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# **ANNUAL REPORT**

**of the Municipal Officers**

**of the Town of**

# **NEWCASTLE**

**For the Year Ending**

**March 5**

**1931**

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Damariscotta, Maine**

# MUNICIPAL OFFICERS 1930

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Moderator  
W. W. DODGE

Town Clerk  
FRANK M. WADE

Deputy Town Clerk  
EMMA H. WADE

Selectmen, Overseers of Poor, and Fish Committee  
F. L. SHERMAN  
R. L. HODGKINS  
J. O. HODGKINS

Treasurer  
R. K. TUKEY

Tax Collector  
F. M. DECKER

Superintendent of Schools  
BLYNNE ALLEN

Superintending School Committee  
C. W. ERSKINE  
MYRA SCHROEDER  
J. N. GLIDDEN

Sealer Weights and Measures  
G. W. SINGER

Health Officer  
A. S. TRASK

## Constables

RAYMOND HOPKINS F. M. DECKER  
HORACE MARSH

## Fire Warden and Building Inspector

GEO. D. OLIVER

## Foreman Fire Company

RAYMOND HOPKINS

## District Fire Wards

JOHN MURPHY C. W. HILTON GEO. P. WILSON  
BERT E. DODGE RAYMOND HOPKINS

## Road Commissioners

GEO P. WILSON C. W. HILTON BERT E. DODGE

## Public Weighers

G. H. MELVILLE RALPH SPRAGUE  
MRS. R. SPRAGUE

## Election Clerks

MRS. ROY WILSON MRS. EDNA WANING

## Ballot Clerks

H. B. MARSH F. M. WADE

## Grand Jurors Oct. Term

JOHN N. GLIDDEN RALPH REED

## Traverse Juror

C. W. HILTON

Auditor

JOHN N. GLIDDEN

Resigned and Selectmen appointed Mrs. Lottie Cushman

Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber

JOSEPH JONES

CLIFTON BERRY

JONATHAN DODGE

B. A. WOODBRIDGE

Truant Officer

C. W. ERSKINE

# ASSESSORS' REPORT

## VALUATION

Real Estate, resident		\$358,065 00
Real Estate, non-resident		207,360 00
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		\$565,425 00
Personal Estate, resident	\$105,753 00	
Personal Estate, non-resident	15,775 00	
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		121,528 00
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Total valuation		\$686,953 00

Valuation of land	\$174,685 00
Valuation of buildings	390,740 00

## LIVE STOCK

Horses and Mules, 142	\$ 7,785 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years old, 1	100 00
Colts, 2 to 3 years old, 1	75 00
Colts, under 2 years old, 2	100 00
Cows, 237	10,525 00
Oxen, 4	400 00
Three year olds, 15	555 00
Two year olds, 52	1,450 00
Sheep, 9	70 00
Poultry, 1685	1,258 00
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Total value	\$22,318 00

## EXEMPT LIVE STOCK AND POULTRY

One year old, 95	\$1,315 00
Sheep, 120	966 00
Swine, 11	110 00
Poultry, 2,418	1,855 00
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Total	\$4,206 00

## OTHER PERSONAL

Money at interest	\$50,500 00
Stock in trade	23,525 00
Shipping	220 00
Small Boats	250 00
Logs	600 00
Lumber	7,500 00
Carriages	75 00
Musical Instruments	4,850 00
Radios	2,735 00
Furniture	6,700 00
Portable Mills	350 00
Other property	1,905 00
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Amount	\$99,210 00
Amount Live Stock and Poultry	22,318 00
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Total Amount Personal Property	\$121,528 00

Inhabitants of Town, 914.

Number of Farms, 101.

## APPROPRIATIONS YEAR 1930

Common Schools	\$5,000 00
Repairs and Insurance School Buildings	500 00
Secondary Schools	3,000 00
Highway Repairs, Common	3,600 00
Highways, Special	500 00
Bridges	800 00
Snow	500 00
Snow State Aid Highways	200 00
Patrol Service State Aid Highway	500 00
Maintenance Third Class and Special	
Resolve Highways	500 00
Plank Sidewalks	200 00
Cement Sidewalks	500 00

Street Lights	750 00
Newcastle Fire Co.	500 00
Newcastle Fire Co., Hose	400 00
Repairing and Tarring Main St.	200 00
Repairing Glidden St.	200 00
Approach to River Glidden St.	200 00
State Aid Highway Cutting Bushes	200 00
Interest	600 00
Support of Poor	700 00
Town Officer's	1,500 00
Richard Wells Post	35 00
Free Library	300 00
State Health Dept.	49 00
Mothers' Aid	200 00
Discount on taxes	400 00
Incidentals	500 00
State Aid Highway Three Town Act	2,665 00

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Town Tax	\$25,199 00
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1930 Appropriations	\$25,199 00
State tax	5,570 29
County tax	1,484 70

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	\$32,253 99
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Overlay	83 84
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Total Assessment	\$32,337 83
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Excise tax	952 74
Supplementary	20 74

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Total	\$33,311 31
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446 polls at \$3,00, \$738.

Rate, 46 mills.



# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

## HIGHWAYS, DIST. NO. 1

Geo. P. Wilson, Comm.

Geo. P. Wilson, Comm., labor	\$266 49
John Reeves, labor	3 00
Gordon Wilson, do.	77 44
Clifton Hunt, do.	3 00
L. Genthner, do.	23 25
W. Perkins, do.	3 00
F. Vinal, do.	27 00
L. Jones, do.	10 50
M. Hatch, do.	7 50
E. Hunt, do.	16 50
F. Smithwick, do.	39 00
A. Gross, do.	38 25
J. McCurda, do.	23 25
S. Kelsey, do.	21 75
G. R. McCurda, do.	7 50
S. Hatch, do.	12 00
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	\$579 43
C. M. Hunt, truck	\$110 50
E. C. Haggett, do.	107 50
A. Smith, do.	30 00
T. E. Gay & Son, do.	67 50
Morris Roscoe, do.	69 75
J. A. Verney, do.	10 00
F. L. Sherman, do.	10 00
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	\$405 25
E. C. Haggett, team	\$ 9 00
Willis Clark, do.	15 00

G. D. Pastorius, do.	3 00
H. Wright, do.	15 00
E. P. Cunningham, do.	38 25
Paul Smithwick, do.	12 00
C. M. Hunt, do.	24 00
Howard Cushman, do.	2 00
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	\$118 25

C. P. Gardiner, gravel	\$ 1 05
S. Bartlett, do.	13 80
R. Waltz, do.	7 05
Mrs. Bryant, do.	29 80
Federal Land Bank, do.	2 25
C. M. Hunt, do.	4 05
E. P. Cunningham, do.	4 20
Joseph Chaput, do.	75
Newcastle Lbr. & Grain Co., lumber and nails	4 07
L. Hall, do.	6 62
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	\$73 64

Appropriation		\$1,200 00
Expended before town meeting		18 00
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		\$1,182 00
Expended by Comm.	\$1,176 57	
Refund acct. error	8 09	
	<hr/>	1,168 48
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		\$13 52

### HIGHWAYS, DIST. NO. 2

C. W. Hilton, Comm.

Fred Campbell, labor	\$82 50
Walter Hasson, do.	12 00

Harold Gross, do.	70 50
M. B. Newell, do.	4 50
Chas. Haskell, do.	1 50
Frank Reay, do.	79 50
Harold Erskine, do.	16 50
Lester Vinal, do.	27 00
C. W. Erskine, do.	4 50
Chas. Reay, do.	3 00
Lester Rice, do.	1 50
Paul Stevens, do.	13 50
H. S. Newell, do.	15 00
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	\$331 50
C. W. Hilton, team	\$39 00
C. W. Hilton, truck	\$365 00
Harold Erskine, do.	180 00
M. S. Tomlinson, do.	60 00
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	\$605 00
D. T. Hopkins, gravel	\$57 90
R. H. Carney, do.	25 05
C. M. Hunt, do.	1 35
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	\$84 30
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	\$138 58
Appropriation	\$1,200 00
Expended	1,198 38
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Unexpended balance	\$1 62

## HIGHWAYS, DIST. NO. 3

B. E. Dodge, Comm.

B. E. Dodge, labor	\$110 43
Fred Potter, do.	34 50

Lester Vinal, do.	83
Roger Sherman, do.	8 00
John Lynch, do.	145 00
Paul Sherman, do.	17 00
Chas. Curtis, do.	13 50
Chas. Boyd, do.	30 99
Herman Kimball, do.	1 50
Everett Schroeder, do.	6 00
Chas. McKenney, do.	4 50
Ford Merry, do.	6 00
Irving Merry, do.	1 50
Wm. Perkins, do.	21 00
Frank Dodge, do.	3 00
Chas. Dodge, do.	3 00

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\$406 75

B. E. Dodge, team	\$239 04
Eldred Cunningham, do.	18 00
Jonathan Dodge, do.	18 00
Edgar Smith, do.	12 00

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\$287 04

J. W. Verney, truck	\$ 35 00
Roger Sherman, do.	80 00
Leo Sidelinger, do.	100 00
Cecil Wright, do.	125 00
Frank Lewis, do.	10 00

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\$350 00

Norman Carney, gravel	\$25 95
Byron Merry, do.	40 65
Ulrich Smyder, do.	9 00
R. E. Noyes, do.	2 70

