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OF THE

TRUSTEES, SUPERINTENDENT,

Treasurer and Teachers

OF THE

STATE SCHOOL FOR BOYS

STATE OF MAINE

South Portland, December 1, 1910.

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES. 1910.

HIRAM W. RICKER of Poland. Term expires March 8, 1913
CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON of Portland. Term expires Jan. 16, 1911
HENRY W. MAYO of Hampden. Term expires January 23, 1911
MILTON L. MERRILL of St. Albans. Term expires January 16, 1911
THURSTON S. BURNS of Westbrook. Term expires January 21, 1913

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SECRETARY.

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THURSTON S. BURNS.

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VISITING COMMITTEE.

CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON, HENRY W. MAYO.

Regular meetings of the Board are held on the third Friday of February, May, August and November.

Regular meetings of the Executive Committee are held on the second Friday of each month.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, 1911.

HIRAM W. RICKER of Poland, Term expires March 8, 1913
THURSTON S. BURNS of Westbrook, Term expires January 21, 1913
WM. H. WATERHOUSE of Old Town, Term expires January 25, 1915
ORRIN J. DICKEY of Belfast, Term expires January 18, 1915
EUGENE C. CARLL of Augusta, Term expires January 18, 1915

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RESIDENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.

E. P. WENTWORTH, Superintendent.
Mrs. E. P. WENTWORTH, Matron.
PERCY H. BOOKER, Assistant Superintendent.
MELVILLE C. PERRY, Storekeeper.
WALTER W. STRONCER, Instructor in Sloyd.
CHARLES D. CLARK, Farmer.
HERBERT L. SEYMOUR, Engineer.
WILLIAM H. RYFLES, Watchman.
GRANT MacGILLIVRAY, Baker.
Miss MILDRED A. STOCKFORD, Clerk.
Miss LOUISE B. RUMERY, Stenographer.
Miss KATHERINE L. MABLE, Overseer Kitchen.
Miss GRACE M. LIBBY, Assistant Overseer Kitchen.
Miss BERYL L. PRATT, Housekeeper.
Miss MATTIE J. TROTT, Overseer Laundry.
Mrs. MABELLE P. ANDREW, Overseer Sewing-room.
GEORGE W. STEVENS, Master Farrington Cottage.
Mrs. GEORGE W. STEVENS, Matron Farrington Cottage.
Miss BERYL M. JOHNSON, Teacher Farrington Cottage.
WILLIAM J. ERWIN, Master Wentworth Cottage.
Mrs. WILLIAM J. ERWIN, Matron Wentworth Cottage.
Miss MATILDA F. UTECHT, Teacher Wentworth Cottage.
E. B. PRATT, Master Albion Little Cottage.
Mrs. E. B. PRATT, Matron Albion Little Cottage.
Miss ETHELYN P. MALKSON, Teacher Albion Little Cottage.
WILLIAM H. KIBBE, Master Cottage Four.
Mrs. WILLIAM H. KIBBE, Matron Cottage Four.
Miss ELIZABETH G. WELLS, Teacher Cottage Four.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

To the Honorable Governor and Executive Council of Maine:

The trustees of the State School for Boys respectfully submit the annual report of the school for year ending November 30, 1910. The trustees have held the regular quarterly meetings and several special meetings.

The bills have been regularly audited by the Executive Committee and the Visiting Committee have inspected the school each month.

The number of boys now in school is one hundred seventy-two. Fifty-four boys are out on leave or indenture; two boys have escaped and nine boys have been transferred to the School for Feeble Minded.

In our report of last year we called attention to the fact that the cottages were crowded; that they were designed to accommodate one hundred forty boys. When this number is materially increased the work of the school is done under a decided disadvantage. At times during the past year there have been one hundred eighty-eight boys in the school. It is apparent that if the school is to receive all the boys who are being committed to it that additional facilities must be furnished.

In view of existing conditions, the trustees have not thought it advisable to ask for an appropriation for a new cottage. We feel that we should be remiss, however, if we did not call attention to the crowded condition of the school. We feel that one hundred sixty boys is the maximum number which should be housed in the four cottages. Even then the work is done at a disadvantage.

Last year for the first time in many years a large number of the boys were afflicted with a contagious disease. This year for a second time scarlet fever was prevalent in the school. The number of cases, however, was much smaller than last year. This year we could not trace the cause of the disease.

Last year it was known that the cause arose outside the school.

In our last report we stated that the Legislature had made no appropriation for insurance and stated that if a fire occurred at the school at a time when the Legislature was not in session an interval of two years might elapse without any funds being available. Until the state makes some provision to replace a loss the trustees feel that they are justified in asking for an appropriation for insurance and they have, for this reason, included the cost of the purchase of insurance in their estimate for the ensuing two years.

The last Legislature appropriated the sum of \$6,000 for a horse barn. This amount was considerably less than was asked for by the trustees, and as we did not believe that a satisfactory barn could be built for this sum, we returned it to the State.

Mr. Edwin P. Wentworth has resigned as superintendent, his resignation to take effect April 1, 1911.

For thirty-two years Mr. Wentworth has been connected with the school; for the last thirteen years as its superintendent. He has rendered faithful and efficient service, and we desire to express our appreciation of it.

The present salary of the superintendent is one thousand dollars. We think it will be difficult to find a satisfactory superintendent unless the salary is increased.

At present the fiscal year of the school ends on November 30 and on years in which the Legislature meets, funds for the school are not available until July 1st. There is, therefore, an interval of seven months in which the school is without funds. We feel that it is not creditable to the state to expect the employees of the school to wait so long for their wages, and certainly the school supplies cannot be purchased advantageously when payment cannot be made promptly. If the fiscal year should be carried forward for seven months and made to end on July first, and the next Legislature should make an appropriation sufficient to last until July 1, 1913, the school would be freed from many embarrassments.

At the present time there are three persons in charge of a cottage, the master, matron and a school teacher. Some one must be in charge of a cottage at all times and the school teachers are required to perform some household duties as well as give instruction in the school room. After a teacher has taught

the required time in her classes and performed her household duties, she has very little time left in which to prepare for the work of her classes. Taken as a whole the boys are more difficult to teach than those found in the ordinary classroom. There is great difference in their ages and in their mental development. If good results are to be expected, the teachers must have reasonable opportunity for study, rest and recreation. We wish it were possible to confine the teachers' work to the classroom, but we cannot see our way clear to do this at present. A way may be found to lighten their housework in some particulars, and we believe that they should be given a vacation of eight weeks.

