

1933

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# **ANNUAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

## **Municipal Officers**

**OF THE**

## **Town of Isle au Haut**

**For the Year Ending February 22nd**

# **1933**

**AND TOWN WARRANT**

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# Officers

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## *Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor*

SAMUEL E. RICH      LEWIS C. TURNER      STANLEY DODGE

## *Clerk*

MRS. L. C. TURNER

## *Treasurer*

WALTER F. RICH

## *Collector of Taxes*

GEORGE A. TURNER

## *Superintendent of Schools*

JOHN A. DUNTON

## *Superintending School Committee*

MRS. LEWIS C. TURNER      SAMUEL E. RICH  
STANLEY DODGE

## *Road Commissioner*

LEWIS C. TURNER

## *Constables*

A. L. SMALL      H. B. NEVELLS

## *Sealer of Weights and Measures*

STANLEY DODGE

## *Health Officer*

SAMUEL E. RICH

## *Fire Warden*

H. B. NEVELLS

## *Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber*

G. A. TURNER      A. L. SMALL

## Assessors' Report

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To the citizens of Isle au Haut:

The municipal officers respectfully submit the report of the business of the town for the year 1932.

### VALUATION OF PROPERTY AND NUMBER OF POLLS

APRIL 1st. 1932

Value of real estate, resident	\$20,785 00	
Value of real estate, non-resident	92,184 00	
Total value of real estate		\$ 112,969 00
Value of personal estate, resident	\$ 8,295 00	
Value of personal estate, non-resident	925 00	
Total amount personal estate		\$ 9,220 00
Grand total amount		\$ 122,189 00
Decrease in valuation		\$ 2,100 00
No. of polls 37.		
No. of polls not taxed 2.		
Rate of tax on property .405.		
Rate of tax on polls \$3.00.		

### ASSESSMENT

State tax	\$ 968 74
County tax	294 68
Current expenses	300 00
Common schools, including text books, supplies and high school tuition	1,150 00
Superintendent of schools	180 00
School house repairs	150 00
State aid road	300 00
State aid repair	350 00
Roads and bridges	975 00

Difference in wages, paid by town on State aid construction	50 00	
Road's snow bills	25 00	
Maintenance of town hall, including repairs	100 00	
Mother's aid	84 00	
Public health nurse	10 00	
Overlay	122 33	
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Committed to collector		\$ 5,059 75

S. E. RICH,

L. C. TURNER,

S. E. DODGE,

Assessors of Isle au Haut.

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## Report of Overseers of Poor

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Unexpended, February 20, 1931	\$ 36 57
No orders drawn	

S. E. RICH,

L. C. TURNER,

S. E. DODGE,

Overseers of Poor, Isle au Haut.

# Selectmen's Report

## CURRENT EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$ 300 00
Unexpended, February 20, 1932	464 83
Received from State aid roads, use of truck	303 92
Received from State aid roads, use of tractor	34 50
Excise tax	140 90
Interest on taxes	25 86
A. L. Small, use of truck	1 00
W. F. Rich	2 00
Overlay tax	122 33

\$1,395 34

F. W. Sanborn, town reports	\$ 30 00
Splitdoff Electric Co., magneto for tractor	44 12
Loring, Short & Harmon, town officer's supplies	9 60
Irville Barter, labor on truck, tractor and road machine	39 47
Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	2 86
L. C. Turner, labor and material on truck tractor and road machine	63 30
Maurice Barter, driving truck	2 50
W. H. Glover, oak plank for road machine	5 90
C. M. Conant, parts for road machine	39 80
Howard S. Pierce, tiring road machine wheels	30 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	11 00
Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	7 11
Sears Roebuck & Co., tire for truck	29 70
L. C. Turner, labor on truck	2 80
L. C. Turner, gas for truck and tractor	3 24
L. C. Turner, labor and material for truck	7 50
A. L. Small, ballot clerk, June election	3 00
Wm. S. Rich, ballot clerk, June election	3 00
Crie Hardware Co., steel tape and level	3 40
Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	2 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	8 75
S. E. Rich, assessing taxes	25 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	17 50

