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1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions and activities. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for transparency and accountability, particularly in financial matters. This section also highlights the need for regular audits and reviews to ensure that all data is up-to-date and correct.

2. The second part of the document focuses on the role of technology in modern business operations. It explores how digital tools and software can streamline processes, reduce errors, and improve overall efficiency. The text mentions various applications, such as cloud storage, project management software, and data analytics, which are becoming increasingly integral to organizational success.

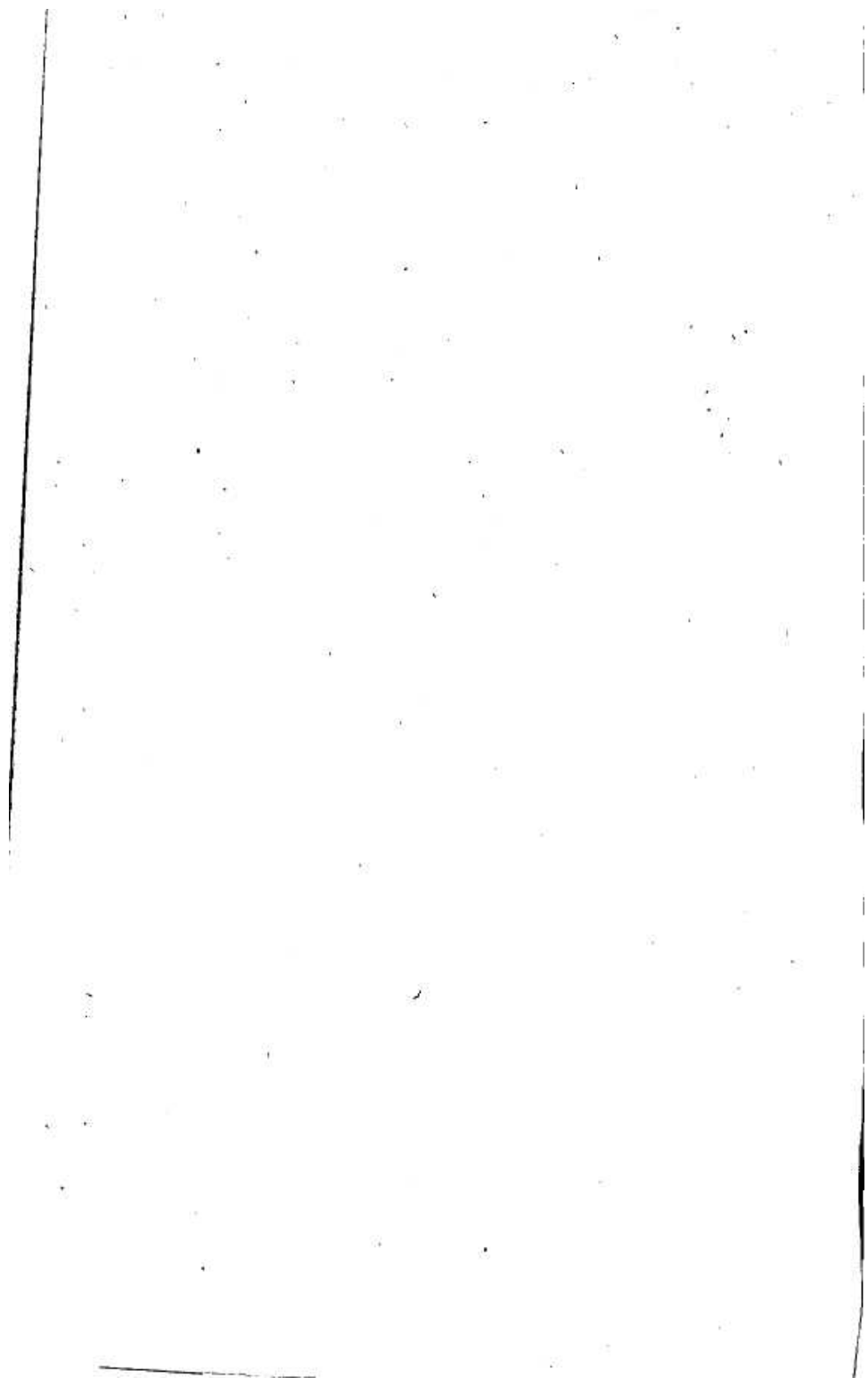
3. The third part of the document addresses the challenges of remote work and virtual teams. It discusses the importance of clear communication, setting expectations, and providing necessary resources to support team members who are working from different locations. The text also touches upon the need for strong cybersecurity measures to protect sensitive information in a distributed work environment.

4. The fourth part of the document discusses the importance of employee development and training. It argues that investing in the growth of your workforce is crucial for long-term success. This section covers topics such as identifying skill gaps, offering professional development opportunities, and creating a culture of continuous learning. It also mentions the benefits of mentorship programs and cross-functional training.