In closing we wish to express our appreciation for the faithful services which have been rendered by the various officers and employees of the school.

HENRY W. MAYO,

HIRAM W. RICKER,

MILTON L. MERRILL,

THURSTON S. BURNS,

CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON,

November 30, 1910.

Trustees.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the State School for Boys:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit a report of the receipts and expenditures during the year ending November 30, 1910, also the financial standing of the State School for Boys at that date. The accounts of the superintendent and treasurer have been audited, and the vouchers forwarded to the Governor and Council, as required by law.

The Legislature of 1909 appropriated for the use of this School for current expenses for the year 1910 the sum of \$33,000.00, of which \$27,000.00 has been received from the State Treasurer, leaving a balance of \$6,000.00 still due the School. There were also State appropriations for repairs, visiting boys out on parole, etc., for the year 1910 amounting to \$3,300.00, and of these appropriations nothing has been received from the State Treasurer. The total amount due the School on account of these unpaid and partly paid appropriations is \$9,300.00. The total amount of bills payable at this date is \$4,364.92. Had the funds appropriated been available this year for the use of the School, there would have been no unpaid bills outstanding at the close of our fiscal year, and a balance would have been left in the School treasury.

The School has borrowed no money during the year and therefore has paid no interest.

The following exhibits show the receipts and disbursements for the year properly classified, the appropriations paid and unpaid the accounts payable and receivable at the close of the fiscal year, and the balances at the beginning and at the close of the year.

CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON,
Treasurer.

November 30, 1910.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

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Receipts Dec. 1, 1909, to Nov. 30, 1910.

Balances on hand Dec. 1, 1909, account:		
Current Expenses	\$ 419 77	
Ordinary repairs	1,378 76	
Extraordinary repairs	505 43	
Insurance	1 00	
Providing homes, etc.	225 49	
Construction of piggery	328 77	
Ice-house	69 15	
Horse barn	6,000 00	
Conveyance	278 50	
Dentistry	127 37	
Exterior painting	53 93	
New furniture, etc.	286 00	
New horses, etc.	447 50	
Extending sewer	500 00	
Tools for manual training, etc.	500 00	\$11,121 67

Receipts, from Dec. 1, 1909, to Nov. 30, 1910.		
From State Treasurer, for current expenses	27,000 00	
Interest on Sanford Fund	42 00	
From Farm and Stock	2,358 48	
From all other sources	348 44	29,748 92
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		\$40,870 59

Disbursements, Dec. 1, 1909, to Nov. 30, 1910.

Current Expenses	\$31,383 10	
Ordinary repairs	992 31	
Extraordinary repairs	505 43	
Providing homes, etc.	225 49	
Construction of piggery	8 72	
Dentistry	381 18	
New furniture, etc.	176 45	
Extending sewer	403 90	
Tools, etc., for manual training	500 00	
Library, Sanford Legacy	42 00	\$34,618 58
Returned to State Treasurer, account horse barn		6,000 00
Balance on hand Nov. 30, 1910		252 01
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		\$40,870 59

State of Maine in Account with State School for Boys.

State appropriations for 1910:	
Current expenses	\$33,000 00
Ordinary repairs	2,000 00
Providing homes, etc.	500 00
Dentistry	300 00
Exterior painting	500 00
Total	\$36,300 00
Received from the State Treasurer:	
Current Expenses.....	27,000 00
	27,000 00
Balance due from the State Treasurer:	
Current Expenses	6,000 00
Ordinary repairs	2,000 00
Providing homes, etc.	500 00
Dentistry	300 00
Exterior painting	500 00
	9,300 00
Total	\$36,300 00

Sums Due The School, and Accounts Payable.

Due from State Treasurer on account of appropriations made by the State legislature for the year 1910, but unpaid, Nov. 30, 1910, account:	
Current Expenses	\$6,000 00
Ordinary repairs	2,000 00
Providing homes, etc.	500 00
Dentistry	300 00
Exterior painting	500 00
Total	\$9,300 00
Accounts Payable, Nov. 30, 1910, account:	
Current Expenses	\$3,276 11
Ordinary repairs	937 57
Dentistry	41 69
New furniture	109 55
	4,364 92
Balance of sums due the School over accounts payable	4,935 08
	\$9,300 00

CURRENT EXPENSE ACCOUNT, Classified.

Expenditures from December 1, 1909, to November 30, 1910.

Salaries and labor	\$12,807 75
Subsistence	6,071 15
Clothing, bedding, dry-goods and notions	2,361 50
House and laundry supplies, furniture, crockery, and hardware	831 66
Hospital, medical attendance, drugs and supplies	433 08
Fuel, lights and power	3,175 54
Farm and farm machinery, grounds, stock, feed, carriages..	3,947 66
Mechanical School	288 65
School books and supplies	72 12
Office supplies	315 24
Postage	53 12
Telephoning and telegraphing	113 24
Excursions and amusements	300 98
Steam and plumbing supplies	115 11
• Sebago Water	105 47
Returning boys	119 84
Travelling expenses	69 45
Library and reading-room	82 50
Miscellaneous	119 04
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	\$31,383 10

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of the State School for Boys:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to submit the fifty-seventh annual report, for the year ending November 30, 1910.

The whole number of boys who have been received into the institution since it was opened is 2,833.

Number in school November 30, 1910, 172.

TABLE NO. 1.

Shows the Number Received and Discharged, and the General State of the School for the Year Ending November 30, 1910.

Number of boys in school December 1, 1909.....	-	178
“ “ committed the past year.....	-	48
“ “ out on leave returned.....	-	9
Whole number in school during the year.....	-	235
“ “ allowed to go on trial.....	51	
“ “ transferred to school for Feeble-minded.....	9	
“ “ delivered to court.....	1	
“ “ eloped.....	2	68
Number of boys remaining December 1, 1910.....	-	172

Average for the year, 179.

TABLE NO. 2.

Shows by What Authority.

COURTS.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
Supreme Judicial Court.....	-	200	200
Superior Court.....	-	39	39
Municipal and Police Courts.....	28	1775	1803
Trial Justices.....	20	766	786
United States Court.....	-	5	5
	48	2785	2833

TABLE NO. 3.