Nelson Francis, do.	2 55
J. B. Shattuck, plank	3 36
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	\$84 21
Berger Metal Culvert Co., culverts	\$58 32
Expended before Town Meeting	
H. F. Kimball, labor	\$2 00
J. B. Shattuck, do.	1 50
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	\$3 50
Appropriation	\$1,200 00
Expended	1,189 82
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Unexpended balance	\$10 18

SPECIAL SHEEPSCOT TO NO. NEWCASTLE  
ROAD—\$500.00

C. W. Hilton, truck	\$102 50
M. S. Tomlinson, do.	102 50
Harold Erskine, do.	102 50
Lester Vinal, hand	30 75
Harold Gross, do.	30 75
C. W. Erskine, do.	15 00
Frank Reay, do.	3 75
Fred Campbell, do.	30 75
Eben Haggett, do.	30 00
D. T. Hopkins, gravel	50 80
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	\$499 30
Appropriation	\$500 00
Expended	499 30
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Unexpended	\$ 70

## Free Labor on Sheepscot Road

C. W. Hilton, truck	\$10 00
M. S. Tomlinson, do.	10 00
Harold Erskine, do.	10 00
Eben Haggett, do.	10 00
Lester Vinal, hand	3 00
Harold Gross, do.	3 00
C. W. Erskine, do.	3 00
Lester Rice, do.	3 00
B. A. Woodbridge, do.	3 00
Fred Campbell, do.	3 00
Charlie Reay, do.	3 00
John Reay, truck	10 00
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	\$71 00

THIRD CLASS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION—  
SHEEPSCOT

C. W. Hilton, Foreman	\$85 00
Ed Gross, labor	59 50
P. Crummett, do.	52 50
Lester Rice, do.	51 00
E. B. Trask, do.	36 00
Lester Vinal, do.	53 50
Harold Gross, do.	42 00
Chas. Dodge, do.	46 50
Chas. Reay, do.	9 00
Fred Smithwick, do.	42 00
Frank Reay, do.	30 00
Harold Erskine, do.	3 00
Chas. Haskell, do.	3 00
Arthur Trask, shovel opr.	42 00
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	\$555 00
C. W. Hilton, team	\$21 00

C. W. Hilton, truck	\$167 50
Harold Erskine, do.	160 00
M. S. Tomlinson, do.	125 00
J. W. Verney, do.	97 50
Paul Stevens, do.	37 50
Frank Lewis, do.	20 00
C. Hunt, do.	42 50
Eben Haggett, do.	35 00
Fred Sawyer, do.	25 00

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\$710 00

State Highway Comm., gasoline shovel	\$125 00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	\$110 25

N. H. Carney, gravel	\$323 25
Ross Bros., do.	17 25

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\$340 50

Balance from 1929	\$ 7 02
Appropriation	1,873 62

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\$1,880 64

	Expended	
Labor	\$555 00	
Teams	21 00	
Trucks	710 00	
Gasoline shovel	125 00	
Culverts	110 25	
Gravel	340 50	
	<hr/>	1,861 75
Unexpended balance		<hr/> \$18 89

## STATE AID HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

## No. 1 River Road

Howard Wright, Foreman	\$262 60
Fritz Bergquist, labor	183 03
Milford Hatch, do.	146 16
Roy Genthner, do.	135 54
Kenneth Colby, do.	81 66
George Nickerson, do.	18 50
A. Hall, do.	3 00
Calum Tukey, do.	64 27
Everett Schroeder, do.	73 50
Hugh Newell, do.	104 78
Paul Stevens, do.	25 50
Cecil Wright, do.	25 50
Charles Boyd, do.	18 00
John Turner, do.	48 00
Frank Lewis, do.	156 68
John Schroeder, do.	21 00
Amasa Bryant, do.	141 17
Ross Hall, do.	10 50
A. E. Giles, do.	158 50
Wallace Gove, do.	55 50
Robert Carney, do.	46 50
A. Trask, do.	114 00
Joe West, do.	43 67
Adam Grant, do.	4 50
Herbert Lewis, do.	16 67
F. L. Sherman, do.	8 00
Joe Norwood, do.	1 00
Paul Sherman, do.	1 50
Basil Wright, do.	9 00
H. Perkins, do.	12 25
Wilford Litchfield, do.	17 50
Howard Wright, team	79 29
Howard Wright, truck	454 55
Paul Stevens, do.	168 67



Hugh Newell, do.	22 77
Cecil Wright, do.	16 66
Frank Lewis, do.	361 33
Eben Haggett, do.	163 67
Clarence Hunt, do.	109 33
Leo Sidelinger, do.	121 67
John Verney, do.	154 00
Morris Tomlinson, do.	118 00
Harold Erskine, do.	156 00
Clarence Chickering, do.	120 00
Clarence Hilton, do.	126 00
F. L. Sherman, do.	65 00
Bill Kimball, do.	12 00

## No. 2 No. Newcastle

C. W. Hilton, Foreman	\$257 35
Frank Reay, labor	49 50
Harold Gross, do.	115 08
C. Haskell, do.	24 00
E. B. Trask, do.	3 00
Fred Smithwick, do.	113 58
Lester Vinal, do.	38 50
C. W. Erskine, do.	69 12
Charles Dodge, do.	122 00
H. S. Newell, do.	133 76
Paul Stevens, do.	98 76
Harold Erskine, do.	4 75
R. C. Carney, do.	98 95
Walter Hassan, do.	3 00
M. B. Newell, do.	83 16
Cecil Wright, do.	48 66
H. Weeks, do.	28 83
Clarence Gough, do.	15 00
B. R. Dodge, do.	54 63
Clifton Hunt, do.	7 50
Fred Sawyer, do.	65 51

Alton Gross, do.	28 50
Arthur Sargent, do.	21 00
Ed Gross, do.	3 00
C. W. Hilton, team	65 58
C. W. Hilton, truck	488 66
Harold Erskine, do.	440 66
Paul Stevens, do.	115 33
Leo Sidelinger, do.	239 99
Eben Haggett, do.	314 00
J. W. Verney, do.	181 33
C. M. Hunt, do.	145 33
F. L. Sherman, do.	174 00
M. S. Tomlinson, do.	147 33
E. S. Thompson, do.	36 00
S. D. Erskine, do.	12 00

Above items are not accurate as Highway Commission made some changes in the pay rolls.

No. 1 River Road, Howard Wright, Foreman  
Material and Equipment

E. R. Castner, mtl.	\$ 2 60
Chas. E. Starrett, grade stakes	8 00
J. L. Clifford, misc. supplies	30 92
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	83 38
Berger Metal Culvert Co., culverts	186 00
Nelson Francis, gravel	281 25
Chas. Trenholm, do.	534 45
Harold Perkins	12 25
Wilford Litchfield	17 50
Labor	4,187 29
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	\$5,343 64

No. 2 No. Newcastle  
C. W. Hilton, Foreman

New England Metal Culvert

Co., culvert	\$ 158 47	
E. R. Castner, blasting mtl.	64 75	
Beatrice Hilton, board	4 67	
Clarence Hunt, gravel	818 70	
J. B. Ham Co., wire and nails	8 25	
A. W. Young, dynamite	66 00	
E. R. Castner, do.	14 50	
New England Metal Culvert		
Co., culverts	13 20	
Berger Metal Culvert Co., fence	61 02	
C. W. Hilton, fence posts	9 50	
Labor	3,955 35	
	<hr/>	5,174 41

Equipment

Arthur Trask	\$281 56	
Shovel No. 42	969 42	
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Aubert C. Leighton	\$35 50	
Compressor, No. 5	52 39	
Truck No. 121	13 32	
	<hr/>	101 21
Sharpening and delivering drills	\$5 77	
Gerald Guest, expense	5 70	
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Total expenditure		\$11,881 71

STATE AID ROAD ACCOUNT

Appropriated by town, sect. 18	\$ 533 00
Appropriated by town, sect. 21	2,132 00
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	\$2,665 00

Apportioned by State, sect. 20	\$1,066 00	
Apportioned by State, sect. 21	8,528 00	
Balance from 1929	42 06	
		<u>9,636 06</u>
Joint Fund		\$12,301 06
Expended by State	\$11,881 71	
Cost of Road		\$11,881 71
State Apportionment	\$9,636 06	
Available from State		\$9,636 06
Town Account	\$11,881 71	
Appropriated by Town	2,655 00	
Excess of Town Appor- tionment		<u>9,216 71</u>
Unexpended Balance		\$419 35

#### MAINTENANCE RIDGE ROAD

Appropriation		\$132 00
C. W. Hilton, truck	\$80 00	
Fred Campbell, hand	19 50	
Walter Hasson, do.	4 50	
Harold Gross, do.	15 00	
C. W. Hilton, team	6 00	
D. T. Hopkins, gravel	6 50	
		<u>131 50</u>
Unexpended		\$ 50

#### MAINTENANCE STATE AID ROADS

Appropriation		\$368 00
F. L. Sherman, truck	\$ 8 89	
Nelson Francis, gravel	57 30	
Fred Sawyer, labor	10 50	
Paul Stevens, do.	9 00	

Harold Erskine, truck	36 00	
Maurice Newell, labor	9 00	
Clarence Hunt, truck	36 00	
Clarence Hunt, labor	9 00	
Harold Gross, do.	9 00	
Waldo Verney, truck	36 00	
Leo Sidelinger, do.	36 00	
C. W. Hilton, do.	34 50	
F. L. Sherman, do.	3 56	
B. E. Dodge, do.	12 38	
Town of Newcastle, gravel loader	48 00	
Expended	<hr/>	355 13
Unexpended		<hr/> \$12 87

