

Annual Low Meeting

282

March 2, 1914

Indefinitely postponed

146 yes - 88 no

Article 75

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 76

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 77

To see if the town will vote to furnish the sidewalk on the west side of School Street from the Methodist Church up to Mt. Pleasant Street and raise a sum of money for the same.

Voted: That a sum of money be taken from the general funds to furnish the sidewalk on the west side of School Street from the Methodist Church to Mt. Pleasant Street.

Article 78

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 79

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 80

Voted: That the town appoint a committee to confer with a like committee to be appointed by the other towns on the island and also the town of Trenton to investigate the substance of Article 80 and report at a subsequent town meeting. The chair appointed Charles Shedd, Julius Emery, H. S. MacFarland, W. H. Sherman, Roscoe Eddy, F. S. Savage, C. B. Pines.

Article 81

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 82

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 83

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

By a vote of 146 "yes" to 88 "no"

Article 84

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 85

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 86

Voted: To raise \$350 for spraying shade trees along the streets of Bar Harbor Village.

Article 87

Voted: To raise \$750 to purchase hose for the fire department.

Article 88. Hurdew Farm Road.

Voted: That the road be repaired and the money for same be taken from the General funds.

Article 89.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 90.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 91.

Voted: To raise \$500 to oil the roads in the western part of the Town.

Article 92.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 93.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 94.

To see if the town will vote to establish rates for public carriage fares, and require all vehicles to be numbered and carry price list.

Voted: That all public vehicles be numbered and carry price list.

Article 95.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone.

Article 96.

Voted: That a committee of three be appointed by the chair to investigate the advisability of installing a municipal lighting plant and that \$300 be raised for the expenses in connection with said investigation. The following committee was appointed:

- Thomas Sears
- Fred Hayes
- Frank Spratt

Article 97.

Voted: That the Selectmen be instructed to take such action as will protect the town's rights in the property; Town Farm.

Article 98.

Voted: To appoint a committee of five, by chair, to report at the next annual meeting.

Chair appointed:

Chas. E. Paine.

C. B. Pines

John Summaby

E. H. Whitaker

M. C. Morrison.

Article 99

Voted: To indefinitely postpone

Article 100

Voted: To indefinitely postpone

Article 101

Voted: To indefinitely postpone

Resolved: That the Selectmen be and hereby are instructed to group all items of expenditures of the Police Department under one distinct heading in the Town Charges Account, and that the Chief of Police make a report of his Department and that an article be inserted in the next Annual Warrant calling for a specified sum for the support of the Police Department.
Carried.

Resolved: That the Selectmen be and are hereby instructed that for the ensuing year they continue the management of the sewers according to the same method adopted by a resolution offered and accepted at the last Annual Town Meeting the provisions of which were carried out by the Selectmen the past year.
Carried.

Resolved: That the Selectmen and Road Commissioners be and are hereby instructed to purchase for use on our streets and roads for the coming year only such oil or oils as shall be approved and recommended by the State Highway Department to be the most efficient and economical in view of the results to be obtained.
Carried.

Resolved: That the voters of this town hereby express their emphatic disapproval of the holding of Special Town Meetings, except for extraordinary and pressing needs and emergencies, and that the practice of holding Special Town Meetings and raising money on almost any pretext is most emphatically disapproved by the large body of citizens of the town.
Carried.

Resolved: That the members of the Warrant Committee for the Annual Town Meeting for the year 1915 be nominated and elected from the floor, and that the meeting proceed with said nominations and elections.

The following were elected as the Warrant Committee for 1915.

Frank Spratt	E. N. Benson
Chas. S. Shand	W. O. Fogg
James Shear	V. J. Waggett
H. F. Emery	B. E. Whitney
Deane P. Carter	Fred Hayes
C. B. Pines	E. H. Whittaker
Chas H. Wood	H. A. Sawford
Reginald Ingalls	M. A. Galt
Thomas Sedels	Mark Grant
S. B. Sleazy	R. W. Eddy
C. M. Willey	Fred S. Savage
F. J. Nash	A. B. Seland
	J. L. Brewer

Resolved: That the Selectmen be and are hereby instructed to confer with the officials of the Bar Harbor Water Company with a view of securing a rebate on account of the town's not using water for sprinkling the streets. Carried.

Resolved: That the Road Commissioner use the town teams to scrape the snow from the Livingston road during the winter months so it may be used as an ice track. Carried.

Resolved: That all vendors of food or drinks who take their stands on the streets or travel about the streets selling the same be required to take out a license from the Board of Health, and they shall be under the jurisdiction of the Board of Health. Carried.

E. W. Benson made the following motion: That the selectmen appropriate from the money raised to pay town charges the sum of \$350 to pay the salary of the Superintendent of Schools. Carried.