Shows the Disposition of Those Discharged Since Opening of the School.

DISPOSALS.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
Discharged on expiration of sentence.....	-	223	223
Discharged by trustees.....	-	731	731
Indentured.....	-	358	358
Allowed to leave on trial.....	51	1169	1220
Allowed to enlist.....	-	19	19
Illegally committed.....	-	19	19
Remanded.....	-	65	65
Pardoned.....	-	15	15
Eloped.....	2	150	152
Died.....	-	50	50
Delivered to courts.....	1	25	26
Returned to masters.....	-	4	4
Transferred to Maine School for Feeble-minded.	9	-	9

TABLE NO. 4.

Shows Offenses for Which Committed.

OFFENSES.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
Larceny.....	22	1727	1749
Truancy.....	12	316	328
Common runaway.....	2	166	168
Vagrancy.....	1	117	118
Assault, and assault and battery.....	3	113	116
Felonious assault.....	-	1	1
Vagabondage.....	-	6	6
Forgery and uttering.....	-	1	1
Violation of postal laws.....	-	1	1
Cruelty to animals.....	-	8	8
Violation of city ordinance.....	-	2	2
Malicious mischief.....	4	106	110
Drunkenness.....	-	3	3
Breaking and entering.....	-	71	71
Shop breaking.....	-	19	19
Idle and disorderly.....	-	20	20
Cheating by false pretenses.....	-	17	17
Common pilferer.....	1	19	20
Arson.....	-	14	14
Malicious trespass.....	-	8	8
Sabbath breaking.....	-	7	7
Manslaughter.....	-	4	4
Common drunkard.....	-	3	3
Robbery.....	-	3	3
Attempt to steal.....	-	5	5
Assault with intent to rob.....	-	2	2
Disturbing the peace.....	-	2	2
Embezzlement.....	-	2	2
Assault with intent to kill.....	-	2	2
Riot.....	-	1	1
Threatening to burn.....	-	1	1
Common night walker.....	-	1	1
Attempt to commit arson.....	-	1	1
Neglect of employment and calling.....	-	1	1
Sodomy.....	-	1	1
Secreting stolen goods.....	-	1	1
Threatening lives.....	-	1	1
Placing obstructions on railroad track.....	-	1	1
Lascivious speech and behavior.....	-	2	2
Sale intoxicating liquor.....	-	2	2
Intoxication.....	1	4	5
Keeping liquor for unlawful sale.....	-	1	1
Receiving stolen property.....	2	1	3
Indecent exposure.....	-	1	1
	48	2785	2833

STATE SCHOOL, FOR BOYS.

TABLE No. 5.

Shows the Alternative Sentence.

ALTERNATIVE SENTENCES.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
In State Prison	-	146	146
In county jail or house of correction :	-	230	230
More than three months.....	-	2238	2274
Three months or less.....	36	117	139
No alternative.....	12	51	51
Fine and costs.....	-	3	3
Recognizance.....	-	-	-
	48	2785	2833

TABLE No. 6.

Shows the Admissions from Each County, and Last Residence.

Counties.	TOWNS.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
Androscoggin..	Auburn.....	2	24	26
	Danville.....	-	1	1
	Durham.....	1	1	2
	East Livermore.....	1	2	3
	Greene.....	-	4	4
	Leeds.....	-	1	1
	Lewiston.....	-	107	107
	Lisbon.....	-	12	12
	Livermore.....	-	3	3
	Livermore Falls.....	-	1	1
	Mechanic Falls.....	-	1	1
	Minot.....	-	1	1
	Poland.....	-	8	8
	Webster.....	-	3	3
	Blaine.....	-	1	1
	Bridgewater.....	-	1	1
	Caribou.....	1	8	9
	Eagle Lake.....	-	1	1
	Easton.....	-	2	2
Fort Fairfield.....	-	2	2	
Houlton.....	2	13	15	
Island Falls.....	-	1	1	
Limestone.....	-	1	1	
Aroostook.....	Linneus.....	-	1	1
	Littleton.....	-	1	1
	Mars Hill.....	-	1	1
	Mars Hill Plantation.....	-	1	1
	Perham Plantation.....	-	1	1
	Portage Lake.....	1	-	1
	Presque Isle.....	-	7	7
	Sheridan Plantation.....	-	1	1
	Sherman.....	-	1	1
	Smyrna.....	-	1	1
	Weston.....	-	1	1
	Baldwin.....	-	3	3
	Bridgton.....	-	8	8
	Brunswick.....	-	29	29
	Cape Elizabeth.....	-	21	21
	Cumberland.....	-	6	6
	Deering.....	-	8	8
	Falmouth.....	-	1	1
	Falmouth.....	-	2	2
	Freeport.....	-	2	2
Gorham.....	-	9	9	
Gray.....	-	2	2	
Harpwell.....	-	2	2	
Cumberland...	Naples.....	-	2	2
	New Gloucester.....	-	2	2
	Otisfield.....	-	1	1
	Portland.....	4	652	656
	Pownal.....	-	1	1
	Raymond.....	-	1	1
	Scarboro.....	-	5	5
	Sebago.....	-	1	1
	Sebago.....	-	1	1
	South Portland.....	-	1	1
	Standish.....	-	2	2
	Standish.....	1	22	23
	Westbrook.....	-	3	3
	Windham.....	-	4	5
	Yarmouth.....	1	1	1
	Eustis.....	-	7	7
	Farmington.....	-	1	1
	Industry.....	-	2	2
	Jay.....	-	3	3
	Kingfield.....	-	1	1
Madrid.....	-	1	1	
Franklin.....	New Vineyard.....	-	3	3
	Phillips.....	-	2	2
	Rangeley.....	-	2	2
	Rangeley Plantation.....	-	2	2
	Sandy River Plantation.....	-	3	3
	Strong.....	-	1	1
	Temple.....	-	1	1
	Weld.....	-	1	1
	Wilton.....	-	1	1

TABLE No. 6—Continued.