#### MAINTENANCE PATROL

Appropriation		\$500 00
State Highway Edgecomb Line to Damariscotta Line, 4.81 miles, \$60.00 per mile	\$288 60	
Genthner's Cor. to Nobleboro town line, 1.84 miles, \$30.00 per mile	55 20	
Nobleboro town line to end of 1929 construction, 2.02 miles, \$30.00 per mile	60 60	
From Parsons' Corner to end of construction, 1.00 mile, \$30.00	30 00	
50-50 Road Mch.	25 00	
Expended	<hr/>	459 40
Unexpended		<hr/> \$40 60

## SETTLEMENT MAINTENANCE PATROL 1929

Due from State Special Resolve Ridge Road, 1930		\$500 00
Due State, Patrol Maintenance, 1929		416 00
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Received from State Treasurer		\$83 50

REPAIRING AND TARRING MAIN AND GLID-  
DEN STREETS

Appropriation		\$400 00
R. L. Hodgkins	\$ 1 50	
Mexican Petroleum Co., tar	11 00	
S. W. Rines, scarifying	4 00	
R. M. Tibbetts, trucking	75	
Geo. Nickerson, labor	1 50	
B. E. Dodge, labor	6 93	
Geo. P. Wilson, labor	37 25	
Leo Sidelinger, truck	20 00	
Mexican Petroleum Corp., road oil	260 00	
Harry Vinal, labor	1 50	
Charles Chandler, do.	1 50	
Federal Land Bank, gravel	4 00	
F. L. Sherman, labor	3 00	
Paul Sherman, do.	1 50	
R. L. Hodgkins, do.	7 50	
C. M. Hunt, truck	14 75	
F. L. Sherman, truck and labor	5 00	
F. Vinal, labor	3 00	
Roger Sherman, truck	10 00	
Total expended	<hr/>	394 68
Unexpended		<hr/> \$5 32

CUTTING BUSHES AND GRASS STATE AND  
STATE AID ROADS

Appropriation		\$200 00
Fritz Bergquist, labor	\$16 50	
Basil Wright, do.	16 50	
Greenwood McCurda, do.	54 00	
Basil E. Wright, do.	13 50	
Fritz Bergquist, do.	17 83	
Greenwood McCurda, do.	48 00	
Roger Sherman, truck	10 00	
Paul Sherman, labor	3 00	
Merrill Dodge, do.	3 00	
Total expended	182 33	
Unexpended		\$17 67

CULVERT FOR PATROL ROAD

New England Metal Culvert Co.	\$18 04
Refund to Treasurer by J. Reay	18 04

CULVERT MILL ST.

Howard Wright, labor and gravel (Wickstrom's)	\$8 00
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BRIDGES

Appropriation		\$800 00
R. H. Carney, labor Sheepscot Bridge	\$ 7 00	
D. E. Bisbee, lbr. for Iron Bridge	4 94	
Town Damariscotta, $\frac{1}{2}$ cost planking bridge	155 29	
J. B. Preble, labor Sheepscot Bridge	2 66	
B. E. Dodge, labor on bridges	15 35	
Estate of Glen A. Jewett, plank	77 25	

John Reeves, labor Head Gate Bridge	4 50
F. L. Sherman, do.	3 00
R. T. York, do.	6 00
Herbert York, do.	3 00
Ameda Lecour, do.	3 00
J. O. Buzzell, do.	5 55
C. M. Hunt, do.	1 50
L. F. Hall, lumber do.	95 28
J. B. Ham, supplies do.	3 00
F. L. Sherman, trucking plank and labor Mill Brook	3 00
J. O. Hodgkins, labor Sheepscot Bridge	1 00
B. E. Dodge, labor Mill Brook. Bridge	6 00
Geo. P. Wilson, labor Pond Road Bridge	39 32
J. O. Hodgkins, nails Sheepscot Bridge	1 26
C. B. Berry, trucking plank do.	8 00
B. E. Dodge, labor Marsh River Bridge	3 12
J. O. Hodgkins, labor Sheepscot Bridge	1 64
F. L. Sherman, trucking plank and material	6 05
R. H. Carney, labor Sheepscot Bridge	8 50
J. B. Preble, do.	8 92
L. E. Carney, do.	11 00
Waldo Verney, do.	16 67
Estate of Glen Jewett, plank	62 13
B. E. Dodge, labor on Bridge	16 79
L. F. Hall, lumber for Lynch bridge	19 95



B. E. Dodge, labor	8 74	
F. L. Sherman, trucking plank and labor	10 00	
R. E. Carney, labor Sheepscot Bridge	1 17	
Total expended	<u>                    </u>	620 58
		<u>                    </u>
		\$179 42
Credit Town Nobleboro $\frac{1}{4}$ cost Head Gate Bridge		31 21
Rec'd from State $\frac{1}{2}$ cost Head Gate Bridge		62 41
		<u>                    </u>
Unexpended		\$273 04

### CONCRETE SIDEWALKS

Appropriation		\$500 00
Donated by Lincoln Academy		70 00
		<u>                    </u>
		\$570 00
Paid Guy Burnham, Contr.		\$585 00
Less appropriation		570 00
		<u>                    </u>
Overdrawn		\$15 00

### PLANK SIDEWALKS

Appropriation		\$200 00
J. B. Shattuck, plank	\$42 00	
J. S. Francis, labor	39 33	
T. E. Gay & Son, nails	60	
C. F. Anderson, labor	1 34	
Harold Francis, labor	2 00	
J. S. Francis, labor	2 34	
Howard Cushman, trucking	8 00	
	<u>                    </u>	95 61
		<u>                    </u>
Unexpended		\$104 39

## POWER LOADER

Balance due Conant Machine & Steel Co.	\$620 00
Dec. 31 paid Conant Machine & Steel Co.	320 00
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Balance to pay Dec. 1931	\$300 00

## Expenses

F. L. Sherman, express on repairs	\$ 1 73
F. L. Sherman, hauling loader and labor	10 00
Atlantic Motor Co., gas and oil	3 97
E. A. McGray, do.	1 00
F. L. Sherman, do.	2 00
T. S. Hodgkins, do.	8 40
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	\$27 10

## Credit

Highway Commission, State Aid No. 2	\$72 00
Town Newcastle, maintenance	48 00
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	\$120 00

## PLOWING SNOW STATE ROAD

Appropriation	\$200 00
Paid State Snow Removal Winter 1929 & 30	\$102 97
Sidney Rines, labor erecting snow fence	9 68
Bath Garage, truck	2 66
Henry Dodge, labor erecting snow fence and auto	16 36
W. H. Hinman, Inc., plowing snow	50 00
W. H. Hinman, Inc., do.	73 95
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	\$255 62
Appropriation	200 00
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Overdraft	\$55 62

## SNOW BILLS WINTER 1930-31

Fritz Bergquist, labor	\$	83
Fred Cormier, Jr.		2 00
Jacob Francis		2 17
Harry Vinal		2 17
Frank Vinal		2 67
Sam Kelsey		2 00
Wm. Perkins		1 00
Geo. Genthner		2 67
Leo Sidelinger		83
Geo. Hall		2 33
Douglas Elliott		1 50
Alonzo Dodge		83
Wm. Chapman		1 50
Geo. Wilson		5 75
James Hall		1 33
Milford Hatch		1 67
Leo Nickerson		50
Harold Francis		2 33
Reginald Hall		67
Willis Clark		4 50
John Lynch		1 50
Frank Vinal		7 17
C. W. Hilton		68 32
J. S. Francis		3 00
Geo. E. Genthner		3 00
Kenneth G. Colby		1 33
Edward Gross		1 00
C. W. Hilton, labor on snow fence		6 00
F. L. Sherman, freight on snow fence		9 86
F. L. Sherman, trucking snow fence		3 00
F. L. Sherman, cash paid for snow fence		45 00
B. E. Dodge, labor on snow fence		6 25
Walter Hassan, labor		6 33
T. E. Yarborough		18 00
C. W. Hilton		35 33

Harold Erskine	3 00
John H. Hilton	3 00
Amasa Bryant	10 50
Rodney Campbell	10 50
Fred Campbell	10 50
Archer Hassan	6 00
Lester A. Hassan	3 84
Walter Hassan	10 34
C. E. Feyler	5 84
Ormond Pitcher	5 33
Thos. W. Dodge	5 33
R. E. Emerson	2 00
Alton Gross	3 00
Harold Gross	5 00
Thos. E. Yarborough	15 00
C. W. Hassan	10 00
B. E. Dodge	37 89
R. H. Carney	6 33
R. E. Emerson	3 00
C. E. Feyler	3 00
C. W. Hilton	18 00
Harold Erskine	1 50
John Seigars	6 00
C. F. Anderson	1 67
L. H. Vinal	5 10
Frank H. Baird, labor on snow 1931	2 17
Geo. W. Pottle,-do.	3 33
J. H. Verney, do.	9 67
Geo. P. Wilson	17 33
Gordon Wilson	1 67
Milford Hatch	8 50
Frank Linscott	3 83
Jacob Francis	4 13
Sam Kelsey	6 17
Harold Francis	2 50
E. P. Cunningham, horse	2 00

William Chapman	4 13
Wm. Perkins	1 67
Geo. Genthner	1 33
James Hall	3 00
Geo. Hall	83
Frank Vinal	7 67
Harry Vinal	1 00
Fritz Bergquist	1 67
Adelbert Pendleton	1 67
Hubert Lewis	2 33
Alonzo Dodge	1 50
Geo. Wilson	13 67
Frank Linscott	1 67
Sam Kelsey	7 17
Milford Hatch	7 17
Gordon Wilson	8 67
Fritz Bergquist	4 17
Geo. Genthner	3 86
Geo. Hall	33
Wm. Chapman	4 33
Willis Clark, team	12 00
Frank Vinal	5 33
James Hall	2 83
Wm. Perkins	4 17
Harry Vinal	2 67
Elmer Bergquist	1 17
Stanley Hatch	2 83
Herbert Lewis	1 48
R. L. Hodgkins, team	3 37
T. E. Gay & Son, salt	1 00
Lewis West	1 33
J. M. Lewis	1 67
Alonzo Dodge	1 17
Maurice Robinson	1 50
Chas. Chandler	1 50
C. W. Clark	5 67

Edgar Smith	12 00
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Dec. 28	55 00
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Jan. 3	35 00
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Jan. 11	40 00
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Jan. 18	7 50
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Jan. 25	93 50
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Feb. 1	45 75
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Feb. 8	53 50
C. F. Leighton, plowing snow to Feb. 15	165 68
C. F. Leighton, ,plowing snow to Feb. 22	72 00

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Expended	\$1,214 77
Appropriation	500 00

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Overdraft \$714 77

Reimbursement from the State on all roads plowed under State Supervision, will be around \$350.00.