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Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	2 00
Maurice Barter, driving tractor	10 50
Maurice Barter, driving truck	17 50
T. E. Boyce, tools for road	16 10
Maurice Barter, driving truck	21 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, selectmen's order book	3 75
Maurice Barter, driving truck	8 75
Maurice Barter, driving truck	17 50
Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	6 61
Webb Bros., battery and spark plugs	5 15
Noyes McDonald, driving tractor	4 00
G. A. Turner, part pay as collector	100 00
L. C. Turner, labor and material on truck	7 50
L. C. Turner, gas and oil, truck, State repair	5 39
S. E. Rich, gas and oil, truck, State road	34 70
T. Warren & Co. tools for road	5 70
S. E. Rich, time and expense, meeting State assessors	10 00
A. L. Small, ballot clerk, Sept. and Nov. elections	6 00
A. L. Small, constable services	5 00
Walter Rich, interest on note	9 00
L. C. Turner, interest on note	26 25
Stanley Dodge, services, scaler of weights and measures	2 50
Mrs. L. C. Turner, town clerk, postage and exp	17 44
L. C. Turner, time and expenses to Rockland after road foreman	10 00
J. K. Barter, gas and oil, truck, State road	2 10
Stanley Dodge, third selectman	10 00
Webb Bros., material, truck, tractor, and roads	14 70
L. C. Turner, second selectman	20 00
Clara Barter, abatement of tax	11 95
Walter F. Rich, treasurer and postage	64 00
S. E. Rich, first selectman	55 00
G. A. Turner, balance pay, collector	56 09
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	\$977 73
Unexpended February 22, 1933	417 61
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\$1,395 34

## ROADS' SNOW BILLS

Appropriation	\$25 00	
Unexpended, Feb. 20, 1932	29 79	
		\$ 54 79
Noyes McDonald	\$ 4 00	
Irville Barter	4 00	
J. K. Barter	1 90	
Unexpended, Feb. 22, 1933	44 89	
		\$ 54 79

## TOWN ROADS

Appropriation	\$ 975 00	
Unexpended February 18, 1932	103 57	
		\$1,078. 57

## Labor:

Merle Bunker	\$225 59	
Noyes McDonald	199 55	
Everett Robinson	156 72	
Maurice Barter	141 85	
Donald Smith	106 42	
Harold Turner	38 20	
Fred Cousins	6 60	
Irville Barter	6 60	
	\$881 53	

## Material:

O. B. and F. P. Weed	\$80 57	
R. L. Conley	13 20	
U. S. and G. Grant	4 50	
S. E. Rich	27 54	
Stanley Dodge	9 76	
L. C. Turner	51 88	
	\$187 45	
Labor and material	\$1,068 98	
Unexpended, Feb. 22, 1933	9 59	

\$1,078 57

## STATE AID ROAD

Appropriation	\$300 00	
Received from State	918 75	
Unexpended, February 20	5 19	
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		\$1,223 94

## Labor:

Merle Bunker	\$173 08
Noyes McDonald	102 20
Everett Robinson	118 50
Donald Smith	92 38
Harold Turner	88 96
Herman Gross	86 22
Ralph Gross	61 60
Maurice Barter	28 95
G. H. Jameson	19 20
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	\$771 09

## Material:

Bicknell Mfg. Co.	\$ 17 43
Cooper & Co.	89 57
Stanley Dodge	8 10
L. C. Turner	4 50
U. S. & G. Grant	12 00
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	\$131 60
Use of tractor	12 00
Use of truck	270 92
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Labor and material	\$1,185 61
Unexpended February 22, 1932	38 33
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\$1,223 94

## STATE AID REPAIR, 1932

Appropriation	\$350 00
Received from State	77 18
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\$427 18

## Labor:

Merle Bunker	\$32 19
Noyes McDonald	40 24
Everett Robinson	48 61
Donald Smith	39 22
Maurice Barter	31 66
Irville Barter	5 83
Harold Turner	7 00
Fred Cousins	3 50

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\$208 25

## Material:

Cooper & Co.	\$20 50
L. C. Turner	13 77
Stanley Dodge	1 38
Use of tractor	22 50
Use of truck •	33 00
Overdrawn, Feb. 22, 1932	7 27

Labor and material	\$306 67
Unexpended February 22, 1933	120 51

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\$427 18

DIFFERENCE IN WAGES PAID BY TOWN ON STATE AID  
ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation	\$ 50 00
Unexpended, Feb. 22, 1932	2 03

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\$ 52 03

## Labor:

Noyes McDonald	\$19 15
Ralph Gross	13 27
Harold Turner	19 22
Donald Smith	17 98
Herman Gross	19 84
Maurice Barter	2 48
Everett Robinson	1 86

Overdrawn Feb. 22, 1933	\$ 41 77
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\$ 93 80      \$ 93 80