Counties.	TOWNS.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
	Bluehill.....	-	2	2
	Brooklyn.....	1	-	1
	Bucksport.....	-	9	9
	Castine.....	-	2	2
	Dedham.....	-	1	1
	Deer Isle.....	2	8	10
	Eden.....	-	5	5
	Ellsworth.....	-	10	10
	Franklin.....	-	1	1
Hancock.....	Gouldsborough.....	-	1	1
	Hancock.....	-	3	3
	Long Island Plantation.....	-	1	1
	Mt. Desert.....	1	5	6
	Orland.....	-	2	2
	Penobscot.....	-	1	1
	Sedgwick.....	-	1	1
	Stonington.....	-	3	3
	Tremont.....	-	8	8
	Winter Harbor.....	-	1	1
	Albion.....	-	1	1
	Augusta.....	2	76	78
	Belgrade.....	-	2	2
	Benton.....	-	4	4
	Chelsea.....	-	7	7
	China.....	-	2	2
	Clinton.....	-	2	2
	Farmingdale.....	-	1	1
	Gardiner.....	-	54	54
	Hallowell.....	-	22	22
	Litchfield.....	-	5	5
	Manchester.....	-	4	4
	Monmouth.....	-	5	5
Kennebec.....	Mt. Vernon.....	-	1	1
	Oakland.....	-	6	6
	Pittston.....	-	8	8
	Readfield.....	-	6	6
	Rome.....	-	5	5
	Sidney.....	-	3	3
	Vassalborough.....	-	5	5
	Vienna.....	-	4	4
	Waterville.....	-	36	36
	Wayne.....	-	3	3
	West Gardiner.....	-	3	3
	West Waterville.....	-	3	3
	Windsor.....	-	1	1
	Winslow.....	1	7	8
	Winthrop.....	-	7	7
	Appleton.....	-	3	3
	Camden.....	-	14	14
	Cushing.....	-	2	2
	Friendship.....	-	1	1
	Hope.....	-	3	3
	Muscle Ridge Island.....	-	1	1
Knox.....	Rockland.....	1	69	70
	Rockport.....	1	2	3
	South Thomaston.....	-	8	8
	St. George.....	-	6	6
	Thomaston.....	-	9	9
	Union.....	-	2	2
	Vinalhaven.....	-	7	7
	Warren.....	-	4	4
	Washington.....	-	1	1
	Boothbay.....	-	12	12
	Boothbay Harbor.....	1	3	4
	Bristol.....	1	3	10
	Damariscotta.....	-	1	1
	Dresden.....	-	1	1
	Edgecomb.....	-	1	1
Lincoln.....	Jefferson.....	1	2	3
	Newcastle.....	-	8	8
	Nobleborough.....	-	6	6
	Southport.....	-	2	2
	Waldoborough.....	-	10	10
	Whitefield.....	-	8	8
	Wiscasset.....	-	3	3

TABLE No. 6—Continued.

Counties.	Towns.	Past year.	Previously.	Total.
Oxford	Albany.....	-	1	1
	Bethel.....	-	3	3
	Brownfield.....	-	1	1
	Canton.....	-	3	3
	Dixfield.....	-	3	3
	Greenwood.....	-	1	1
	Hiram.....	-	8	8
	Mexico.....	-	2	2
	Milton Plantation.....	-	1	1
	Norway.....	-	5	5
	Oxford.....	-	1	1
	Paris.....	-	4	4
	Rumford.....	-	6	6
	Stoneham.....	-	1	1
	Sweden.....	-	1	1
	Waterford.....	-	1	1
	Alton.....	-	2	2
	Bangor.....	1	251	252
	Bradley.....	-	2	2
	Brewer.....	-	12	12
	Burlington.....	-	1	1
	Carmel.....	-	1	1
Charleston.....	-	1	1	
Clifton.....	-	1	1	
Corinna.....	-	3	3	
Corinth.....	-	2	2	
Dexter.....	-	10	10	
Dixmont.....	-	1	1	
Eddington.....	-	1	1	
Enfield.....	-	1	1	
Exeter.....	-	3	3	
Garland.....	-	1	1	
Glenburn.....	-	4	4	
Hermion.....	-	3	3	
Holden.....	-	1	1	
Hudson.....	-	5	5	
Levant.....	1	5	6	
Lincoln.....	-	4	4	
Lowell.....	-	1	1	
Medway.....	-	1	1	
Milford.....	-	3	3	
Milo.....	-	1	1	
Newburg.....	-	1	1	
Newport.....	-	3	3	
Oldtown.....	-	29	29	
Orono.....	-	8	8	
Orrington.....	-	1	1	
Springfield.....	-	2	2	
Stetson.....	-	2	2	
Veazie.....	-	6	6	
Webster Plantation.....	1	-	1	
Brownville.....	-	1	1	
Dover.....	-	2	2	
Foxcroft.....	-	1	1	
Greenville.....	-	1	1	
Guilford.....	-	2	2	
Monson.....	-	3	3	
Orneville.....	-	3	3	
Sangerville.....	-	4	4	
Sebec.....	-	1	1	
Township No. 6.....	-	1	1	
Wellington.....	-	1	1	
Williamsburg.....	-	1	1	
Arrowsic.....	-	3	3	
Bath.....	-	104	104	
Bowdoin.....	-	2	2	
Bowdoinham.....	-	1	1	
Phippsburg.....	-	1	1	
Richmond.....	-	12	12	
Topsham.....	-	3	3	
West Bath.....	-	1	1	
Woolwich.....	-	1	1	
Piscataquis				
Sagadahoc				

TABLE No. 6—Continued.

Counties.	TOWNS.	Past Year.	Previously.	Total.
Somerset	Anson	-	14	14
	Athens	-	1	1
	Bloomfield	-	4	4
	Cambridge	-	1	1
	Canaan	-	1	1
	Concord	-	1	1
	Embden	-	4	4
	Fairfield	-	14	14
	Harmony	-	3	3
	Hartland	-	3	3
	Jackman	1	1	2
	Madison	1	1	2
	Mercer	-	1	1
	Moose River Plantation	-	1	1
	Norridgewock	-	3	3
	New Portland	-	1	1
	Pittsfield	-	9	9
	Ripley	-	1	1
	Skowhegan	2	29	31
	Smithfield	-	2	2
	St. Albans	1	1	2
	Starks	-	1	1
	Belfast	1	19	20
Belmont	-	1	1	
Frankfort	-	10	10	
Jackson	-	1	1	
Knox	1	-	1	
Liberty	-	3	3	
Lincolnville	-	4	4	
Waldo	Monroe	-	5	5
	Montville	-	3	3
	Northport	-	1	1
	Palermo	-	4	4
	Searsmont	-	5	5
	Searsport	-	5	5
	Unity	-	1	1
	Waldo	-	1	1
	Winterport	1	1	2
	Addison	-	5	5
	Alexander	-	1	1
	Baileyville	-	1	1
	Calais	1	68	69
	Cherryfield	-	6	6
	Columbia	-	1	1
Cutler	-	2	2	
Danforth	-	1	1	
East Machias	-	4	4	
Eastport	1	31	32	
Edmonds	-	3	3	
Jonesborough	-	1	1	
Washington	Jonesport	-	2	2
	Lubec	-	3	3
	Machias	2	19	21
	Machiasport	-	3	3
	Marion	-	1	1
	Marshfield	-	1	1
	Milbridge	-	7	7
	No. 10 Plantation	-	1	1
	Pembroke	-	7	7
	Princeton	-	1	1
	Robbinston	-	1	1
	Steuben	-	3	3
Trescott	-	2	2	
Wesley	-	2	2	

TABLE No. 6—Concluded.