#### POOR AND INSANE

Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	\$ 8 00
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
G. L. Watson, supplies J. Cunningham	6 95
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	26 95
Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	8 00
Robert W. Belknap, Elsa Seigars	30 00
Geo. L. Watson, supplies Frank Vinal	6 99
T. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	23 95
Ida M. Dodge, board Howard Dodge	30 00
Nellie V. Genthner, rent F. Vinal	9 00
Mrs. Lester Rice, service Murray case	5 15
Lester Rice, do.	6 00
Frank Reay, do.	3 00
Chas. Haskell, do.	3 00
J. O. Hodgkins, do.	8 00
Edith M. Hodgkins, do.	6 00
Geo. W. Singer, do.	2 00

R. L. Hopkins, do.	13 90
Neil Parsons, do.	16 00
Robert Belknap, do.	16 00
Beatrice Hilton, do.	3 00
C. W. Hilton, do.	3 00
Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	8 00
Geo. L. Watson, supplies J. Cunningham	5 48
Thos. E. Gay, do.	13 20
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Nellie V. Genthner, rent F. Vinal	9 00
Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	8 00
Alice B. Dodge, do.	8 00
Geo. L. Watson, supplies J. Cunningham	8 10
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	6 86
Nellie V. Genthner, rent F. Vinal	9 00
R. L. Hodgkins, supplies J. Cunningham	3 00
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	13 68
Nellie V. Genthner, rent F. Vinal	9 00
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	36 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	11 23
Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	8 00
Alice B. Dodge, do.	8 00
Neil Parsons, services J. Cunningham	5 00
Nellie V. Genthner, rent F. Vinal	9 00
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	10 62
Robert W. Belknap, services Wood case	3 00
Alice B. Dodge, rent J. Cunningham	8 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	11 15
F. W. Lailer, do.	10 97
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	7 25
Geo. W. Singer, services Wood case	2 00
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00

Annie Jacobs, meals and room two men	2 50
F. M. Lailer, supplies J. Cunningham	7 18
C. M. Clark, wood J. Cunningham	5 50
Neil Parsons, services J. Cunningham	7 00
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies Jos. Cunningham	11 65
Thos. E. Gay & Son, supplies Frank Vinal	7 57
Fred Lailer, supplies J. Cunningham	10 51
Ida Dodge, board H. Dodge	30 00
Neil Parsons, services J. Cunningham	10 50
F. W. Lailer, supplies J. Cunningham	9 63
T. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	12 27
Ida Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Bryant C. Wade, supplies J. Cunningham	5 35
Ida M. Dodge, board H. Dodge	24 00
Alice B. Dodge, rent Joe Cunningham	33 40
W. H. Parsons, service Tom Wood case	10 00
R. L. Hodgkins, do.	3 00
F. L. Sherman, use of auto and exp. Tom Wood case	6 00
T. E. Gay & Son, supplies J. Cunningham	6 02
F. W. Lailer, do.	13 39
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Total expenditure	\$873 93
Refund from J. O. Hodgkins, Guardian, Mrs. Ida Murray	85 05
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	\$788 88
Appropriation	700 00
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Overdraft	\$88 88

## INCIDENTALS

Appropriation	\$500 00
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L. L. Guptill, mailing reports \$ 9 81



Lincoln County News, printing reports	144 57
Lincoln County News, printing stationery	2 93
Newell White, supplies	11 95
C. W. Hilton, watching Hinds fire	9 00
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Selectmen's office	1 00
Leo D. Sidelinger, watching Smith fire	2 00
Donald Towne, watching Smith fire	2 00
Clarence Gough, watching Smith fire	2 00
Newcastle National Bank, Collector's Book	38 50
E. R. Castner, town books	60 08
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Selectmen's office	1 00
Newcastle Garage Co., rent of hall	10 00
Newcastle National Bank, express paid	90
Winslow Ins. Agency, insurance of Adding Mch.	2 00
Clifton Hunt, watching fire Smith lot	2 00
L. L. Guptill, stamps	1 00
F. M. Wade, ballot clerk	3 00
John M. Perkins, watering trough	8 40
Bay Shore Garage, repairs road machine	4 00
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Collector	8 00

F. L. Sherman, cash paid for office supplies	3 30
F. L. Sherman, before State Assessors	4 00
R. L. Hodgkins, do.	2 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, sup- plies for Collector	4 75
R. L. Hopkins, watching July 3	4 00
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Select- men's office	1 00
Newcastle National Bank, box rent	4 00
Bay Shore Garage, repairs . road machine	1 50
Katherine Wilson, election clerk	6 00
Edna Waning, do.	6 00
H. B. Marsh, ballot clerk	6 00
Frank M. Wade, do.	3 00
Newell White, order book	2 50
F. L. Sherman, trip to Booth- bay Harbor	5 00
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Select- men's office	1 00
Lincoln County News, printing Treasurer's notices	90
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Select- men's office	1 00
Wiscasset Job Print, printing for Collector	1 50
L. L. Guptill, stamps for Col- lector	4 00
Robert W. Belknap, reporting births and deaths	2 50
Lincoln County News, printing for Tax Collector	10 00

William McGray, auto hire		
Board Health	1	50
Wickstrom & French, repairs		
town pump	2	30
National Used Car Co., books		
for Tax Collector	6	00
L. L. Guptill, stamps for town	1	00
Newell White, printing for Tax		
Collector	7	00
L. F. Etheridge, watching July		
4	4	00
Neil Parsons, reporting births		
and deaths	2	00
R. K. Tukey, postage and sup-		
plies	2	00
R. K. Tukey, cash for deed	1	50
F. L. Sherman, wood for engine		
house	7	00
F. M. Wade, Adm. Oaths and		
recording vital stat.	31	10
W. H. Parsons, blind and board		
health (service)	14	25
R. L. Hodgkins, exp. and cash		
paid for stamps and sup	4	46
F. L. Sherman, expense bill	15	00
		<u>497 20</u>
Unexpended		<u>\$2 80</u>

## TOWN OFFICERS

Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Blynne Allen, Supt. Schools, salary March	\$	39 50
Blynne Allen, Supt Schools, salary April		39 50
Blynne Allen, Supt. Schools, salary May		39 50
R. K. Tukey, Treas. salary		25 00

Blynne Allen, Supt Schools, salary June	39 50
F. M. Wade, Clerk salary	30 00
F. L. Sherman, Selectman's salary	100 00
F. M. Decker, comm. on taxes	220 10
Blynne Allen, salary July	39 50
Blynne Allen, salary August	39 50
Blynne Allen, salary Sept.	39 50
Blynne Allen, salary Oct.	39 50
Blynne Allen, salary Nov.	39 50
Geo. W. Singer, sealer of weights	10 25
F. M. Wade, salary	20 00
F. M. Wade, recording births and deaths	5 00
Blynne Allen, salary Dec.	39 50
F. L. Sherman, part salary	50 00
R. K. Tukey, do.	30 00
Blynne Allen, salary Jan.	39 50
J. O. Hodgkins, salary	75 00
R. L. Hodgkins, do.	100 00
F. L. Sherman, part salary	50 00
A. S. Trask, Health Officer's expense and service	20 00
F. M. Decker, comm. on taxes	100 00
C. W. Erskine, salary S. S. Comm.	8 00
Myra D. Schroeder, salary and sup. S. S. Comm.	9 00
J. N. Glidden, salary S. S. Comm.	8 00
Blynne Allen, salary to March 1	39 50
R. K. Tukey, bal. salary	45 00
Lottie Cushman, auditor's salary	10 00
F. M. Decker, comm. on taxes	117 81
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Total expended	\$1,507 16
Appropriation	1,500 00
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Overdraft	\$7 16

## RICHARD WELLS POST, AMERICAN LEGION

Appropriation	\$35 00
Paid Adj't	35 00

## FREE LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$300 00
Paid W. W. Dodge	300 00

## STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$49 00
Paid State Health Department	49 00

## MOTHERS' AID

Appropriation	\$200 00
Paid Dept. of Public Welfare	\$245 00
	200 00
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Overdrawn	\$45 00

## NEWCASTLE FIRE COMPANY

Appropriation for Hose	\$400 00
Paid Newcastle Fire Co.	400 00

## MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$500 00
Paid Newcastle Fire Co.	500 00

## DISCOUNT ON TAXES

Discount on taxes	\$542 37
Appropriation	400 00

Overdrawn	<hr/>
	\$142 37

## INTEREST

Appropriation	\$600 00
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## STREET LIGHTS

Paid Central Maine Power Co.	\$762 00
Appropriation	750 00
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Overdrawn	\$12 00

## ABATEMENTS

Maynard Genthner, paid in Portland	\$ 3 00
Edwin Merry, paid in Woodland	3 00
John Stevens, paid in Portland	3 00
Edgar Smith, work on road, vote of town	6 00
Robert Wood, do.	6 00
J. H. Bryant, inability	9 90
Mrs. A. F. Doe, overvaluation	41 17
F. W. Newcomb, S. W. Vet.	48 30
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	\$120 37

## LIST OF JURORS

Paul Francis, R. H. Carney, Wilson Campbell, J. O. Hodgkins, A. D. Stetson, E. K. Hall, F. L. Sherman, Paul Smithwick, R. E. G. Hall, Alden Counce, E. J. Lincoln, Joseph Norwood, Eben Haggett.