## TOWN HALL

## REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$ 100 00	
Unexpended, February 20, 1932	172 37	
Received for use of hall	100 00	
Received from Union church, for wall board	1 75	
	<hr/>	\$ 374 12
E. C. Lufkin, labor on furnace	\$ 3 00	
Sears, Roebuck, water cooler	5 59	
S. E. Rich, gas, and oil and janitor's supplies	12 75	
G. H. Jameson, cutting wood and mowing grass	5 00	
S. E. Rich, janitor services	35 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 61 34
Unexpended, February 22, 1933	312 78	
	<hr/>	\$ 374 12

# School Report

## COMMON SCHOOLS

Appropriation	\$ 1,150 00	
Balance unexpended, February 22, 1932	119 42	
State school fund	350 49	
		\$ 1,619 91

Teachers wages:	
Kathleen Fifield	\$ 612 00
Conveyance:	
Mrs. L. C. Turner	50 00
Board of pupils:	
Mrs. L. C. Turner	25 00
Hattie Bridges	135 00
High school tuition:	
City of Rockland	214 00
City of Portland	100 00
Town of Stonington	40 00
Fuel:	
G. H. Jameson	44 75
Maurice Barter	5 25
R. L. Conley	18 00
J. K. Barter	14
Janitor services and supplies:	
Clara Barter	29 69
G. H. Jameson	15 50
Webb Bros.	3 50
Text Books and Supplies:	
Howard & Brown	1 40
Ginn & Co.	10 01
Town of Stonington	13 14
Ginn & Co.	5 17

	\$1,322 55
Unexpended Feb. 22, 1933	\$ 297 36

\$1,619 91

## SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS

Appropriation	\$150 00
Unexpended, Feb. 20, 1932	43 62

\$193 62

Montgomery Ward Co.	\$ 6 61
E. C. Moran	60 00
G. A. Turner	12 50
G. H. Jameson	2 00
S. E. Rich	1 90
Stonington Fuel & Lumber Co.	1 15
O. B. & F. B. Weed	1 10
Unexpended February 22, 1933	108 36

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\$ 193 62

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation	\$180 00
Unexpended, February 20, 1932	37

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\$180 37

## Paid:

John A. Dunton	\$180 00
Unexpended, February 22, 1932	37

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\$180 37

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation	\$10 00
Paid State Treasurer	\$10 00

## MOTHER'S AID, CLARA BARTER

Appropriation	\$84 00
Paid State Treasurer	\$84 00

## RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES

Due from A. L. Small, collector	\$ 23 99
Due from G. A. Turner, collector, 1928	36 60
1929	101 70
1930	92 13
1931	82 31
1932	142 98
Balance in treasury, Feb. 22, 1933	1,016 21

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Total \$1,495 92

Liabilities, none.

S. E. RICH,  
L. C. TURNER,  
S. E. DODGE,

Selectmen of Isle Au Haut.

## Delinquent Taxpayers

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A. F. Barton, 1917	\$ 52
A. F. Barton, 1918	22 71
A. F. Barton, 1919	76

A. L. SMALL, Collector.

# Collector's Report

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## DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

A. F. Barton, 1928	\$ 36 60
A. F. Barton, 1929	101 70
A. F. Barton, 1930	88 28
James Thomas, Est., 1930	3 85
A. F. Barton, 1931	82 31
A. F. Barton, 1932	58 12
Solomon Hamilton, heirs of, 1932	1 01
James Dyer, 1932	11 10
Elizabeth Barton, 1932	24 30
I. B. Hazelton, 1932	36 45
Willard Gross, heirs of, 1932	12 00

G. A. TURNER, Collector.

# Treasurer's Report

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Dr.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 20, 1932	\$ 760 99
Due from:	
A. L. Small, collector	23 99
G. A. Turner, collector, 1928	36 60
G. A. Turner, collector, 1929	101 70
G. A. Turner, collector, 1930	92 13
G. A. Turner, collector, 1931	104 45
Received from:	
L. C. Turner, note	700 00
W. F. Rich, note	300 00
State, for State road	918 75
State, for highway repair	77 18
State, school fund	350 49
State, dog licenses refund	1 45
Mrs. L. C. Turner, dog licenses	16 00
G. A. Turner, excise tax	140 90
G. A. Turner, interest on taxes	25 86
S. E. Rich, use of hall	100 00
A. L. Small, use of truck	1 00
W. F. Rich, use of truck	2 00
Union church, for material from hall	1 75
Committed to collector	5,059 75

\$ 8,814 99

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Town orders redeemed	\$ 5,039 65
State tax, paid	968 74
County tax, paid	294 68
Dog tax, paid	16 00
Paid L. C. Turner, note	700 00
Paid W. F. Rich, note	300 00

## Due from:

A. L. Small, collector	23 99
G. A. Turner, collector 1928	36 60
G. A. Turner, collector, 1929	101 70
G. A. Turner, collector, 1930	92 13
G. A. Turner, collector, 1931	82 31
G. A. Turner, collector, 1932	142 98
Balance in treasury, Feb. 22, 1933	1,016 21

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\$ 8,814 99

WALTER F. RICH, Treasurer.

