

Hartland 1908-1909

Maine State Yearbook and Legislative Manual
Annual Report of the Various Public Officers and Businesses for Maine
(Updated October 1, 2023)

Nineteen miles east of Skowhegan on the Sebasticook River. Sebasticook & Moosehead Rail Road (to Main Stream). Settled about 1802. Organized as a Plantation on [October 11, 1819](#). Incorporated as 235th Town on [February 7, 1820](#).

Population: 1850 @ 960 | 1860 @ 1050 | 1870 @ 1120 | 1880 @ 1047 | 1890 @ 974 | 1900 @ 1115

Town Officers:

Postmaster - Edward G. Varney

Selectman - Albert W. Miller, Edward A. Webber, Albion K. Libby

Town Clerk - Carl F. Randlett

Treasurer - Carl F. Randlett

Tax Collector - Carl F. Randlett

Constable - Carl F. Randlett

Road Commissioner - Benjamin F. Davis

School Superintendent - James S. Norton

School Committee - Daniel A. Packard, George M. Lancey, Allen R. Burton

Board of Health - Benjamin F. Davis

Clergyman - Methodist, J. H. Gray | Baptist, H. L. Caulkins

Physicians - Dr. Lynne H. Blanchard, Dr. Charles A. Moulton, Dr. Jennie Fuller

Lawyer - William B. Brown, J. Howard Haley

Notary - William B. Brown, George M. Lancey

Justices - Trial = Albert W. Miller, Edward K. Fuller

Merchants:

George M. Lancey; dry goods & groceries (*Commercial Street*)

Albert W. Miller; apothecaries (*Main Street*)

Ralph C. Hamilton; apothecaries (*Main & Commercial Street*)

Edwin H. Whitcomb; dry goods & millinery (*Commercial Street, former Seekins Block*)

Mrs. Henry L. Smith (*Margaret Brown*); millinery (*Commercial Street*)

Buker Brothers; harnesses

Freeman Daniels; confectioneries, watches & jewelry

Frank Thompson; cattle drover

Randlett Brothers; groceries & feed (*Main Street*)

Thomas G. Lancey; hardware (*dba Hartland Hardware Company, Main Street, Latty Block*)

Andrew H. Buck; stoves & tinware (*Commercial Street*)

Edward K. Fuller; sewing machines

Fred Wyman; fruits & meats

Allen R. Burton; furniture & undertaker (*Old Carding Mill, future Hubbard Avenue*)

Elberton P. Dyer; clothing & men's furnishings (*Commercial Street*)

Ensign F. Hubbard; groceries (*Main Street*)

Myron E. Smith; boots, shoes, meats & groceries

Abraham L. Coston; meats & groceries

Ernest Wright; jeweler

Manufacturers:

Linn Woolen Company; cassimeres & shawls (*Lower Dam, Main Street*)

Walter H. Moor Woodworking Company; wheelbarrows, tables, etc. (*Upper Dam, future Moore Street*)

Daniel Davis, William Small, Scott Blaisdell, D. H. Davis; blacksmiths

A. B. Parkman; machinist & blacksmith

Joseph H. Baker, Cyr Brothers; granite works

Charles F. Waldron, Charles Jordan; painters

Oscar F. Nutting; (carriage) painter

John S. Page; lumber & spool bars (*Pittsfield Avenue*)

Reuel Williams; Charles Lovejoy; carpenters & builders

Fuller & Osborne Manufacturing Company; skirts & wrappers (*Main Street at new Linn Woolen Mill*)

Bert Bowden; stone mason

General:

Barber - Willard D. Burton, Harry Newton Smith

Bank - Waterville Trust Company (*Branch located at G. M. Lancey's*)

American Express - George D. Pennell, Agent (*located at train depot*)

Halls - East Somerset Agricultural Society, Lewis Fish, President | Town Hall Association, George M. Lancey, President

Insurance - George M. Lancey, Elberton P. Dyer

Library - Eunice Linn, Librarian

Livery Stables - E. D. Ames, Edward K. Fuller

Schools - Hartland Academy, W. W. James, Principal

Train Station - Seabcook & Moosehead Railroad, George D. Pennell, Agent

Telegraph - Hartland, St Albans & Pittsfield, George D. Pennell, Agent (*located at train depot*)

Associations - Masons Corinthian No. 95 | I. O. O. F. No. 101 | K. O. T. M. No. 17 | P of H #452 | I. O. F.

Hotels - Park House, Harry L. Williams | Hartland House, (Unreported)

I. O. O. F. = International Order of Odd Fellows

K. O. T. M. = Knights of the Maccabees

P. of H. = Patrons of Husbandry Grange

I. O. F. = Independent Order of Foresters