BUDGET COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS:  
YEAR 1931

Common Schools	\$5,000 00
Secondary Schools	2,400 00
Repairs	500 00
Common Highways	3,600 00
Plank Sidewalks	100 00
Concrete Sidewalks	500 00
Snow Removal	1,300 00
New Bridges Meadow Brook and Nichols River	6,200 00
Repairs to bridges	700 00

Patrol Service	600 00
Maintenance 3rd Class and Special Resolve	500 00
Three Town Act	2,665 00
Support of Poor	800 00
Engine Company	500 00
Street Lights Newcastle Village	850 00
Street Lights Sheepscot Village	120 00
Tarring Maine and Glidden Streets	350 00
Town Officers	1,500 00
Interest	900 00
Public Library	300 00
American Legion	35 00
White Pine Blister Rust	200 00
Health Nursing	97 00
Discount on Taxes	500 00
Incidentals	500 00
Sinking Fund	1,000 00
Mothers' Aid	600 00

## FISHERIES ACCOUNT

John Reeves, labor repairing stream	\$ 30 00
Herbert York, do.	30 00
Wm. Davis, do.	24 00
Chas. Crooker, do.	30 00
Ruel T. York, do.	30 00
J. D. Heaton, do.	21 00
C. B. Shorey, do.	21 00
Harold McLain, do.	3 00
H. G. Rollins, labor	21 00
Herbert York, do.	12 00
Newell White, order books	3 00
The Linen Thread Co., dip nets	6 75
Charles Crooker, dipping	75 00
Herbert York, dipping and watching	93 00
Frank H. Dodge, dipping	51 00
Austin S. Dodge, do.	51 00

Wm. Davis, bailing in spouts	45 67
Roger Sherman, do.	42 00
Victor Reeves, do.	18 00
G. R. McCurdy, watching Sundays	6 00
J. D. Heaton, watching stream	15 00
A. S. Trask, do.	96 00
W. J. Oliver, net handle	1 00
Lester F. Hall, lumber for repairs to stream	100 50
J. B. Ham Co., nails	10 80
J. N. Glidden, insurance fish house	50 00
Ira H. Waltz, taking down spouts	3 00
John Reeves, do.	3 00
F. L. Sherman, auto hire and cash paid out	7 10
Newcastle Nat'l Bank, note and int.	201 75
S. R. Rankin, Agent Nobleboro	70 00
F. L. Sherman, Agent Newcastle	70 00
R. L. Hodgkins, Accountant	70 00
A. S. Trask, repairing and new sillings fish house	108 50
John Reeves, do.	71 75
W. I. Oliver, labor and material fish house	72 25
Lester Hall, lumber fish house	74 06
I. B. Ham Co., nails	3 60
Newcastle Nat'l Bank, int. on note	52
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Total expenses	\$1,642 25
Newcastle Nat'l Bank, note	50 00
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	\$1,692 25

## Credit

By fish sold at stream	\$670 25
By fish sold to A. E. Nickerson, 722 bbls. at \$1.00	722 00



Rec'd Newcastle Nat'l Bank	250 00	
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Debt Newcastle Nat'l Bank, $\frac{1}{2}$ Nobleboro	\$50 00
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There is a balance due from Mr. A. E. Nickerson for small fish.

As it was necessary to new sill the fish house, and make other repairs it was necessary to hire money to pay the bills.

R. L. HODGKINS, Accountant.

## COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Commitment for 1930		\$32,337 83
Supplementary		20 74
		\$32,358 57
Paid R. K. Tukey, Treas.	\$30,629 65	
Abatements	120 37	
Discounts	542 37	
Tax Deeds	613 12	
Uncollected Taxes	453 06	
		\$32,358 57
Amount collected for Excise Tax		\$1,462 41
Paid R. K. Tukey, Treasurer		1,462 41

### UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1930

S. S. Bartlett	\$ 45 09
Clarence Bragdon	3 00
N. N. Campbell	15 42
Eldred Cunningham	77 75
Raymond Emerson	9 21
John M. Glidden, Jr.	84 90
James F. Hall	7 36
Walter Hassan	7 14
F. J. Hanna	51 07
Charles Johnson	5 07
Morris Roscoe	4 84
John McCurda	3 00
Muscongus Lumber & Grain Co.	111 10
Otis Sprague	3 00
John Seigars	3 69
H. J. Trask	4 15
Sewell C. Waltz	5 99
Everett Trask	4 38
George M. Simmons	2 30

D. P. Haggett, Heirs

4 60

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 \$453 06

### UNCOLLECTED TAX REPORT FOR 1929

 Balance of uncollected taxes for year  
 of 1929

\$355 32

Paid R. K. Tukey, Treasurer

110 32

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 Balance due

\$245 00

Sanford S. Bartlett	\$ 45 24
Clarence Bragdon	5 20
N. N. Campbell	15 76
Raymond Emerson	17 54
Walter Eugley	6 30
John Feeley	5 20
Harold Francis	3 00
Leon Gove	13 56
Alvin Gross	3 00
W. J. Garnache	3 00
Roy R. Hall	13 20
James F. Hall	6 16
Walter Hassan	5 20
W. C. Hassan	7 40
Herbert Lewis	3 00
John McCurda	5 20
Clara Perkins	11 00
John Reay, Jr.	5 20
Maurice Roscoe	5 20
W. Paul Stevens	6 80
Otis Sprague	5 20
Ernest Seigars	3 00
John Seigars	7 40
H. J. Trask	6 96

Everett Trask	5 20	
Thomas Yarbrough	28 08	
Ezra Webber	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$245 00

### UNCOLLECTED TAX REPORT FOR 1928

Balance of uncollected taxes for year of 1928		\$432 02
Paid R. K. Tukey, Treasurer		155 45
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Balance due		\$276 57

Sanford S. Bartlett	\$ 40 10
James Barnes	3 00
N. N. Campbell	29 28
George Cunningham	3 00
Howard Delano	5 25
Charles L. Dodge	4 13
G. F. Eastman	3 00
John Farnsworth	5 25
Alvin Gross	3 00
James Hall	6 30
Harry Hagar	3 00
Walter Hassan	6 38
C. W. Hassan	7 73
Clifton Hassan	5 25
Clifford Hatch	13 50
John McCurda	3 00
Maynard Nason	5 25
Allen Oulton	3 00
J. H. Reay, Jr.	3 50
Charles Reay	7 50
Otis Sprague	5 25
Ernest Seigars	9 30
John Seigars	12 50

H. J. Trask	20 55	
Everett Trask	3 00	
Herman Weeks	2 25	
Thomas Yarbrough	57 90	
Harold Haggett	90	
D. C. Haggett, Heirs	4 50	
	<hr/>	\$276 57

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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Balance from 1930 account	\$141 33
Excise Tax	489 84
	\$ 631 17

Received from State Treasurer:

State School Fund	\$2,386 39	
State School Fund	103 28	
Third Class Road	1,861 75	
Special Resolve	416 50	
Bank Stock Tax	803 24	
Soldiers' Pensions	96 00	
Highway Department	83 50	
Public Library	30 00	
Loader	72 00	
Motor Transportation & Equipment	62 41	
Railroad & Telegraph Tax	71 68	
Porcupine Bounties	2 75	
Public Utilities Commission	1 00	
	5,990 50	
Newcastle National Bank, loan replacing balance School account		2,150 00
Newcastle National Bank, Temporary Loans		5,000 00
S. R. Rankin, Accountant, bal. Fish Acct. 1929		19 54
C. W. Hilton, Refund Third Class Road		11 25
R. L. Hodgkins, Refund on Culvert		18 04
J. O. Hodgkins, Guardian, Comital ex- penses Ida C. Murray		85 05
George P. Wilson, Refund		8 09
Town of Alna, Tuition		10 50
Lincoln Academy, Concrete Walk		70 00

