town Meeting

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the town of Errol in the County of Coos, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Errol on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Art. 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

Art. 3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repairs of highways and bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the public library.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for state aid construction for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for state aid maintenance for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for trunk line maintenance for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To see what action the town will take in regard to buying snow removal equipment and raise money for same.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for care of cemetery,

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for sidewalk construction.

Art. 11. To see if town will vote to paint and repair the Town Hall inside and raise money for same.

Given under our hand and seal, 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and thirty-one.

G. O. THURSTON,
CHAS. F. STEWART,
D. C. THURSTON,

Selectmen of Errol.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

G. O. THURSTON,
CHAS. F. STEWART,
D. C. THURSTON,

Selectmen of Errol.

Condensed Budget

	1930	1931
	Actual	Estimate
Town officers' salaries.....	\$ 455 00	\$ 500 00
Town officers' expenses.....	171 60	200 00
Town hall expenses.....	902 72	1,000 00
State aid maintenance, town proportion....	1,992 53	1,992 53
Trunk line maintenance, town proportion...	1,000 00	1,000 00
Town maintenance.....	1,205 15	1,000 00
State tax.....	2,012 40	2,012 40
County tax.....	2,124 27	2,124 27
Schools	9,994 03	8,000 00
State aid construction, town proportion....	1,495 99	1,371 00
Library	107 42	38 70
Election and registration.....	108 00	100 00
Police department.....	39 90	40 00
Fire department.....	17 70	50 00
Health department.....	59 35	50 00
Town poor.....	260 00	260 00
Cemetery	93 50	100 00
Sidewalk construction.....	505 96	500 00

Report of the Selectmen

Number of polls, 158.

Lands and buildings.....	\$665,570 00
Horses, 41.....	2,885 00
Cows, 72.....	4,705 00
Others, 5.....	245 00
Sheep, 90.....	652 00
Fowls, 355.....	417 00
Boats and launches.....	28,825 00
Wood and lumber.....	100,336 00
Stock in trade.....	19,020 00
Aqueducts, mills and machinery.....	103,500 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks.....	3,065,00
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	\$929,220 00

AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED

Town charges.....	\$ 600 00
Highways and bridges.....	1,000 00
Library	38 70
State aid construction.....	1,332 00
State aid maintenance.....	1,650 00
Trunk line maintenance.....	1,000 00
Care of cemetery.....	100 00
Snow plow.....	1,400 00
Sidewalk	200 00
Schools	9,935 83
State tax.....	2,012 40
County tax.....	2,094 20
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	\$21,363 13

Financial Report of the Town of Errol

IN COOS COUNTY

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1931
CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, Feb. 5, 1931.

G. O. THURSTON,
CHARLES F. STEWART,
D. C. THURSTON,

Selectmen.

W. H. WEST, Treasurer.

ASSETS

Cash	\$26,941 26
In hands of officials	5 00
Due town:	
Due from State, bounties	38 40
Joint highway accounts, unexpended balances in State Treasury.....	971 72
Coos County plowing roads.....	303 00
Wentworth Location	208 50
Due from County: County poor.....	123 77
Grange Hall rent	100 00
K. H. Thurston, plank	22 00
K. of P., hall rent	50 00
Unity Temple, rent	50 00
Taxes not collected: (a) Levy of 1928....	2,219 71
(b) Levy of 1929....	706 56
(c) Levy of 1930....	2,108 96
Total assets	\$33,848 88

LIABILITIES

Dog licenses	\$ 21 00
Due library	241 34
Cemetery	6 50
Road machine house	250 22
Errol Hill Road	10 00
Snow plow	1,400 00
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Total liabilities	\$ 1,929 06
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus) ..	31,919 82
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Grand total	\$33,848 88

Receipts

From Local Taxes:	
Property taxes committed to collector, 1930, \$20,425.32.	
Property taxes current year, actually collected	\$17,955 00
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 105 at \$2.00	210 00
Property and poll taxes, previous years actual- ly collected	2,861 62
National Bank Stock taxes.....	35 00
From State:	
For State Aid construction	350 77
Trunk line maintenance	5,662 72
Class V Highway maintenance.....	503 96
Interest and dividend tax.....	336 28
Savings bank tax	158 48
From County:	
Overpayment, county tax	30 07
From local sources, except taxes:	
Dog licenses	21 00
Rent of town hall	430 07
Interest received on taxes	68 14
Interest received on deposits.....	559 06
Income from tractor	63 25
Registration of motor vehicles, 1930 permits..	226 68
Registration of motor vehicles, 1931 permits	331 00
Receipts other than current revenue:	
Temporary loans, school dis.....	2,917 83
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Total receipts from all sources.....	\$32,720 93
Cash on hand February 1, 1930.....	22,128 03
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Grand total	\$54,848 96