# Report of the Superintendent of Schools

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To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Isle au Haut:

I hereby submit my tenth annual report as superintendent of schools for the fiscal year ending February 20, 1933.

The success of pupils going from this school and attending high school is perhaps a better measure of the success of our school than any report I can make. I am gratified to report that I have received the ranks of the four pupils attending Rockland High and that all passed satisfactorily the first half year. I have heard indirectly that this is also the case of the two attending Portland High. I think the fact that these pupils have been able to bridge the gap between a small rural school and a city high school speaks well for the preparation they have received.

Following is a statement I received from the State Department of Health. "As our state nurse visited the Island in November and among other types of work assisted the physician in completing immunization of 12 school children against diphtheria, it was deemed advisable to save the time for school work until spring when there would be better opportunity to secure corrections of defects, and would also be about the right time to have the Schick test to determine if the children had become immune to Diphtheria.

We trust the service has been of sufficient value to the children of your town to warrant a continuance of your support through an appropriation. We are asking your town for an appropriation of \$15.00."

## SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT

	Receipts	
Balance unexpended	\$ 119 42	
Town appropriation	1,150 00	
State school fund	350 49	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,619 91
	Expenses	
Teachers' wages	\$612 00	
Fuel	68 14	
Janitors' service and supplies	46 59	

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Board of pupils	160 00	
High school tuition	354 00	
Conveyance	50 00	
Textbooks and supplies	31 82	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,322 55
Balance unexpended		<hr/> \$ 297 36

## REPAIR ACCOUNT

Balance unexpended	\$ 43 62	
Town appropriation	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 193 62
Expenditures	\$ 85 26	
Balance unexpended	108 36	
	<hr/>	\$193 62

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. DUNTON,

Superintendent of Schools.

# Warrant for Town Meeting

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County of Knox

State of Maine

To A. L. Small, a constable of the town of Isle Au Haut, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Isle Au Haut, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Revere Memorial Hall, in said town, on Monday, March 20, A. D. 1933, at nine 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 town clerk for ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To choose a board of selectmen for ensuing year.
- Art. 4. To choose assessors of taxes.
- Art. 5. To choose overseer of poor.
- Art. 6. To choose a collector of taxes and excise tax and vote his compensation.
- Art. 7. To choose a treasurer and vote his compensation.
- Art. 8. To choose a member of school board for three years.
- Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to elect a road commissioner, one or more, fix his term of office, not to exceed three years, have the selectmen appoint or they themselves, act as commissioners, as provided by Chapter 92 of the Public Laws of 1919, or act on anything relating thereto.
- Art. 10. To choose a sealer of weights and measures.
- Art. 11. To choose two or more constables.
- Art. 12. To choose a fire warden and vote his compensation.
- Art. 13. To choose surveyors of wood and lumber.
- Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for current expenses.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for schools, including text books, supplies and high school tuition.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for schoolhouse repairs.
- Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the Superintendent of Schools salary.
- Art. 18. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of raising and appropriating money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid as provided in Section 19, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 19. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the section of State Aid road, as outlined in the report of the state highway commission in addition to amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above under the provisions of Section 18, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for roads and bridges.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for repairs of State Aid roads.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for road's snow bills.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the maintenance of town hall, including repairs.

Art. 24. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of forty-two dollars to continue Mother's Aid fund to June.

Art. 25. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen dollars towards the support of county public nursing under the State Department of Health, to continue work with mothers and children.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote for the treasurer to hire with the approval of the selectmen, whatever money may be required to defray town expenses for ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote a certain date, on or before which all taxes will be paid. Also decide on a rate of interest for all taxes unpaid after that date, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 28. To act on any other business that may come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising and correcting list of voters, at Revere Memorial Hall, at nine o'clock in forenoon, on date of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Isle au Haut this second day of March, A. D. 1933.

S. E. RICH,

L. C. TURNER,

S. E. DODGE,

Selectmen of Isle au Haut.