Town of Nobleboro, Head Gate Bridge	31	21
F. M. Wade, Clerk, Dog Tax	87	00
R. L. Hodgkins, Dog Tax	36	00
Mrs. H. J. Hoelstead, Tax Deed	168	55
Enoch Dodge, Heirs, Tax Deed	98	83
John Dserve: Wm. Thurston heirs, Tax Deed	11	41
N. N. Campbell, Tax Deed	175	75
F. H. Mosher, Tax Deed	74	90
Frank Potter, Tax Deed	73	63
Abbie B. Connor, Estate, Tax Deed	41	58
H. G. Rollins, Tax Deed	10	51
Sewell P. Waltz, Tax Deed	34	35
Sanford S. Bartlett, Tax Deed	188	15
Wm. H. Decker: Geo. Hassan Tax Deed	7	30
Raymond Hall: Orlando Hall Tax Deeds	178	34
Ira H. Waltz, Tax Deed	39	62
Waldoboro Loan & Building Ass'n: Hagar Tax Deeds	81	44
James F. Hall, Tax Deeds	83	12
A. W. Kennedy, Jos. Curtis heirs, Tax Deed	7	42
Charles Chandler, 1929 Tax	3	00
Carl Feltis, 1929 Tax	3	00
Robert Campbell, 1929 Tax	3	00
George D. Oliver, land rent	10	00
Town of Newcastle, removal of snow	102	97
Town of Newcastle, account of loader	48	00
Frank M. Decker, Collector, Excise Tax	1,462	41
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1928 Tax	155	45
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1929 Tax	110	32
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1930 Tax	31,292	39
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		\$48,613 79
State Tax	\$ 5,570	29
County Tax	1,484	70
State Treasurer:		
Improved State Road	2,665	00

Highway Department	459 40	
Patrol—1929	416 50	
Removal of snow	102 97	
Dog Tax	123 00	
Newcastle National Bank, Temporary loan	5,000 00	
Newcastle National Bank, Interest on School Note	107 50	
Newcastle National Bank, Interest on Marsh River note	50 00	
Newcastle National Bank, Interest Fire Engine note	286 88	
Newcastle National Bank, Interest Temporary Loans	108 34	
Louisa J. Lovell, State Pen- sions	96 00	
W. W. Dodge, Treasurer Ski- dompha Library	30 00	
Huston Fund, Interest	25 00	
Amount shown in 1930 report as received for acct. Lester Rice, no aid given	23 32	
Walter Hassan, Porcupine Bounty	2 25	
Nathaniel, Wade, do.	25	
Edward J. Lincoln, do.	25	
George E. Genthner, do.	50	
Newcastle National Bank, School Account Loan	2,150 00	
Newcastle National Bank, Int. School Acct. Loan	46 88	
Orders paid	27,033 77	
Balance	2,830 99	
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## RESOURCES

Balance	\$2,830 99
Tax Deeds	1,172 90
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1928 Tax	276 57
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1929 Tax	245 00
Frank M. Decker, Collector, 1930 Tax	453 06
State of Maine, Porcupine Bounties	2 50
Indebtedness of Town Feb. 28th, 1931	2,548 48
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	\$7,529 50

## LIABILITIES

Fire Truck Note	\$5,500 00	
Marsh River Bridge Note	1,000 00	
Albert Huston Fund	1,000 00	
Town Orders outstanding:		
No. 468	\$10 00	
578	10 00	
613	9 50	
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		\$7,529 50

## TAX DEEDS IN DETAIL

Lincoln Hall, heirs, 1924	\$ 31 57
Lincoln Hall, heirs, 1926	36 97
Charles W. Hassan, 1928	19 67
John McCurda, 1928	3 92
Ernest Seigars, 1928	26 42
Lincoln Hall, heirs, 1929	37 55
W. B. Erskine, 1929	146 23
E. R. Noyes, 1929	74 95
W. C. Hassan, 1929	18 95
Walter Hassan, 1929	12 35
E. B. Weeks, 1929	11 15
Thomas Yarborough, 1929	38 75
Clarence Bragdon, 1929	36 55

D. P. Haggett, heirs, 1929	6 75
H. J. Trask, 1929	14 55
Mary Chase, ,1929	15 55
John M. McCurda, 1929	3 55
Ralph Bryant, 1929	24 35
Clarence Bragdon, 1930	38 20
Sewall C. Waltz, 1930	35 90
Lincoln Hall, heirs, 1930	39 20
E. B. Weeks, 1930	11 60
United Fuel & Motor Corp., 1930	11 60
E. R. Noyes, 1930	66 80
W. B. Erskine, 1930	152 82
Mary Chase, 1930	16 20
Ralph Bryant, 1930	25 40
N. N. Campbell, 1930	47 40
Henry J. Trask, 1930	15 20
John McCurda, 1930	8 30
Walter Hassan, 1930	12 90
James F. Hall, 1930	42 80
Sanford S. Bartlett, 1930	88 80
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	\$1,172 90

Acting under advice and authority from the Selectmen the following Tax Deeds have been dropped from list as worthless and uncollectable:

Baker Hawes, 1912	\$5 94
Sarah Trask, heirs, 1914	7 47
Sarah Trask, heirs, 1915	6 50
Chas. W. Clifford, 1919	4 12
Addison Trask, 1919	5 77
Addison Trask, 1921	8 75
Addison Trask, 1922	6 56
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	\$45 11

Tax Deed of Charles Rand, 1927, \$22.36, paid to Frank M. Decker, Collector, and included in item "A. B. Gilpatrick, Collector, 1927 tax" in 1929 report.

Tax Deed of Frank Jacobs, \$69.02, has been dropped by authority of Selectmen.

### CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

	Principal	Interest
Willard & Rebecca Averill	\$100 00	\$ 4 04
Farnsworth	25 00	1 00
Wiseman	25 00	1 00
Jothan D. Clifford	150 00	6 06
Mary E. Bray	25 00	1 00
George Mahoney	100 00	4 04
Clara O. Achorn	500 00	20 20
David S. Preble	100 00	4 04
George A. Wilson	100 00	4 04
Laura A. Kennedy	200 00	8 08
Lavinia S. Murray	150 00	6 85
Susan Donnell	100 00	6 00
Amos Flye	100 00	4 04
Joseph P. Paine	131 00	5 28
Ella A. Leighton	360 60	14 54
Annie S. Flye	1,000 00	40 40
Isaac M. Jackson	1,000 00	40 40
Isaac Dodge	450 00	18 18
Robert Kennedy	100 00	4 04
F. L. Carney	100 00	4 04
Whitehouse	100 00	4 04
		\$201 31

Interest as indicated has been paid to the Trustees of the Cemetery Trust Funds.

ROBERT K. TUKEY, Treasurer.

NEWCASTLE CEMETERY TRUSTEES' REPORT  
1930

Fund	Int. Rec'd	Expended
Willard and Rebecca Averill	\$ 4 04	\$ 2 00
Farnsworth	1 00	1 00
Wiseman	1 00	1 00
Jothan D. Clifford	6 06	4 00
Mary E. Bray	1 00	1 00
George Mahoney	4 04	2 00
Clara O. Achorn	20 20	20 00
David S. Preble	4 04	2 00
George A. Wilson	4 04	3 00
Laura A. Kennedy	8 08	6 00
Lavinia Murray	6 85	6 00
Susan Donnell	6 00	4 00
Amos Flye	4 04	2 00
Joseph P. Paine	5 28	5 00
Ella A. Leighton	14 54	10 00
Annie S. Flye	40 40	70 54
Isaac M. Jackson	40 40	40 00
Isaac Dodge	18 18	6 00
Robert Kennedy	4 04	3 00
F. L. Carney	4 04	4 00
Whitehouse	4 04	4 00
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	\$201 31	\$196 54

Cash Received

Bal. in checking acct. March 6, 1930	\$278 55
Income on funds from Town Treasurer	201 31
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Total	\$479 86

Cash Paid Out

To Sheepscot Cemetery Corp.	\$176 54
... F. I. Carney	4 00

C. F. Dodge	12 00	
W. E. Nash	4 00	
Total expended	<u>                    </u>	196 54
		<u>                    </u>
Cash in checking acct. March 3, 1931		\$283 32
Bal. Checking Account		\$283 32
Savings Account		650 49
Bal. Interest Account	\$186 66	
Int. Savings Acct. 1930	33 80	
	<u>                    </u>	\$220 46

L. E. CARNEY,  
W. L. SHATTUCK,  
C. F. DODGE,  
Trustees Cemetery Funds.

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#### AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, and Cemetery Funds of the Town of Newcastle, for the year ending March 5, 1931, and find the same correct and supported by proper vouchers.

LOTTIE H. CUSHMAN, Auditor.

## NEWCASTLE FIRE COMPANY

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During the past year the company has answered to ten fires.

This report necessarily is incomplete as the company year does not end until April.