Payments

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Town officers' salaries	\$ 455 00
Town officers' expenses	171 60
Election and registration expenses	108 00
Expenses, town hall and other town buildings	902 72
Police department, including care of tramps..	39 90
Fire department, including forest fires.....	17 70
Bounties	38 40
Health department, including hospitals.....	59 35
State Aid maintenance	1,183 71
Trunk Line maintenance	6,522 48
Town maintenance	1,205 15
Libraries	107 42
Town poor	260 00
County poor	123 77
Cemeteries, including hearse hire.....	93 50
Highways and bridges, State Aid construction	1,981 84
Sidewalk construction	505 96
Taxes paid to State.....	2,012 40
Taxes paid to county	2,124 27
Payments to school districts	9,994 03
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Total payments for all purposes.....	\$27,907 20
Cash on hand January 31, 1931.....	26,941 76
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Grand total	\$54,848 96

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings.....	\$10,000 00
Furniture and equipment.....	1,700 00
Furniture and equipment of library.....	800 00
Police Department, land and buildings.....	500 00
Fire Department, equipment.....	800 00
Highway Department, land and buildings..	500 00
Highway equipment	1,300 00
Schools, lands and buildings.....	12,000 00
Equipment	3,000 00
Wild lot	1,000 00
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Total	\$31,600 00

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending Feb. 5th, 1931

Receipts

1930

Feb. 5, balance in treasury.....\$22,128 03
Received during year..... 32,720 93

\$54,848 96

Expenditures

Paid town orders.....\$27,907 20
Balance in checking account..... 7,694 06
Balance in savings account..... 19,247 70

\$54,848 96

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES AND EXPENSES

F. B. Brooks, librarian.....\$ 30 00
A. M. Porter, road agent..... 5 00
G. O. Thurston, selectman..... 120 00
D. C. Thurston, selectman..... 100 00
C. F. Stewart, selectman..... 100 00
L. C. Bragg, clerk..... 40 00
F. N. Bean, auditor, 2 years..... 30 00
W. H. West, treasurer..... 30 00
F. W. Sanborn, printing reports..... 42 00
E. C. Eastman, supplies..... 4 22
E. C. Eastman, supplies..... 3 38
James P. Melzer, supplies..... 6 75
Automotive Service Bureau..... 20 87
G. O. Thurston, expenses..... 20 00
A. W. Rowell, dues..... 2 00
G. O. Thurston, expenses..... 35 40
L. C. Bragg, auto permits..... 27 25
L. C. Bragg, vital statistics..... 3 00
Automotive Service Bureau..... 6 75

\$626 60

Appropriated by the town.....\$600 00
Overdraft paid from town treasury..... 26 00

\$626 60

HIGHWAY

Appropriated by the town.....	\$1,000 00	
Received from the use of tractor.....	63 25	
Overdraft paid from town treasury.....	268 44	
		\$1,331 69
G. O. Thurston, plowing roads.....	\$ 69 22	
G. O. Thurston, plowing roads.....	37 99	
A. A. Thurston, labor on plow.....	4 00	
G. O. Thurston, plowing roads.....	27 69	
G. O. Thurston, plowing roads.....	93 40	
G. O. Thurston, plowing roads.....	5 50	
A. M. Porter, tractor account.....	11 30	
A. M. Porter, snow fence.....	13 56	
D. C. Thurston, labor on bridge.....	14 00	
A. M. Porter, tractor account.....	30 26	
Maine Steel Products Co.....	12 00	
Frank Doudera Co., use of snow plow.....	42 10	
A. M. Porter, tractor account.....	10 00	
C. F. Stewart, blacksmithing.....	17 10	
C. F. McWilliams, tar for the town.....	180 00	
A. M. Porter, cutting bushes.....	80 92	
A. M. Porter, cutting bushes.....	10 50	
A. M. Porter, cutting bushes.....	26 92	
L. D. Sweatt, labor on plow.....	38 00	
C. R. West, tractor account.....	23 35	
C. R. West, snow fence.....	10 00	
I. W. Arno, supplies for tractor.....	11 12	
C. R. West, snow fence.....	10 00	
A. M. Porter, snow fence.....	24 16	
C. W. Akers, snow fence.....	6 61	
L. D. Sweatt, snow fence.....	7 00	
Howard Brooks, snow fence.....	3 11	
Walter McKenzie, snow fence.....	3 50	
C. R. West, tractor and plow.....	248 96	
Brown Co., snow plow.....	16 27	
C. R. West, plowing roads.....	65 00	
L. D. Sweatt, plowing roads.....	46 33	
C. F. McWilliams, plowing roads.....	8 00	
C. F. McWilliams, snow fence.....	1 78	
W. J. Beecher, snow fence.....	5 50	
Credit to town hall for gasoline.....	126 54	
		\$1,331 69