5. The fifth and final part of the document provides a summary of the key points discussed and offers some concluding thoughts. It reiterates the importance of adaptability and innovation in today's fast-paced business landscape. The text encourages leaders to stay informed about industry trends and to be proactive in addressing emerging challenges. It ends with a call to action, urging organizations to embrace change and strive for excellence in all their endeavors.

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**GOVERNMENT OF THE
CITY OF SOUTH PORTLAND, MAINE, 1915-16.**

MAYOR.

CHARLES E. WEST.

ALDERMEN.

Ward No. 1	CHARLES W. HIGGINS.
Ward No. 2	FRED E. ANDERSON.
Ward No. 3	EDMUND W. CONARY.
Ward No. 4	HAROLD F. HIGGINS.
Ward No. 5	ATWOOD T. BRACKETT.
Ward No. 6	FRED W. BRYANT.
Ward No. 7	FRANK H. GILMAN.

Permanent Chairman — CHARLES W. HIGGINS.

COMMITTEES.

Finance and Claims. — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN HIGGINS of Ward 4, and BRYANT.

Public Works — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN HIGGINS of Ward 1, and BRYANT.

Printing. — ALDERMEN GILMAN, HIGGINS of Ward 4, and BRACKETT.

New Streets. — MAYOR WEST, ALDERMEN HIGGINS of Ward 1, and BRACKETT.

Education and Schools. — ALDERMEN ANDERSON, BRACKETT and HIGGINS of Ward 4.

Public Buildings. — ALDERMEN CONARY, HIGGINS of Ward 1, and ANDERSON.

Street Lights. — ALDERMEN HIGGINS of Ward 1, ANDERSON and GILMAN.

Fire. — ALDERMEN BRACKETT, CONARY and GILMAN.

Stated Meeting of Council,
Second Wednesday of each month at 7.30 P. M.

CITY OFFICERS, 1915-16.

Judge of the Municipal Court { EDWARD C. REYNOLDS.*
 { DENNIS A. MEAHER.
City Clerk WOODBURY P. HARRINGTON.
Collector and Treasurer .. GEORGE T. SPEAR.
City Auditor IRVING T. JONES.
Commissioner of Public Works { WILLIAM M. BURGESS.†
 { THERON H. PAYSON.*
 { FRANK C. NUTTER.
City Solicitor EDWARD H. WILSON.
City Physician LEROI S. SYPHERS.
City Electrician CHARLES H. BRIMECOMBE.
Inspector of Buildings.... JAMES E. PAIGE.
Superintendent of Schools { SIMON M. HAMLIN.
Chaplain..... REV. FRANK W. SMITH.
Sealer of Weights and Measures } FAIRFIELD TUTTLE.
Inspector of Plumbing..... JOHN H. DUFFEY.

Assessors of Taxes,
 FREEMAN WILLARD,
 HOWARD P. KNIGHT, CHARLES E. HAYES.

Overseers of the Poor,
 CLARENCE H. DODGE,
 WILLIAM A. COBB, WILLIAM H. SMITH.

Superintendent of City Home,
 ERNEST L. DUROST.

Board of Health,
 DR. LEROI S. SYPHERS,
 WILLIS F. STROUT, SAMUEL SAMUELS.

Board of Registration of Voters,
 JAMES K. TURNER,
 MARCUS A. HANNA, CHARLES A. TILTON.

Representatives to the Legislature,
 LAUREN M. SANBORN, JOSEPH F. CHAPLIN.

Examiner of the Blind,
 LORING S. LOMBARD, M. D.

*Resigned.

†Term expired.

*Superintending School Committee,*HON. CHARLES E. WEST, *Chairman, Ex-Officio.*

		Term expires,	March
Ward 1,	. . .	LAUREN M. SANBORN,	1917
Ward 2,	. . .	HARRY WOOD,	1916
Ward 3,	. . .	DR. FRANK I. BROWN,	1917
Ward 4,	. . .	LEONARD P. SKILLIN,	1917
Ward 5,	. . .	HARLAN B. HIGGINS,	1918
Ward 6,	. . .	IRVING T. JONES,	1916
Ward 7,	. . .	CHARLES A. DAWSON,	1916

Secretary,

SIMON M. HAMLIN.

Truant Officer,

JAMES E. SMITH.

*Sub-Committees of School Board.**Teachers* — Jones, Brown, Skillin.*Salaries* — Dawson, Wood, Higgins.*Supplies* — Higgins, Jones, Wood.*Text Books* — Brown, Sanborn, Skillin.*Repairs* — Wood, Jones, Higgins.*Estimates* — Brown, Dawson, Sanborn.*High School* — Dr. Brown, Chairman.

A separate Report is issued by the School Board.

MAYORS OF SOUTH PORTLAND.

EDWARD C. REYNOLDS.....	1899 - 1900
CHARLES N. TREFETHEN.....	1901 - 1902
GEORGE T. SPEAR.....	1903 - 1904
GEORGE H. WEEKS.....	1905 - 1906 - 1907
FRED G. HAMILTON.....	1908 - 1909
JOHN A. S. DYER.....	1910 - 1911 - 1912 - 1913
CHARLES E. WEST.....	1914 - 1915