Counties.	TOWNS.	Past Year.	Previously.	Total.
York.....	Acton.....	1	4	5
	Alfred.....	-	1	1
	Berwick.....	1	1	2
	Biddeford.....	2	185	187
	Buxton.....	-	4	4
	Cornish.....	-	4	4
	Dayton.....	-	1	1
	Elliot.....	-	1	1
	Kennebunk.....	-	7	7
	Kennebunkport.....	-	9	9
	Kittery.....	-	4	4
	Lebanon.....	-	1	1
	Limington.....	-	1	1
	Lyman.....	-	2	2
	North Berwick.....	-	3	3
	Old Orchard.....	-	1	1
	Parsonsfield.....	-	1	1
	Saco.....	3	71	74
	Sanford.....	-	16	16
	South Berwick.....	-	7	7
Waterborough.....	-	1	1	
Wells.....	-	4	4	
York.....	-	7	7	
Resident out of the State..	Other states.....	48	2,765	2,813
	New Brunswick.....	-	15	15
	Nova Scotia.....	-	3	3
		-	2	2
		48	2,785	2,833

TABLE No. 7.

Showing the Nativity of All Committed.

NATIVITY.	Past Year.	Previously.	Total.
Born in Australia.....	-	1	1
Austria Hungary.....	-	1	1
Bermuda.....	-	1	1
Canada.....	1	71	72
Cuba.....	-	1	1
Chila.....	-	1	1
England.....	-	13	13
France.....	-	1	1
Germany.....	-	1	1
Ireland.....	-	60	60
Italy.....	-	1	1
Jamaica.....	-	2	2
New Brunswick.....	1	89	90
Newfoundland.....	-	1	1
Norway.....	-	1	1
Nova Scotia.....	-	43	43
Prince Edward Island.....	-	10	10
Russia.....	-	3	3
Scotland.....	-	4	4
Sweden.....	-	1	1
West Indies.....	-	1	1
on the Atlantic.....	-	1	1
Foreigners.....	2	308	310
Born in Maine.....	39	2,154	2,193
Other states.....	5	275	280
Nativity not known.....	2	48	50
	48	2,785	2,833

TABLE No. 8.

Shows the Ages of All When Committed.

AGES.	Past Year.	Previously.	Total.
Seven years of age.....	-	5	5
Eight ".....	-	74	74
Nine ".....	3	109	112
Ten ".....	7	237	244
Eleven ".....	8	303	311
Twelve ".....	7	417	424
Thirteen ".....	11	477	488
Fourteen ".....	5	529	534
Fifteen ".....	7	517	524
Sixteen ".....	-	92	92
Seventeen ".....	-	19	19
Eighteen ".....	-	4	4
Nineteen ".....	-	2	2
	48	2,785	2,833

TABLE No. 9.

Shows Some Facts Connected with the Moral Condition of the Boys when Received.

REMARKS.	Past Year.	Previously.	Total.
Whole number received.....	48	2,785	2,833
Have intemperate parents.....	14	949	963
Lost father.....	17	853	870
Lost mother.....	15	693	708
Relatives in prison.....	2	390	392
Step parents.....	15	521	536
Idle.....	29	1,775	1,804
Much neglected.....	24	1,043	1,067
Truants.....	38	1,254	1,292
Sabbath breakers.....	30	1,110	1,140
Untruthful.....	38	2,199	2,237
Profane.....	35	2,046	2,081

TABLE No. 10.

Products of Farm, Garden and Stock.

Apples, 68 bushels.	Milk, 23,105 gallons.
Asparagus, 21 pounds.	Oats, 10 bushels.
Beans, dry, 45 bushels.	Oats, for fodder, 4 tons.
Beans, string and shell, 41 bushels.	Oat Straw, 1 ton.
Beef, 235 pounds.	Onions, 4 bushels.
Beets for table, 20 bushels.	Parsnips, 6 bushels.
Beets for cattle, 355 bushels.	Pears, 10½ bushels.
Beet greens, 5 bushels.	Peas, green, 39 bushels.
Black berries, 5 quarts.	Plums, 84 quarts.
Butter, 3991 pounds.	Pork, 2507 pounds.
Cabbage, 6134 pounds.	Potatoes, 347 bushels.
Carrots, 228 bushels.	Poultry, 269 pounds.
Corn, fodder, 16 tons.	Radishes, 57 bunches.
Corn, Indian, 197 bushels.	Rhubarb, 520 pounds.
Corn, sweet, for table, 272 dozen.	Ruta Bagas, 190 bushels.
Cucumbers, 349.	Rye, 47 bushels.
Currants, 23 quarts.	Rye, fodder, 2 tons.
Eggs, 412 dozen.	Rye straw, 5 tons.
Ensilage and cut green corn fodder, 100 tons.	Squash, winter, 4 tons.
Hay, English, 125 tons.	Strawberries, 396 quarts.
Hay, marsh, 8 tons.	Tomatoes, ripe, 3 bushels.
Lettuce, 419 heads.	Turnips, table, 22 bushels.

TABLE NO. II.

Live Stock on Hand.

4 heavy team horses.	21 pigs.
3 driving horses.	5 young sows.
26 milch cows.	11 fat shoates.
13 heifers.	1 fat sow.
1 calf.	80 Plymouth Rock hens.
1 pair oxen.	20 Plymouth Rock pullets.
1 Berkshire boar.	14 Plymouth Rock cockerels.
16 Berkshire sows.	4 Plymouth Rock cocks.