Voted: That the advertising committee of the town be discharged and that all books and papers be turned over to the town clerk and that C. B. Pines and F. C. Synant be a committee to answer all correspondence and solicit funds for advertising purposes.

Voted: That the thanks of the meeting be extended to the warrant committee. Carried by a rising vote.

Voted: That a vote of thanks be extended to Frank J. Nash for his work in connection with the new ballot law.

Voted: That a vote of thanks be extended to B. E. Whitney for his efficient presentation of the recommendations of the warrant committee.

Voted: That a vote of thanks be extended to the moderator and tellers for their efficient services and that the selectmen be instructed to pay them the usual compensation for their services.

Voted: To adjourn.

A True Record of the meeting.

Attest:

W. W. Sherman,

Town Clerk.

Oaths of Officers.

I hereby certify that on the dates set opposite their names, I administered the oath to qualify each of the following named officers to discharge the duties of their respective offices.

March 3, 1914 - Harry S. McFarland, First Selectman
 " 4, 1914 - Clarence Madden, Road Commissioner
 " 4, 1914 - Walter Sargent " "
 " 4, 1914 - Andrew Liscomb " "
 " 4, 1914 - Chas. F. Paine, Treasurer
 " 4, 1914 - Chas. F. Paine, Collector of Taxes
 " 4, 1914 - Chas. F. Paine, Overseer of Poor
 " 4, 1914 - M. C. Morrison, Assessor

Attest: W. W. Sherman
 Town Clerk.

Elections of School Officers C. J. Fowler, Burton Webber
and J. L. Fogg.
Bass Harbor, Maine, March 9, 1914.

To the Town Clerk:

At the first regular meeting of the School
Board March 4, 1914 the following persons were elected
School officers for the ensuing year.

C. J. Fowler.
Burton Webber
J. L. Fogg.

Ernest S. Palmer.
Secy of the Board.

Rec'd and Recorded
March 8, 1914.

State of Maine

Hancock ss.

March 8, 1914.

I hereby certify that I have this day
administered the oath to the said C. J. Fowler to
qualify him for the above office.

Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman
Town Clerk

State of Maine

Hancock ss.

March 28, 1914

I hereby certify that I have this day
administered the oath to the said Burton Webber
to qualify him for the above office.

Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman

A True Copy }
Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman,
Town Clerk

Appointment of Constable Fred H. Gery.
State of Maine.

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To Fred H. Gery, of Edew, Hancock County, Maine.
By virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public
Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 4, Sections
14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Constable within
and for said town of Edew, for the term of one year
from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during
said term to execute the duties of said office
according to law.

Given under our hands, at Edew, this twelfth
day of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry D. McFarland

John Suminsky

Arrest E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Edew.

State of Maine.

Hancock ss.

March 12, 1914.

I hereby certify that I have this day administered
the oath to the said Fred H. Gery to qualify him
for the above office.

Attest:

W. N. Sherman
Town Clerk

As True Copy.

Attest:

W. N. Sherman
Town Clerk

Appointment of Police Officer Alfred P. Doyle
State of Maine

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To Alfred P. Doyle, of Eden, Hancock County, Maine, by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public Laws of the State of Maine for 1903 Chapter 4, Sections 14 and 15 do hereby appoint you to be Police Officer within and for said town of Eden, for the term of one year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during said term to execute the duties of said office according to Law

Given under our hands, at Eden, this 28th day of March A.D. 1914.

Harry J. McFarland
John Suminsky
Orrest E. Brewer
Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine

Hancock ss

March 28, 1914

I hereby certify that I have this day administered the oath to the said Alfred P. Doyle to qualify him for the above office

Attest:
Dr. W. Thurman,
Town Clerk

Read and Recorded

March 28, 1914

A True Copy

Attest:
Dr. W. Thurman,
Town Clerk

Appointment of Police Officer E. W. Willey
State of Maine

Hancock ss.

Greeting:

To E. W. Willey, of Eden, Hancock County, Maine.
By virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public
Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 4, Sections
14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Police Officer
within and for said Town of Eden, for the term of one
year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during
said term to execute the duties of said office
according to law.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this 28th
day of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry S. McFarland.

John Dummerby.

Orrent E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine

Hancock ss.

March 28, 1914

I hereby certify that I have this day administered
the oath to the said E. W. Willey to qualify him for
the above office.

Attest: W. H. Shuman
Town Clerk

Read and Recorded

March 28, 1914.

A True Copy.

Attest:
W. H. Shuman
Town Clerk

Appointment of Police Officer Eugene A. Slyer.
State of Maine.