Apr.	13	Harry Vinal	\$ 25 00
	8	Trask Fire	8 00
		Michel Hines Fire	7 00
May	1	Vinal Farm Fire	9 00
		Maine Central Fire	8 00
		Pay roll for March	4 75
	2	Boston Woven Hose Co.	392 00
	12	Ralph Sprague	5 00
		R. M. Tibbetts	60
		E. R. Castner	3 25
June	5	Pay roll	5 25
		Newcastle Garage	3 19
		Frank Lewis Fire	11 50
		Boston Farm Fire	3 50
		Lewis Little Fire	4 50
July	5	Pay roll	2 75
		Harry Vinal	25 00
		J. L. Clifford	14
		Newcastle Garage	75
		Truck Fire, Lailer Corner	6 00
Aug.	7	Pay roll	3 75
		Geo. Oliver	1 25
		Central Maine	5 00
		Damariscotta Water Co.	12 00
		E. R. Castner	50
		Arthur Tucker, for painting engine house	130 00
		J. N. Glidden, insurance	36 25
Sept.	5	Pay roll	3 00

		Wickstrom & French	10 25
		A. H. Blanchard	10 19
		Geo. Oliver	2 00
Oct.	9	Harry Vinal	25 00
		Pay roll	4 00
Nov.	6	T. E. Gay & Son, coal	33 00
Dec.	3	Pay roll	3 25
		Damariscotta Water Co.	6 00
		E. R. Castner	1 05
		T. E. Gay & Son	17
Jan.	1	Pay roll	2 50
		Harry Vinal	25 00
		Harry Vinal, glass	10
		Poland's Drug Store	75
		H. P. Sidelinger, watching fire	1 50
		T. E. Gay & Son, coal	33 00
Feb.	3	F. J. Cormier Fire	6 50
		Pay roll	4 50
Mar.	2	Pay roll	3 25
		W. O'Brien	2 24
		Damariscotta Water Co.	6 00
		Wickstrom & French for labor	5 50
		Hall's Garage	1 00
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			\$903 68

## Credits

		Balance on 1929	\$ 66 01
May.	12	Received	500 00
Aug.	7	Received	200 00
Dec.	4	Received	100 00
Feb.	28	Received	100 00
Mar.	5	Overdrawn	50
Unexpended			\$92 83

# SCHOOL REPORT

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## COMMON SCHOOLS

From Town (Appropriation 1930)	\$5,000 00
Received for tuition, town of Alna	10 50
From State, credit Common schools	2,386 39
State, Special Adjustment Fund	103 28
Balance (1930) brought forward	764 56
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Available	\$8,264 73

### Expenditures

Teachers' wages	\$4,653 60
Fuel	529 00
Janitor service	466 52
Conveyance of pupils	1,083 95
Text Books and Supplies	363 64
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Total expended	\$7,096 71
Balance on hand	1,168 02
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	\$8,264 73

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Balance (1930) brought forward	1,492 26
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Total available	\$4,492 26

### Expenditures

Tuition Lincoln Academy	\$3,370 78
Balance	1,121 48
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	\$4,492 26



## REPAIRS

Appropriation	\$500 00
Balance (1930) brought forward	121 40
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	\$621 40

## Expenditures

Paid for equipment, repairs and insurance	\$598 78	
Balance on hand	22 62	
	<hr/>	\$621 40

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

Common Schools, Text Books and Supplies	\$5,000 00
Repairs, Equipment, and Insurance	500 00
Tuition Lincoln Academy	2,400 00

MYRA D. SCHROEDER,  
C. WINTER ERSKINE,  
JOHN GLIDDEN,  
Superintending School Committee.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the Town of Newcastle:

The annual school report is hereby respectfully submitted:

At the end of the school year closing in June 1930, a contract renewal offer was mailed to every Newcastle teacher by authority of your school committee. All but three of our teachers accepted this offer to return for the present year. Of the the three who rejected the offer, one withdrew because of increasd salary demands, and the other two accepted positions more conveniently located near their homes. Sixty percent of

our teachers are now normal school graduates. Compared with our teaching staff of 1925 when we did not have a single normal trained teacher this would seem to indicate favorable progress. Of our teachers who are not normal school graduates all have had considerable normal training supplemented by years of successful experience.

Although two schools have recently been consolidated with our village school, practically fifty percent of our pupils attend one-teacher rural schools where all the grades are taught. As one of our own citizens has so aptly stated, it is true that the rural school of mixed grades should be taught by the best teacher available. Because of the location of many of our rural schools, the number and age of the pupils, the condition of the roads during the winter months, many of these schools must of necessity be maintained. It is a duty and an opportunity to improve the service offered in these strictly rural school districts as rapidly as our budget will permit.

Our State Commissioner of Education has best outlined the conditions in a recent statement: "There are in Maine, and always will be, many communities where conveyance is impracticable and where consolidation cannot be brought about. There are natural barriers which cannot be overcome. There will inevitably always be a large number of one-room school buildings in the rural sections of our State. It is our purpose, however, to in every way possible afford to the children of any small community equal opportunities with the children of larger communities."

The teaching force for the term ending December 1930 was as follows:

Teacher	School	Grades	Enrolment
Annie Pitcher,	South Newcastle	1-8	6
Lurie Kelley,	Edison	1-8	19

Eleanor Mahan, Sheepscot	1-8	10
Eleanor Rogers, North Newcastle	1-8	23
Laura Dowling, Pond Road	1-8	15
Evelyn White, Newcastle Primary	1-4	34
Forrest Smallidge, Newcastle Grammar	5-8	41

## SAFETY AND HEALTH

In addition to the usual text book instruction concerning safety Loose-Leaf Lessons in Safety and posters have been supplied to teachers of all of our larger schools by the Maine Automobile Association. This material was prepared by experts and is furnished on request to schools without cost. It is part of the safety campaign that the association is sponsoring.

When any contagious or infectious disease is known to be present in a community teachers are required by rule 14 of the State Department of Health to exclude from the school room any pupil who has been exposed to any such disease. The State Department of Health and medical authorities, in general, urge that all pupils should be excluded from school who have colds, coughs, sore throat, or similar symptoms of disease when any contagious or infectious disease is present in the community. In fact, according to the health regulations teachers must exclude such children until they secure a certificate. This requirement cannot be emphasized too frequently as cooperation on the part of the parent and the teacher offers the most satisfactory plan to prevent the spread of such diseases. As has been the practice in previous years, whenever these difficulties develop we always plan to follow the direction of the local physicians and the health officials. The school committee always follows

the directions of the health department as to the closing of the schools in case of epidemic.

The State Nurse made the annual examination of our school pupils during the winter term of the present year. A new and important feature of this examination was the use of the Audiometer, for testing the hearing. By this method accurate test of the hearing can be made. In case of unsuspected hearing deficiency both the parent and the teachers can best deal with the child who is thus handicapped. In addition to the regular inspection of the pupils the nurse made many home visits as a part of the follow up work. To encourage this Public Welfare work it would seem that the town made the best possible investment in appropriating funds for health inspection.

Home visits were made in all cases where the children needed special attention by the family physician. The state nurse referred to the fact that the examination indicated that the children generally speaking "were unusually well cared for."

#### PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The village Parent-Teacher Association has taken a very active interest to promote the welfare of the village schools. In addition to the project to pay for music supervision and music books the association has equipped the school grounds with an excellent selection of play equipment, paid in part for the school radio (the school club contributed the remainder of this cost) and appropriated funds for a large share of the prizes for the annual Field Day last June. The parents in all of our school communities have indicated a very commendable interest in the schools.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

A tabulation of the salary paid to each of our teachers follows:

*Richard Starkey	\$338 00
*Forrest Smallidge	455 40
*Stella Willard	247 00
*Evelyn White	416 00
Annie Pitcher	518 20
Laura Dowling	648 00
*Eleanor Sproul	234 00
*Eleanor Rogers	414 00
Eleanor Mahan	599 00
Lurie Glidden Kelley	700 00
*Mrs. Mildred McLain	84 00
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Total	\$4,653 60

\* Indicates that the teachers were employed for part of the year.

## STATE SCHOOL FUND

An announcement has been received from the State Department of Education that there will undoubtedly be a reduction of about \$150.00 in the State School Fund next year. It seems that this reduction will be made necessary because of deductions from the state fund for special appropriations for academies and teachers' pensions. This reduction will apply to all towns of the state.

This year we received the general State Fund of \$2,386.39 and a special adjustment fund of \$103.28 in addition, or a total of \$2,489.67.

Next year our State Fund will probably be reduced to about \$2,200.00 at the most, as we seldom have a special adjustment fund.

## MUSIC SUPERVISION

For several years there has been considerable interest to have music supervision in our village school. Through the efforts of the local Woman's Club and the village Parent-Teacher Association, a music supervisor has been employed to assist the teachers in the village school. This service has been maintained without cost to the town as the expense has been met by local organizations and the parents. By this arrangement the expense has been less than \$100.00 for the fiscal year. Apparently this plan has been generally satisfactory.

## EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

Our State Commissioner of Education has made preliminary plans to reduce retardation of pupils who are not well adjusted to our established courses and methods. The Department is encouraging "a joint effort to study and discover a reasonable solution and thus reduce this excessive financial burden to a minimum and, in addition, save inestimable time and energy for the individual concerned." The "failure," or the boy or girl who does not quite "fit" into the scheme of things, as our schools have been organized has often demonstrated his ability to win unusual success in the world of affairs. The newer text books make allowance for this ever present variation in the ability levels of the children and provide special material to challenge the "brightest" pupils; and in like manner provide sections of minimum essentials for the "dull" pupils of the same class. When possible manual training or other special courses often bring out the best in certain types of pupils. It would seem that the least we can do, in any case, is to make proper allowance for adjustment to individual differences that our schools

may better serve "All of the children of all the people."

Success for any community undertaking could not be expected without the support of the people. Aid and assistance has been given to promote the interest of the schools by the parents, officials, and citizens who have no direct personal contact with our school system. Your Municipal Officers have given most helpful cooperation. Members of your school committee have spared no efforts to give every possible assistance. To all I wish to express my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,  
BLYNNE ALLEN,  
Superintendent of Schools.