Scarlet fever made its appearance at the school early in the autumn. Whence it came we do not certainly know, but probably some visitor brought it here. Thirteen boys and one officer were sick with the disease. They were all quarantined in Coleman cottage; and under the care of an efficient nurse, a good housekeeper, and our school physician, Dr. Tobie, the patients all recovered without any mishap. This second recent experience with scarlet fever confirms the opinion expressed in my last report that Coleman cottage should not be used as a dwelling house, but should be reserved solely for hospital purposes.

One of our teachers was sick for a time with diphtheria, contracted probably while away from the school on a visit, but she soon fully recovered, and no one else here caught the disease. Aside from these cases here referred to there has been but very little sickness at the school.

We are again under obligations to our trustee, Hon. Hiram W. Ricker, for the bottled Poland Spring water he so generously furnished free of charge for the use of the boys and officers who were sick with scarlet fever and diphtheria. No doubt the liberal use of this pure spring water contributed to the quick and complete recovery of the patients.

The average number of boys in school, which was 125 in 1895, the year the congregate department was abandoned and the school placed wholly on the cottage plan, has steadily increased until last October when our daily attendance reached 188. The average attendance for the year was 179. Our four cottages were designed to accommodate 120 to 140 boys, and with the present number our cottages are overcrowded. I believe that the best results cannot be reached with so many boys in a cottage. I hope the Legislature will soon grant us the

necessary funds to build a new cottage, which, if we now had we could at once fill with boys.

Nine boys have been transferred to the Maine School for Feeble-Minded, and papers have been issued by the Probate Court of Cumberland county for the transfer of three more boys; but as there is at present no room for them at the School for Feeble-Minded the boys are still here.

Some important changes have been made in the official personnel of the school since the date of our last report. Some of these changes have been greatly to the advantage of the school, as shown by the marked improvement in the behavior of the boys, their increased contentment and happiness, and the greater degree of harmony that has prevailed throughout the school. As an illustrative fact it may be mentioned that during the previous year twelve boys eloped from the school, while this year only two have done so, and these two ran away early in the year before the above-mentioned changes were made. The improvement in the general discipline of the school has been proportionately great. The success of the institution depends upon the character of the employees, and any lack of harmony, tact or moral energy on their part is followed by disastrous results.

It is very difficult to obtain for the various positions to be filled officers in whom are combined the various good qualities requisite to success. Officers must be industrious, energetic and efficient and have the happy faculty of "getting on well" with others; but this is by no means all that is needful. Every officer, regardless of his position, is necessarily a teacher of morals and manners. Unconsciously, perhaps, but not the less surely he is day by day, here a little and there a little shaping the plastic material of the boys' minds and characters. His influence extends to every boy and officer of the school either to uplift and bless or to degrade and injure. His example should be such that other boys and officers may safely follow it, and his life should be consistent with his precepts. None are quicker to discover shams than are the boys, and whoever would win their respect and cheerful obedience and lead them to a better life must do so by the sincerity and nobility of his own life.

Such persons are seldom to be found except after careful and

patient searching, but when found they are worthy of ample compensation both in money and in the discriminating appreciation of their valuable services. I believe there are positions in this school which should be better paid than they are; and that every dollar effectively expended in raising the moral tone of the official staff will return double value to the state.

Among the regrettable events of the year must be mentioned the resignation of the assistant superintendent, Mr. J. Henry Dow. For more than twenty-five years Mr. Dow has been connected with the school, filling various positions of responsibility and trust, and for more than thirteen years he has filled most acceptably the position of assistant superintendent. His sterling moral character, his fidelity to duty, his executive ability, his loyalty, his deep and abiding interest in the welfare of the boys, have been among the characteristics which contributed to his success in his difficult and important position. The value of such a man in such a position cannot be estimated in dollars and cents; and his loss has been keenly felt.

The last Legislature appropriated five hundred dollars for the purchase of tools, etc., for our manual training department. This amount has been expended in the equipment of our Sloyd school. Twenty sloyd benches and one demonstration bench for the teacher have been set up in what was formerly the boys' congregate dining room, and these benches have been furnished with a good assortment of tools. A competent teacher has been employed and in a few days he will begin the instruction. It is planned to have every boy in the school take a course of instruction in this shop.

The instructor of our mechanical school resigned his position early in the summer, since which time the school has been closed. I believe the instruction in carpentry which has been given in this shop has been of great value to the boys and to the school and I would respectfully renew the suggestion I made last year that some of the boys who showed special aptitude in sloyd, after completing their course in that study, should be promoted to the class in carpentry and given practical work in construction, in repairs upon the buildings, cabinet work, etc. Boys like practical work and they should be given the pleasure of seeing things grow under their hands. Further-

more the practical knowledge of carpentry they would obtain would fit them to earn a good living on leaving the school.

At the date of the last annual report a contract had been made for extending the sewer back of Albion Little cottage from the bank to the thread of the creek, and building a man-hole, etc. This work has all been satisfactorily completed inside of the appropriation, with the result that an unpleasant nuisance has been abated.

The campus in front of cottages three and four has been practically completed and needs only a few finishing touches to put it into fine condition. It makes an excellent playground for the boys. I hope that during the coming year we may erect a flag pole upon this campus from which our beloved flag may wave; and that we may be able to install some playground apparatus both on this campus, and on the playgrounds in front of cottages one and two.

The farming operations this year have been as successful as I think we could reasonably expect when we consider the changes necessarily made in head farmers and in other farm help, and other disadvantages under which we have labored. A competent man to take care of the farm has become a necessity. Such men are rare. If the position could be made more attractive to a farmer by offering him a cottage in which he could reside with his family, and by giving him adequate compensation, it would go far toward solving the problem. Such a cottage located near the barn, would not cost much and I believe it would be a good investment for the state.

The last Legislature appropriated twenty-five hundred dollars for repairs and improvements and for exterior painting, but up to the present time this money has not been available for our use. Some repairs should be made every year to keep the property of the state in good condition. There are many repairs now waiting to be made as soon as the needed funds can be obtained.

