

Annual Report

of the

Northport Village Corporation

For the Year Ended December 31

1925

## President's Report

During the year last past a further section of the permanent sewerage system was completed. This section joins the main outlet, and the objectionable condition heretofore prevailing in the camp-ground section is now wholly and permanently removed.

The destruction of a residence in the early days of July again calls attention to the fire hazard existing in the closely-built-up sections. A part of this hazard has been eliminated by the passage and enforcement of a Village by-law forbidding the use of tile or metal chimneys. Nevertheless, the absence of water supply through hydrants or otherwise causes grave concern. The cost of any remedy thus far suggested is beyond the range of the Village resources. This subject is one, however, that should receive attention at the earliest practicable time.

The Village finances are in good order, but, as is the case with all municipal corporations, operating expenses show a tendency to increase. This condition is due to demands, reasonable in themselves, made for added service of one kind and another by the property owners. Additional expenditures have been made during the current year for park maintenance, garbage collection, and street lights. All of these expenditures have been met out of current income; but, should any notable increase occur, provision must be made for increased revenue.

With profound regret I announce the death of Mr. Philo C. Blaisdell, a member of the Board of Overseers of the Village Corporation continuously since the granting of its charter by the Legislature. Always vigilant and energetic in his devotion to the progress and well-being of the Village, his demise is a real loss to the community.

Respectfully submitted,

IRA M. COBE, President.

August 4, 1926.

## Treasurer's Report

Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the Year Ended  
December 31, 1925.

### RECEIPTS:

January 1, 1925, Cash Balance		\$1,186.95
Received from Taxes	\$2,728.58	
Received from Licenses	19.00	
Received from Sewer Entrance Fees	5.00	
Received from Bal. Sewer Account	9.11	2,761.69
Total		<u>\$3,948.64</u>

### DISBURSEMENTS:

Roads	\$ 823.11	
Sewer	1,126.62	
Lights	299.25	
Garbage	200.00	
Salaries	95.00	
Printing	9.50	
Assessment of Village Tax	7.50	
Share Abatement of Taxes	5.92	
Work on Float	14.50	
Work on Pump—Merrithew Square	17.83	
Total		\$2,599.23
Cash on hand		<u>1,349.41</u>
		<u>\$3,948.64</u>

### RESOURCES:

Cash on hand	\$1,349.41
Due from Town	1,097.96
	<u>\$2,447.37</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:**

Ralph L. Flanders.

Charles O. Dickey.

Philo C. Blaisdell. (Deceased)

Henry G. Hills.

Bennett S. Ferguson.

Claude B. Roberts.

Mrs. Grace G. Glaster.