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriated by the town.....	\$1,332 00	
Appropriated by the state.....	1,332 00	
Overdraft paid by the town.....	163 99	
		<u>\$2,827 99</u>
Expended by the state.....	\$1,332 00	
Expended by the town.....	1,495 99	
		<u>\$2,827 99</u>

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by the town.....	\$ 1,000 00	
Appropriated by the state.....	13,500 00	
		<u>\$14,500 00</u>
Faid by the town.....	\$ 1,000 00	
Paid by the state.....	10,935 58	
Unexpended balance in the state treasury....	2,564 42	
		<u>\$14,500 00</u>

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

Feb. 1, 1930, balance in the state treasury....	\$ 342 53	
Appropriated by the town.....	1,650 00	
Appropriated by the state.....	4,950 00	
		<u>\$6,942 53</u>
Paid by the town.....	\$1,992 53	
Paid by the state.....	131 29	
Unexpended balance in the state treasury....	4,818 71	
		<u>\$6,942 53</u>

COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR, 1929

Uncollected Feb. 1, 1930.....	\$3,372 23	
Interest	132 39	
National Bank tax.....	40 00	
2 polls.....	4 00	
		<u>\$3,548 62</u>

Paid treasurer during year.....	\$2,600 00
In collector's hands.....	242 06
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1931.....	706 56

\$3,548 62

The following is a list of the unpaid taxes for the year, 1929:

RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX

Arthur Bernier.....	\$ 2 13
Frank H. Cross (balance).....	3 55
Charles Ellingwood.....	14 20
Curtis G. Ferren (balance).....	35 91
James R. Jordan (balance).....	163 24
Zack Jordan.....	4 26
N. R. Leach (balance).....	68 13
Edith Sweatt.....	99 40
Martha Thurston.....	213 00
H. S. Thurston.....	42 60
Polls not collected (18).....	36 00

NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Robena McKay and Frances Russell.....	11 36
J. H. Johnson.....	9 94
J. A. Berquest.....	1 42
Thorold Anderson.....	1 42

\$706 56

Respectfully submitted,

CLINTON S. FERREN, Collector.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR, 1930

Amount of commitments.....	\$20,741 33
National Bank tax.....	35 00
Polls not on book (5).....	10 00

\$20,786 33

Paid treasurer during year.....	\$18,200 00
In collector's hands.....	477 37
Not collected.....	2,108 96

\$20,786 33

Respectfully submitted,

CLINTON S. FERREN, Collector.

 COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR, 1928

Amount uncollected, Feb., 1930.....\$2,481 83
 Paid treasurer during year..... 261 62

Amount uncollected Feb. 1, 1931.....\$2,219 71
 Amount of interest paid treasurer during year.....\$68 14

Respectfully submitted,

L. C. BRAGG, Collector.

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

C. W. Akers, election officer.....\$ 4 00
 C. A. Bean, supervisor, 2 years..... 32 00
 F. N. Bean, supervisor, 2 years..... 32 00
 H. S. Thurston, election officer..... 6 00
 F. B. Brooks, election officer..... 6 00
 G. O. Thurston, supervisor, 1 year..... 16 00
 K. H. Thurston, election officer..... 12 00

.....\$108 00

Paid from town treasury.....\$108 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

C. R. Beecher, police.....\$29 50
 Walter MacKenzie, meals for tramps..... 6 25
 A. K. Jordan, meals for tramps..... 2 25
 I. W. Arno, locks for lockup..... 1 90

.....\$39 90

Paid from town treasury.....\$39 90

FIRE DEPARTMENT

G. O. Thurston, fire pump.....\$11 50
 F. N. Bean, freight paid..... 2 20
 G. O. Thurston, labor..... 4 00

.....\$17 70

Paid from town treasury.....\$17 70

 BOUNTIES

Edwin Grover, bear bounty.....	\$5 00
A. H. Sweatt, hedgehogs.....	4 80
G. O. Thurston, hedgehog bounties.....	14 80
D. C. Thurston, hedgehog bounties.....	7 60
A. H. Sweatt, 1 bear, 6 hedgehogs.....	6 20
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	\$38 40
Due from state.....	\$38 40