The work of finding homes for boys needing them, of visiting homes from which boys come, and of visiting boys out on parole, is more important and more difficult than it might at first appear to be. No one can do this work well who is not naturally adapted to it, and who has not acquired a fund of knowledge regarding it by actual experience. Frequently the

salvation of a boy depends upon the tact, wisdom and perseverance of the visitor. The Legislature appropriated five hundred dollars for carrying on this work, but the money has not been available. Fortunately a small balance was left over from last year. We have been able to cooperate with the Maine Children's Committee, composed of representatives of placing-out societies in Maine, and by availing ourselves of the gratuitous services of Mrs. Julie M. Way, secretary of the committee, and simply paying a proportionate part of her traveling expenses, we have been able to have many of our boys out on parole visited and to find a few homes for our boys, at a comparatively small cost. Mrs. Way has done excellent work for the school, the value of which we fully appreciate, but having accepted a position in Chicago her services are no longer available for our needs.

I believe the school should have its own visitor, some person who could work at the school among the boys, when not traveling, thus learning the individual peculiarities and characteristics of the boys and becoming better qualified to find just the boy to fit any given home, and just the home to fit any given boy. Success in placing boys in homes depends upon the ability to make a "fit"; a misfit means failure. On account of lack of funds this very important work has been suspended for the present.

For many years we have had difficulty in securing proper mittimuses when boys are committed to this school. The law in this state requires that in a mittimus issued by a court of inferior jurisdiction every jurisdictional fact shall be stated. The offense must be set forth in the mittimus with all the technical precision that is required in an indictment. Very few trial justices have the legal knowledge necessary to frame a complaint as it should be, and some of the judges of police and municipal courts do not appreciate the need of technical accuracy until their attention is called to it by the refusal of the superintendent to receive a boy they have ordered committed to the school. If the superintendent receives a boy not legally committed he is personally liable for damages for false imprisonment. If in place of the mittimus now required a simple form could be substituted, one that any magistrate without legal training could correctly fill out, it would be of great assistance

both to the school and to the courts of the state. Such a mittimus would need the sanction of law. Perhaps a juvenile court law might remedy the difficulty by making legally sufficient a simpler form of mittimus, by making the commitment a civil or equitable proceeding rather than a criminal proceeding, and by placing jurisdiction of juvenile offenses in courts presided over by judges having ample legal qualifications.

It may not be amiss, in this connection, to express the hope that juvenile courts may soon be established in this state, having equity powers, and conducted in accordance with advanced ideas.

Many years of experience with juvenile delinquents have convinced me that greater attention should be paid to the "hospital" idea without however in the least detracting from the "school" or "home" idea of the institution. There is a close relationship between physical and mental defectiveness and crime. When juvenile delinquency is the result wholly of environment there may be and should be a cure for it; when it results wholly from defective mentality there is no cure; when it is the result chiefly of environment but a slightly defective mentality enters into it to some extent the result of treatment is problematical. It would seem therefore that in a juvenile reformatory each boy should be regarded somewhat as a patient in a hospital. His family history should be inquired into for the purpose of ascertaining the hereditary influences operating in and through him; the circumstances of his birth including ante-natal conditions should be investigated; the environment in which he lived should be studied and the effects of social influences noted; an exhaustive medical examination should show his physical condition and needs; and mental examination should give much information concerning his native ability, the development of his mind through school work, etc., and show whether he is mentally sub-normal, and if so to what extent.

A considerable proportion of the delinquent boys committed to this school combine backwardness in school studies with their delinquency, and it is important to ascertain the degree of the backwardness, and its causes, in order to discover the causes of their delinquency and to outline a successful treatment. The backwardness may be the result of lack of opportunity, language difficulty, illness, late start in school, slow rate of devel-

opment, etc.; and in these cases educational treatment is indicated. Backwardness may be caused by defective vision or hearing, defective teeth, chronic catarrh, adenoids, insufficient nutrition, unhygienic habits, immoral practices, insanity, etc., when appropriate remedies may often be found. In these curable cases it is special, individualized treatment that is demanded. If, however, the backwardness is caused by true mental defectiveness it is regarded by all authorities as incurable. The most that can be done is to make the patient as comfortable and happy as he can be, to protect him from himself, and to protect the community from him. When such a boy is found, if he have criminal tendencies, he should remain in custodial care through life, and prevented from having offspring. By careful personal examination we have discovered some of these cases and have had them transferred to the Maine School for the Feeble-Minded, but there are still some boys of this class with us.

Working in harmony with the juvenile court, when such courts are established in Maine, the institution should be not only a school but also a hospital where the incurables may be segregated from the rest of the boys, and properly cared for and trained in usefulness; while curable boys should be given special treatment adapted to their individual needs. By proper medical and surgical treatment, by wise educational methods in schoolroom, workshop, on playground, etc., together with the social and moral influences of a cottage home, much can be done to remedy the ill effects of the former environment of evil and to put the delinquent boy in a position to achieve success in life.

So far as we have been able under present conditions we have been cautiously and tentatively working along this line. I believe the time has now come when we should press boldly into this inviting and hopeful field of labor.

The names of those who have conducted religious services on the Sabbath at the State School will be found elsewhere in this report. We again express our obligations to these friends of the school for their helpful words and beg to assure them that they have rendered valuable assistance in the good work of the school. The Roman Catholic boys have continued under the instruction of Mgr. Edward F. Hurley, pastor of St. Dominic's

Church, Portland, to whom I am under obligation for many courtesies.

To our new assistant superintendent, Mr. Percy H. H. Booker, to the cottage masters and matrons, and to all the other officers and employees of the school I am under obligations; for only by their harmonious and loyal support and faithful co-operation can the work of the school be successfully prosecuted.

To the Board of Trustees I again express my thanks for favors received.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN P. WENTWORTH,

Superintendent.

November 30, 1910. •

TEACHERS' REPORT.

To the Trustees of the State School for Boys:

GENTLEMEN:—The following is the report of the schools of this institution for the year ending November 30, 1910:

The number of boys under instruction at the commencement of the year was.....	178
Number of boys returned during the year.....	9
Number of boys committed during the year.....	48
Whole number under instruction.....	235
There have been discharged during the year.....	63

Present number under instruction..... 172

The scholarship of the boys received during the year is shown by the following tables:

READING.

Who could not read.....	3
Who could read in first reader.....	14
“ “ second reader	8
“ “ third reader	10
“ “ fourth reader	6
“ “ fifth reader	7
	48

ARITHMETIC.

Who knew nothing of arithmetic.....	4
Who could write numbers and count to ten.....	1
“ “ add	10
“ “ subtract	1
“ “ multiply	7
“ “ divide	9
“ had ciphered in fractions.....	11
“ “ “ “ interest	4
“ “ “ “ cube root	1

WRITING.

