

# Annual Report

of the

## Northport Village Corporation

For the Year Ending December 31

1918

## President's Report

The Treasurer's report for 1918 shows net resources at the end of the year of \$757.02. Against this were outstanding bills on account of road work amounting to \$60.41, so that the Village, after the payment of all bills, was in possession of \$696.61.

Except for the happening of some unforeseen event, this credit balance should be in excess of \$1000.00 at the end of the current year, a sum that will warrant the beginning of the construction of the new sewerage system heretofore authorized.

During the 1919 session of the Maine Legislature an act was passed giving the Village the same authority as towns with respect to all matters relating to sewers, buildings and fires. The recent narrow escape from a disastrous conflagration emphasizes the necessity of a more strict enforcement of the State laws designed to lessen the fire hazard.

I take this opportunity to criticise the laxity of the legal voters in failing to attend the annual meetings. The attendance heretofore has been so small as not to represent the body of the taxpayers. Inasmuch as measures may be proposed at any annual meeting involving the expenditure of considerable sums of money, it would seem wise for the taxpayers to be present and take part in the proceedings, and to have a voice in matters having to do with the disposition of money contributed by them.

IRA M. COBE, President.

August 1, 1919.

## Treasurer's Report

Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the year ending  
December 31, 1918.

### RECEIPTS

January 1, 1918, Cash Balance,		\$	200.65
Received from Taxes,	\$2,113.38		
Received from Licenses,	17.00		
Received from Money Borrowed,	500.00		2,630.38
Total,			<u>\$2,831.03</u>

### DISBURSEMENTS

Loans repaid,	\$1,000.00		
Interest,	24.99		
Share Maintenance State road,	84.00		
Share Maintenance Town lights,	150.00		
Sewer Plans,	200.00		
Streets and Bridges,	608.15		
Lights,	353.40		
Garbage,	125.00		
Parks,	76.00		
Salaries,	65.00		
Miscellaneous,	11.35		2,697.89
Cash on hand,			<u>133.14</u>
Total,			<u>\$2,831.03</u>

### RESOURCES

Cash on hand,	\$	133.14
Due from Town,		623.88
		<u>\$757.02</u>

RALPH L. FLANDERS, Treasurer.

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**Village Officers**

President..... IRA M. COBE  
Treasurer.....RALPH L. FLANDERS  
Clerk..... C. C. DICKINSON  
Agent..... C. O. DICKEY

**Overseers**

Lorin Cross

Ralph L. Flanders

Charles O. Dickey

Eugene R. Conner

Philo C. Blaisdell

Dr. Percy Warren

Charles E. Rogers