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To Eugene A. Slyer, of Eden, Hancock County, Maine, by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 4, Sections 14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Police Officer within and for said town of Eden, for the term of one year from the date hereof. You are therefore empowered and directed during said term to execute the duties of said office according to law.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this 28th day of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry C. McFarland
John Suminsky
Orent E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine

Hancock ss.

March 28, 1914.

I hereby certify that I have this day administered the oath to the said Eugene A. Slyer to qualify him for the above office.

Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman,
Town Clerk

Rec'd and Recorded
March 28, 1914.

A true Copy
Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman,
Town Clerk

Appointment of Constable Charles Fowler.
State of Maine

Hancock ss.

Greeting,

To Charles Fowler, of Edew, Hancock County, Maine, by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 7, Sections 14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Constable within and for said town of Edew, for the term of one year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during said term to execute the duties of said office according to law.

Given under our hands, at Edew, this ninth day of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry S. McFarland
John Suminsky
Orient E. Brewer.
Selectmen of Edew.

State of Maine

Hancock ss.

Edew, March 16, A. D. 1914.

I, Herbert L. Graham, a notary public, duly commissioned and qualified, hereby certify that I administered to Charles Fowler the following oath, to qualify him as constable of the town of Edew.

You swear that you will faithfully discharge all the duties incumbent on you as Constable of the town of Edew according to the Constitution and Laws of the State. So help you God.

Herbert L. Graham.
Notary Public.

Read and Recorded

March 17, 1914

9.30 A.M.

A True Copy.

Attest:
W. H. Sherman.
Town Clerk

Appointment of Building Inspector Roswell Seland.
State of Maine.

Hancock, ss

Greeting:

To Roswell Seland, of Eden, Hancock County, Maine
by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public
Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 28, Sections
25, do hereby appoint you to be Building Inspector
within and for said Town of Eden, for the term
of one year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during
said term to execute the duties of said office
according to law.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this nineteenth
day of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry J. McFarland

John Suminsky

Orent E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine

Hancock, ss

March 24, 1914.

I hereby certify that I have this day administered
the oath to the said Roswell Seland to qualify him
for the above office.

Attest:

Dr. N. Shuman.

Town Clerk

Rec'd and Recorded

March 24, 1914

A True Copy.

Attest:

Dr. N. Shuman.

Town Clerk

Appointment of Chief of Police Fred H. Gerry.
State of Maine

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To Fred H. Gerry of Eden, Hancock County, Maine,
by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public
Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 4, Sections
14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Chief of Police
within and for said town of Eden, for the term of one
year from the date hereof

You are therefore empowered and directed during
said term to execute the duties of said office according
to laws.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this fifth day
of March, A. D. 1914.

Harry D. McFarland
John Suminaby
Grent E. Brewer
Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine

Hancock ss

March 4, 1914

I hereby certify that I have this day
administered the oath to the said Fred H. Gerry
to qualify him for the above office.

Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman
Town Clerk

Recd and Recorded
March 4, 1914

At true Copy
Attest:
Dr. H. Sherman
Town Clerk

Appointment of Tax Collector Charles F. Paine.
State of Maine.

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To Charles F. Paine, of Eden, Hancock County, Maine, by virtue of the authority in us vested by the Public Laws of the State of Maine for 1903, Chapter 4, Sections 14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Tax Collector within and for said town of Eden, for the term of one year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed during said term to execute the duties of said office according to Law.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this ninth day of March A. D. 1914.

Harry S. McFarland
John Cuminsby
Oront E. Brewer
Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine.

Hancock ss

March 9, 1914.

I hereby certify that I have this day administered the oath to the said Charles F. Paine to qualify him for the above office.

Attest:
W. N. Thurman
Town Clerk

Recd and Recorded
March 9, 1914.

A True Copy.

Attest:
W. N. Thurman
Town Clerk

Appointments of Constable M. W. Paine
State of Maine.

Hancock ss

Greeting:

To M. W. Paine of Eden, Hancock County, Maine
by virtue of the authority in us vested by the
Public Laws of the State of Maine, for 1903, Chapter 4,
Sections 14 and 15, do hereby appoint you to be Constable
within and for said town of Eden, for the term of
one year from the date hereof.

You are therefore empowered and directed
during said term to execute the duties of said
office according to law.

Given under our hands, at Eden, this first
day of January, A. D. 1914.

Frank E. Walls

Orest E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Eden.

State of Maine.