Who could not write	9
“ write very little	12
“ “ letters	27
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	48

The boys in school are classified as follows:

READING.

Who read in the fifth reader.....	33
“ “ fourth reader	52
“ “ third reader	22
“ “ second reader	33
“ “ first reader	23
“ “ primer	9
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	172

ARITHMETIC.

Who cipher in interest or beyond.....	6
“ “ denominate numbers	41
“ “ common fractions	55
“ “ division	42
“ “ multiplication	6
“ “ subtraction	10
“ “ addition	12
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GEOGRAPHY.

Who study Tarbell's Complete Geography.....	34
“ “ Introductory “	94
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HISTORY.

Who study Eggleston's History of the United States....	28
“ “ “ First Book in American History	71
“ “ English History	6.
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	105

WRITING.

Who can write letters	152
“ “ easy words	19
“ not write	1
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	172

PHYSIOLOGY.

Who study physiology	77
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GRAMMAR.

Who study Hyde's Course in English, Book 2.....	19
“ “ “ Book 1.....	109
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	128

The school year begins the first Monday in September and closes the last week in June. This gives the boys two months' vacation, a greater part of which is devoted to play. The schools are divided into primary and grammar grades; the primary grades are in session from 7.30 until 11.30 A. M. and the grammar grades from 1.30 until 5.30 P. M. Saturday afternoon is a half holiday and is devoted to the sports of the season,—baseball and swimming in summer, and skating and hockey in winter. From October 1st to April 1st an extra hour during the evening is devoted to music, letter writing, natural history, drawing and recitations.

Sunday-school instruction is given Sunday morning by the teachers in each cottage. Later the boys assemble in the chapel where the superintendent conducts a general review of the Sunday-school lesson.

All public holidays are observed by appropriate exercises both indoors and out.

BERYL M. JOHNSON,
MATILDA F. UTECHT,
ETHELYN P. MALKSON,
ELIZABETH G. WELLS.

November 30, 1910.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Our Sunday services are conducted by clergymen and laymen from Portland and vicinity. We are greatly indebted to our Christian friends for their unselfish labors in behalf of our boys, and we believe that the good seed they have here sown will in due time bring forth good fruit. The following is a list of our Sunday speakers during the year:

Major John M. Gould, Mr. Harris H. Crandall, Rev. Almon Bisbee, Mr. Ernest Tracker assisted by Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher, Rev. G. R. Stair, Mr. M. C. Hutchinson, Adjutant Williams of the Salvation Army, Rev. A. H. Wright, Adjutant A. R. Pierce of the Salvation Army, Mr. O. W. Fullam, Mr. Fred-eric Brunel, Rev. W. S. Randall, Mr. Ozman Adams, Rev. Hor-ace Turner, Rev. R. H. Schuett, Mr. Horatio Staples, Rev. F. C. Rogers and a male quartette, Mr. Wingate Bragdon, Mr. Gran-ville Staples, Major Cowan of the Salvation Army, Mr. Frank B. Southworth, Rev. Carl M. Gates, Rev. Raymond Calkins, D. D., Mr. F. H. Hiller, Rev. Henry W. Hulbert, Mr. Walter G. Huston, Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon, Mr. Peter Caldwell, Rev. Clifford Snowden, Mgr. Edward F. Hurley.

We are under obligation to the Maine General Hospital, the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, and the Children's Hospital, of Portland, for gratuitous services rendered to boys of the State School in need of special treatment.

DONATIONS.

Four Christmas trees from Mr. Thomas Phinney; 172 post cards from Mrs. Rose Johnson; 1 pailful candy from Major John M. Gould; 1 peck oranges and 1 peck apples from W. L. Wilson & Co.; 1 box candy kisses from Charles E. Mayers, Perley F. Ireland and Leon Gove; 3 books, "Black Beauty," "Strike at Shanes," and "Our Gold Mine at Hollyhurst," from

Mrs. Abbie P. Larrabee, Lewiston, Me.; a year's subscription to "Sabbath Reading," from Lawrence Grey Evans, Chester, N. J.; 1 package of magazines from Mrs. Neil W. R. Straw.

The following papers have been regularly sent to the institution, free of charge:

Daily Eastern Argus, Portland; Zion's Advocate, Portland; Maine State Press, Portland; Coast Watch, Portland; Board of Trade Journal, Portland; Industrial Journal, Bangor, Maine; Eastport Sentinel, Eastport, Maine; Rockland Opinion, Rockland, Maine; Pittsfield Advertiser, Pittsfield, Maine; Oxford Democrat, South Paris, Maine; Kennebec Journal (Weekly); Augusta, Maine; Maine Farmer, Augusta, Maine; Calais Advertiser, Calais, Maine; Independent Reporter, Skowhegan, Maine; Damariscotta Herald, Damariscotta, Maine; Farmington Chronicle, Farmington, Maine; Amateur Sportsman, 20 East 42d St., New York, N. Y.; Turf, Farm and Home, Fairfield, Maine; The Advance, State Home for Boys, Jamesburg, New Jersey; The Advocate, Indiana Boys' School, Plainfield, Indiana; Boys' Industrial School Journal, Boys' Industrial School, Lancaster, Ohio; The Dawn, Connecticut School for Boys, Meriden, Conn.; Glen Mills Daily, House of Refuge, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania; Howard Times, Sockanosset School for Boys, Howard, R. I.; Industrial Enterprise, Industrial School for Boys, Lansing, Michigan; Industrial School Gem, Industrial School, Louisville, Ky.; Industrial School Magazine, State Industrial School for Boys, Golden, Colorado; Lyman School Enterprise, Lyman School for Boys, Westboro, Mass.; Our Companion, House of Refuge, Cincinnati, Ohio; The Pioneer, State Reformatory, Pontiac, Illinois; The Riverside, Training School for Boys and Girls, Red Wing, Minn.; The Onward, Newark City Home, Verona, N. J.; Boys' Chronicle, Boys' Industrial School, Topeka, Kansas; Industrial School Echo, Industrial School for Boys, Eldora, Iowa; Berkshire Industrial Farm Record, Berkshire Industrial Farm, Canaan Four Corners, N. Y.; The West Virginia Reform School News, Reform School for Boys, Grafton, West Virginia.