TOWN HALL

L. C. Bragg, insurance	\$150 00
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	48 14
L. C. Bragg, insurance	150 00
K. H. Thurston, wood	120 00
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	288 80
N. B. Leach, water rent.....	12 50
American Society of Authors Composers and Publishers, tax	15 00
F. B. Brooks, janitor	129 75
F. B. Brooks, supplies	14 12
Standard Oil Co., gasoline.....	49 41
Credit from use of hall.....	45 59
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	\$948 31

RECEIPTS FROM TOWN HALL

K. of P., rent.....	\$100 00
Unity Temple, rent	41 67
F. B. Brooks	183 52
F. B. Brooks	90 76
F. B. Brooks	14 12
State Aid Construction, gasoline and oil.....	391 70
Gasoline for tractor	126 54
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	\$948 31

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

E. A. Marcoux, diphtheria cultures	\$ 43 50
Agnes Derry, diphtheria cultures	3 00
F. B. Brooks, water analyzed	2 50
City of Berlin, blood serum	10 35
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	\$ 59 35
Paid from town treasury	\$ 59 35

 ERROL HILL ROAD

Balance, February 1, 1930	\$ 10 00
Balance February 1, 1931	\$ 10 00

SNOW PLOW

Appropriated by the town	\$1,400 00
Balance in town treasury	\$1,400 00

ROAD MACHINE HOUSE

Balance February 1, 1930	\$250 22
Balance February 1, 1931	\$250 22

LIBRARY

Balance February 1, 1930	\$310 06	
Appropriated by the town	38 70	
		\$348 76
Edson C. Eastman Co., books.....	\$ 95 42	
Harry E. Little, wood	12 00	
Balance in town treasury	241 34	
		\$348 76

CEMETERIES

A. H. Sweatt, labor	\$ 17 50	
A. H. Sweatt, labor	19 45	
Fred McLeod, labor	3 50	
A. H. Sweatt, labor.....	21 30	
H. E. Little, labor	31 75	
Balance due the cemetery.....	6 50	
		\$100 00
Appropriated by the town	\$100 00	

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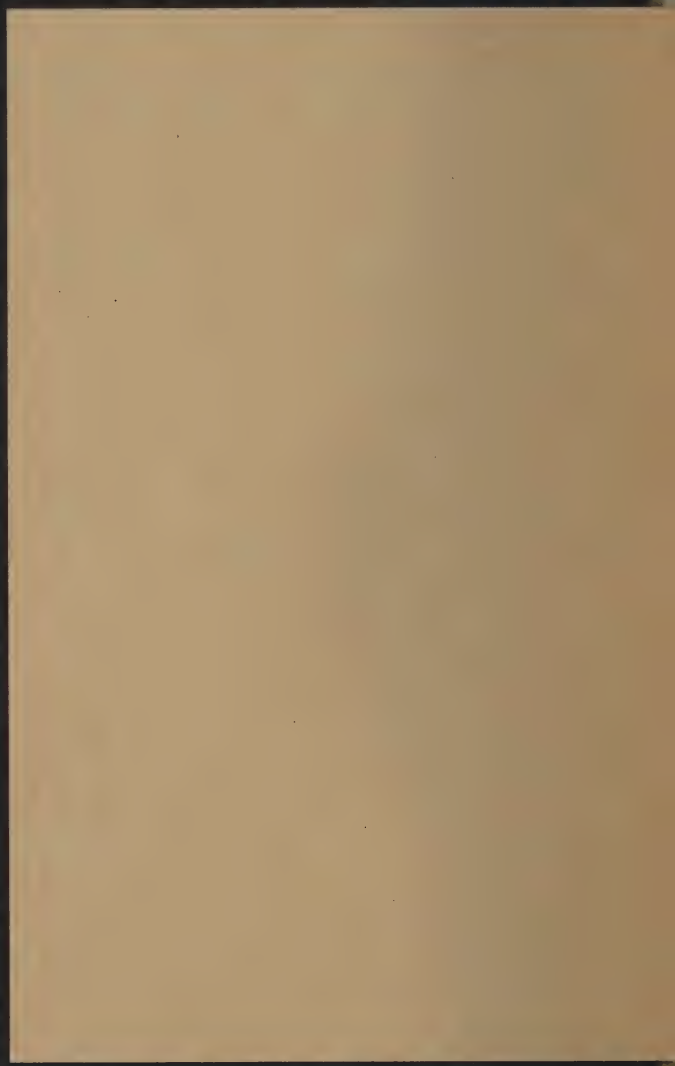
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SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