Hancock ss

January 1, 1914

I hereby certify that I have this day administered
the oath to the said M. W. Paine to qualify him
for the above office

Attest: Dr. N. Shuman
Town Clerk

Read and Recorded
January 1st, 1914

A True Copy

Attest:
Dr. N. Shuman
Town Clerk

School Board, Frank E. Whitmore, Geo. A. Phillips and L. A. Austin
State of Maine

Hancock ss

March 4, 1914

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public for Hancock County, Frank E. Whitmore, George A. Phillips and L. A. Austin, and was duly sworn to perform the duties of members of the School Board for the Town of Eden, during the ensuing Municipal year according to the laws of the State of Maine.

Elliott N. Benson.

Notary Public.

Superintendent of Schools E. L. Palmer
State of Maine

Hancock ss

March 4, 1914.

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public for Hancock County E. L. Palmer and was duly sworn to perform the duties of the office of District Superintendent of Schools for the towns of Eden and Hancock during the ensuing Municipal year according to the laws of the State of Maine.

Elliott N. Benson.

Notary Public.

Rec'd and Recorded

March 4, 1914

6.30 P. M.

A true copy.

Attest:

Dr. N. Thurman

Town Clerk

Permission to operate a Steam Plant, Town of Eden.

January 28, 1914.

This is to certify that Charles E. Gilley having made application to the Municipal Officers of the Town of Eden, for permission to take charge of, and to operate a steam plant, located in said town to wit: - In brick and stone building, known as the Gesup Memorial Library, situated on the South side of Mt. Desert St., and having produced evidence of his competency to act in said capacity, we have issued to him this Certificate as provided by Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of Maine, approved on the Twentieth day of March, Nineteen Hundred and Seven.

Given under our hand at Eden this 28th day of January, A. D. 1914.

Frank E. Walls

Orient E. Brewer.

Municipal Officers of the
Town of Eden.

Rec'd and Recorded

March 16, 1914

9.30 A. M.

A True Copy.

Attest:

W. H. Sherman,
Town Clerk

Treasurer's Bond for the year 1914.

Know all men by these presents, that we, Charles F. Paine, of Bar Harbor, County of Hancock and State of Maine, as principal, and the Union Safe Deposit and Trust Company, a corporation duly established by law and located at Portland, in the County of Cumberland, as surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Inhabitants of the Town of Eden in the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars; to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and successors, firmly by these presents.

Witness our hands and seals this second day of March, A. D. 1914.

The condition of this obligation is such, that whereas said Charles F. Paine has been elected Treasurer and Collector of the Town of Eden for the year commencing on the second day of March 1914, and ending on the second day of March, 1915;

Now if the said Charles F. Paine shall well and faithfully perform all the duties of his said office, during said term, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise it shall remain in full force and virtue.

Charles F. Paine (P.S.)

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of
M. C. Morrison

Union Safe Deposit and Trust Co.
By Eleazer W. Clark
1st. Vice President.

Attest:

George F. Cary
Treasurer.

Approved by
Harry E. Van Barland
John Duminisky
Arrent E. Brewer.

Selectmen of Eden.

Recd and Recorded
March 23, 1914
12 M.

A True Copy.
Attest:
W. N. Thurman
Town Clerk

Traverse Jurors.

Notice.

State of Maine.

Hancock ss.

To the Voters of the Town of Eden, in the County of Hancock, qualified to vote for Representatives, and especially to the Municipal Officers and the Town Clerk of said Town:

Agreeably to a venire to me directed, in the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby notified to assemble and be present at Selectmen's Office in Bar Harbor in said Town on Friday, the 27th day of March A. D. 1914, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the draft of two persons to serve as Traverse Jurors at the Supreme Judicial Court for said County at the next term thereof which is to be holden at Ellsworth, on the second Tuesday of April, A. D. 1914.

Dated this 23rd day of March A. D. 1914.

J. H. Gerry.

Constable of said Town.

Read and Recorded

March 23, 1914

12 M.

At a meeting of the Municipal Officers and Town Clerk held in the Selectmen's Office in Bar Harbor in said Town on Friday the 27th day of March, A. D. 1914, at two o'clock in the afternoon, Harold F. Carter and Robert S. Emery were drawn to serve as Traverse Jurors at the Supreme Judicial Court for said County, at the next term thereof, which is to be holden at Ellsworth on the second Tuesday of April, A. D. 1914.

Attest:

A True Copy.

Attest:

M. H. Sherman
Town Clerk

Board of Health, 1914

April 1, 1914

To W. H. Sherman, Town Clerk.

We have this day appointed the following persons as members of the Local Board of Health of this town.

R. E. Stanley for three years

J. Alden Morse for two years

W. S. Bird for one year

You are therefore requested to enter these appointments in the town records.

Harry S. McFarland

John Duminsky

Orant E. Brewer

Municipal Officers.

Read and Recorded

April 1, 1914

A True Copy

Attest
W. H. Sherman,
Town Clerk