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

## DEATHS IN NEWCASTLE

1930

			years	mos.	days
Feb.	2	Mira Daley	45		
	25	Lucretia B. Hall	59	7	28
Mar.		E. Louise Deyer	44	10	22
	5	Mary Ann Matilda Hunt Webb	90		5
	12	Albert A. Baldwin	77		
Apr.	28	Baby Bartlett, stillborn			
May	9	Hannah M. Hayes	85	5	3
	25	Edward A. Wright	82	5	14
June	5	Harriet Isabel Phoenix	86		24
Aug.	4	Fred A. Perkins	77	7	4
Sept.	4	Hannah Gough	65		26
	4	John Hall Bryant	57		25
	11	Woodbury A. Smith	74	4	15
		Bertha E. Rines	52	9	
Oct.	2	Annie Flye Dodge	67	1	3
	7	Daniel W. Hopkins	86	9	15
	9	Fannié Emma Trank			1
	12	Maria T. Lincoln	24	1	12
	14	Lena M. Pottle	59	11	29
	27	Henry G. Wright	46	2	19
Nov.	5	Harriet A. Perkins	77	4	
Dec.	3	Anthony W. Sprague	47	2	15
1931					
Jan.	18	Baby Watson, stillborn			
Feb.	10	Norman H. Carney	72	6	
	10	Guy Victor Fairbrother	49		8



## BIRTHS IN NEWCASTLE

1930

- Apr. 10 To Florence L. Baldwin, a daughter.  
 28 To the wife of Sanford S. Bartlett, a daughter.  
 28 To the wife of Tom G. Akeley, a son.  
 May 22 To the wife of Frank D. Merrill, a daughter.  
 June 8 To Annabelle Seavey, a daughter.  
 17 To the wife of Charles Johnson, a son.  
 24 To the wife of Fred W. Potter, a son.  
 July 27 To the wife of Paul W. Stevens, a daughter.  
 29 To the wife of Leon E. Smith, a daughter.  
 Aug. 9 To the wife of Joseph Shattuck, a daughter.  
 11 To the wife of Louis K. West, a daughter.  
 Oct. 8 To the wife of James J. Trank, a daughter.  
 25 To the wife of Ralph Sprague, a daughter.  
 Nov. 10 To the wife of Francis M. Coughlin, a son.  
 Dec. 21 To the wife of Robert G. Campbell, a daughter.

1931

- Jan. 14 To the wife of John W. Verney, a son.  
 18 To the wife of George L. Watson, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES IN NEWCASTLE

1930

- Feb. 23 Howard M. Crooker of Bath and Lillian M. Oliver of Newcastle.  
 Mar. 27 Edward A. Gross, Jr. of Newcastle and Angella H. Clifford of Newcastle.  
 May 17 James W. Chapman of South Bristol and Louise W. Chapman of Bristol.

- 21 Wilder K. Erskine of Damariscotta and  
Nellie E. Berce of Nobleboro.
- June 19 Ralph F. Blake of Damariscotta and Max-  
ine G. Sprague of Newcastle.
- Aug. 7 Burton E. Goudy of South Bristol and  
Grace M. Gale of Newcastle.
- 12 Charles A. Oliver of Waldoboro and Bertha  
H. Perry of Newcastle.
- 26 Edward O'Rourke of Providence, R. I. and  
Winifred E. Wood of Providence, R. I.
- 31 Eugene Collins of Madison and Florence A.  
Moore of Madison.
- Sept. 1 Dr. P. Goodrich Cadieu of Waldoboro and  
Valada Loucie of Waldoboro.
- 3 Percy M. Cunningham of Whitefield and  
Myra S. Newell of Newcastle.
- 13 Sands S. Woodbury of Damariscotta and  
Laurie Campbell of Camden, S. C.
- Oct. 6 Charles H. McElhiney of Newcastle and  
Lucinda C. Smithwick of Damariscotta.
- 18 Wilson F. Campbell of Newcastle and Hazel  
I. Reay of Newcastle.
- Nov. 10 Paul F. Smithwick of Newcastle and  
Marion E. Kennedy of Newcastle.

FRANK M. WADE, Town Clerk.

## WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

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To F. M. DECKER, a Constable of the Town of Newcastle, County of Lincoln, State of Maine:

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Newcastle, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to assemble in Oliver's Hall in said Town on the 23rd day of March A. D. 1931 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

ART. 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2 To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year, and fix compensation.

ART. 3 To act on the report of the Auditor.

ART. 4 To choose Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, and Fish Committee for the ensuing year, and fix their compensation.

ART. 5 To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

ART. 6 To see what method the Town will adopt for the collection of Taxes and fix compensation for same.

ART. 7 To choose a Collector of Taxes for ensuing year.

ART. 8 To choose an Auditor of Accounts for ensuing year.

ART. 9 To choose one member of School Committee for three years.

ART. 10 To choose one member of Cemetery Trustees for three years.

ART. 11 To see if the Town will elect one or three Road Commissioners, or leave with the Selectmen to appoint.

ART. 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5000.00 for common schools, to include text books and supplies, as recommended by the Committee.

ART. 13 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2400.00 for secondary schools as recommended by the Committee.

ART. 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for school repairs for ensuing year, as recommended by Committee.

ART. 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3600.00 for general highway repairs for ensuing year.

ART. 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for repairs of Bridges for ensuing year.

ART. 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6200.00, this being the Town's

apportionment in the reconstruction of Mill Brook and Nichols Bridges, or issue Notes for a term of years, the same to be built under the Bridge act.

ART. 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00 for Snow removal for ensuing year.

ART. 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for patrol service State Aid Highway.

ART. 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for maintenance for 3rd Class and Special Resolve Highway.

ART. 21 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to apply on Ridge Road with Special Resolve of \$500.00 from State.

ART. 22 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$97.00 for School Nursing in the Town, under the auspices of the State Department of Health.

ART. 23 To see if the Town will co-operate with the State in controlling the white pine blister rust in Newcastle and raise \$200.00 for same. The State guarantees to add fifty percent to the amount raised by the Town, the total sum to be spent on eradication work.

ART. 24 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the observance of Memorial Day; the same to be expended by Richard R. Wells Post, American Legion.

ART. 25 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75.00 toward the purchase and maintenance of a Public Float, the money to be expended by the Rotary Club, on petition of H. O. Page and others.

ART. 26 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for Free Library in Damariscotta.

ART. 27 To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 for Free Library, Damariscotta Mills.

ART. 28 To see if the Town will vote to have a Street Light installed on the upper Mills Road, near Lincoln Academy, as petitioned by Robert Clunie, Jr., and twenty-eight others.

ART. 29 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road, known as Happy Valley Road, leading from Water's Hill to Jefferson Town line.

ART. 30 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road known as The Indian Trail, from the residence of Warren S. Hatch to Robinson's Corner junction of old County Road to Sheepscoot, and Road from Robinson's corner to residence of Frank Weeks.

ART. 31 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Road from junction of River Road to former residence of Benjamin Dodge.

ART. 32 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road from junction of Old County road, near the Elwell Lowell residence to junction of road from Sheepscoot to North Newcastle.

ART. 33 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for cutting grass and bushes of State Aid Highways.

ART. 34 To see if the Town will vote Yes or No on raising money necessary to entitle the Town to State Aid, as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

ART. 35 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2665.00 for State Aid Highway construction, under the provisions of Section 22 Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes.

ART. 36 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be expended in placing suitable directional signs at intersections of Highways.

ART. 37 To see if the Town will vote to buy one or more Snow Plows, and raise money for the same, or instruct the Selectmen to hire or contract with one or more responsible parties to keep the roads open for motor traffic for the ensuing year.

ART. 38 To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell or otherwise dispose of the old Taniscot Fire Engine.

ART. 39 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Central Maine Power Co., to provide and maintain ten street lights in the village of Sheepscot for a period of five years, as petition of L. E. Carney and twelve others.

ART. 40 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$120.00 for Street lights in Sheepscot.

ART. 41 To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Selectmen not to enter into any contract for the sale of Alewives, except to the Inhabitants of the Town of Newcastle and Nobleboro, until said contract has been presented to the voters of said town and said Selectmen have been authorized by vote of the Town to make such a contract as petition of Geo. C. Jones eleven others.

ART. 42 To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to lay out a road from Glidden Street, across the northern end of land owned by Grace A. B. Glidden, to the Damariscotta River, to be used for Fire Protection purposes, and raise the sum of \$300.00 in addition to \$200.00 raised in 1930 to build said road, providing suitable arrangements can be made with owner of land.

ART. 43 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used for advertising the natural resources, and attractions of the State of Maine.

ART. 44 To see what action the Town will take in regard to paying Tax Collector for collecting Excise Tax, and raise money for same.

ART. 45 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for Plank Sidewalks for the ensuing year.

ART. 46 To see if the Town will vote to raise and



appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for concrete sidewalks for the ensuing year.

ART. 47 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for support of Poor and Insane for the ensuing year.

ART. 48 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for maintenance of Newcastle Fire Co.

ART. 49 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$850.00 for Street Lights for the ensuing year.

ART. 50 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for tarring Main and Glidden Streets.

ART. 51 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00 for Town Officers for ensuing year.

ART. 52 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for Interest for the ensuing year.

ART. 53 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for discount on Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 54 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Incidentals for the ensuing year.

ART. 55 To see if the Town will vote to raise and

appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 for Sinking Fund for the ensuing year.

ART. 56 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for Mothers' Aid Dept. of Public Welfare.

ART. 57 To see if the Town will vote to instruct the School Committee to maintain the South Newcastle School during the ensuing year, said school having failed to maintain an average attendance of eight pupils for the past year.

ART. 58 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to pay current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

ART. 59 To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Treasurer to sell all Tax Deeds, where the right of redemption has expired, and to execute a Deed of Release in behalf of the Town.

ART. 60 To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

ART. 61 To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands this 5th day of March A. D. 1931.

FRED L. SHERMAN,  
R. L. HODGKINS,  
J. O. HODGKINS,  
Selectmen of Newcastle.