W. J. Beecher, labor	\$ 75 00	
G. O. Thurston, trucking	87 50	
W. J. Beecher, labor, cement, lumber.....	331 46	
W. J. Beecher, labor.....	5 00	
G. O. Thurston, trucking	7 00	
		\$505 96
Appropriated by the town	\$500 00	
Overdraft paid from the town treasury.....	5 96	
		\$505 96

COUNTY POOR

E. H. Lane, supplies for Fred McLeod	\$ 44 37	
I. W. Arno, supplies for Fred McLeod.....	3 07	
E. H. Lane, supplies for Fred McLeod.....	18 24	
E. H. Lane, supplies for Fred McLeod.....	48 46	
E. H. Lane, supplies for Fred McLeod.....	9 23	
		\$123 77
Due from the county	\$123 77	

TOWN POOR

Due Coos County Farm, Obediah Ackley board.....	\$260 00
Paid Coos County Farm.....	\$260 00

STATE TAX

Appropriated by the town.....	\$2,012 40
Paid State Treasurer	\$2,012 40

COUNTY TAX

Paid M. H. Taylor	\$2,124 27
Appropriated by the town	\$2,094 20
Received from M. H. Taylor, overpayment.....	30 07
	\$2,124 27

 SCHOOL DISTRICT

Appropriated at school meeting.....	\$9,935 83
Dog licenses	58 20

 \$10,094 03

Paid:

L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	\$ 58 20
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	300 00
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	1,000 00
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	1,000 00
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	1,000 00
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	1,000 00
L. C. Bragg, treasurer.....	4,635 83

 \$10,094 03

Activities of the State Board of Health, Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene, in the town of Errol, during the year 1930.

Home visits	40
Child Health Conference	1
Attendance	17
Defects found	9
Defects corrected	2
Postnatal visits	2
Prenatal visits	8

GLADYS BLASLAND, R. N., Field Nurse.

Town Clerk's Report

Received for licensing 1 female and 9 male dogs.....\$ 23 00
Paid treasurer during year.....\$ 21 00
Fee retained @ 20 cts. each..... 2 00

\$ 23 00

Received for 54 auto permits from Feb. 1 to
Dec. 31, 1930\$231 68
\$5.00 of the above amount was paid treasurer
after his books were closed and will appear
in the 1930-31 report.

Received for 55 auto permits up to Feb. 1, 1931
for 1931 permits.....\$331 00

\$562 68
Paid treasurer during year.....\$562 68

Respectfully submitted,

L. C. BRAGG, Town Clerk.

Auditor's Report

Errol, N. H., Feb. 25th, 1931.

I hereby certify that I have carefully examined the accounts and vouchers of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk and Tax Collectors and find that their accounts have been carefully and accurately kept, that they have a voucher for every expenditure.

FRED N. BEAN, Town Auditor.

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGES

1930

In Berlin, N. H., Jan. 25, Philip G. Hamlin of Milan to Minnie I. Stewart of Errol, by Rev. Geo. A. Everett.

In Errol, N. H., Jan. 25, Robert A. Story of Magalloway Plantation to Ruth Estella Lancaster of Magalloway, by L. C. Bragg, J. P.

In Colebrook, N. H., Oct. 27, Jerome Witham of Dummer, N. H. and Lorena A. Hawkins of Errol, by Rev. R. A. Frye.

DEATHS

1930

In Errol, June 18, Ira C. Beecher, aged 64 years, 9 months and 18 days. Cause of death, sun stroke.

In Berlin, N. H., Sept. 6, Scott A. Grover, aged 55 years, 4 mos., and 26 days. Cause of death, cachexia.

BIRTHS

1930

In Errol, April 1, Norman Wilder, to Mr. and Mrs. Alton M. Porter.

In Errol, May 31, child, stillborn, to Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGowan.

In Errol, June 7, James Andrew, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ingram.

In Errol, June 25, Donald Clayson to Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKenzie.

In Errol, June 17, ————— to Mr. and Mrs. John Pinault, a son.

In Errol, June 30, Pauline Mae to Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Hamlin.

In Errol, July 23, Burton Grover, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLeod.

In Errol, Nov. 28, Priscilla Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKenna.

In Errol, Dec. 28, Robert Martin, to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Coreoran.

In Cambridge, Oct. 2, 1901, Una Mae Brooks, to Mr. and Mrs. For-dyce B. Brooks.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths that have been reported to the Town Clerk of the town of Errol for the year ending Dec. 31, 1931.

L. C. BRAGG, Town Clerk.

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