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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE

Town of Isle au Haut

FOR THE

Year Ending February 22nd

1934

And Town Warrant

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Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

SAMUEL E. RICH STANLEY E. DODGE RALPH L. CHAPIN

Clerk

MRS. L. C. TURNER

Treasurer

WALTER F. RICH

Collector of Taxes

LLEWELLYN RICH

Superintendent of Schools

JOHN A. DUNTON

Superintending School Committee

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

Road Commissioner

G. H. JAMESON.

Constables

H. B. NEVELLS

ELLIOT SMITH

Scaler of Weights and Measures

STANLEY E. DODGE

Health Officer

SAMUEL E. RICH

Fire Warden

H. P. NEVELLS

Surveyor of Wood, Bark and Lumber

A. L. SMALL

G. A. TURNER

Assessors' Report

The municipal officers respectfully submit the report of the business of the town for the year 1933.

VALUATION OF PROPERTY AND NUMBER OF POLLS, APRIL 1ST, 1933

Value of real estate, resident	\$20,043 00	
Value of real estate, non-resident	93,191 00	
Total real estate		\$113,234 00
Value of personal estate, resident	\$8,170 00	
Value of personal estate, non-resident	925 00	
Total amount personal estate		\$ 9,095 00
Grand total amount		\$122,329 00
Increase in valuation		\$ 140 00
Number of polls, 40.		
Number of polls not taxed, 3.		
Rate of tax on property, .365.		
Rate on polls, \$3.00.		

ASSESSMENT

State tax	\$ 904 29	
County tax	296 74	
Current expenses	225 00	
Common schools, including books, supplies and high school tuition	1,150 00	
Superintendent of schools	180 00	
Schoolhouse repairs	75 00	
State Aid road	300 00	
State Aid repair	250 00	
Road and bridges	1,000 00	
Mothers' Aid	35 00	
Public Health nurse	15 00	
Overlay	154 20	
Committed to collector		\$4,585 23

S. E. RICH,
S. E. DODGE,
R. L. CHAPIN,

Assessors of Isle au Haut.

Report of Overseers of Poor

Unexpended February 22, 1933

\$ 36 57

No orders drawn.

S. E. RICH,
S. E. DODGE,
R. L. Chapin,

Overseers of Poor, Isle au Haut.

Selectmen's Report

CURRENT EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$225 00
Unexpended Feb. 22, 1933	417 61
Received from State Aid roads, use of truck	366 38
Received from State Aid roads, use of tractor	39 84
Excise tax	129 03
Interest on taxes	10 04
Collected for use of truck	29 65
Overlay tax	154 20

\$1,371 75

Loring, Short & Harmon, treasurer, record and supplies	\$ 8 10
F. W. Sanborn, town reports	29 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, town officers' supplies	11 13
Irville Barter, labor on tractor	5 25
Montgomery Ward Co., tools for truck	3 14
J. L. Chapin, carburetor for tractor	10 00
Noyes MacDonald, driving tractor	2 22
Noyes MacDonald, driving tractor	7 04
L. C. Turner, labor on truck and tractor	36 05
Maurice Barter, driving truck	10 50
S. E. Rich, assessing taxes	25 00
F. W. Sanborn, payroll sheets, road commissioner	2 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	7 00
Noyes MacDonald, driving tractor	7 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	15 12
Maurice Barter, driving truck	15 12
Noyes MacDonald, driving tractor	3 50
Irville Barter, labor on truck	10 00

Maurice Barter, driving truck	8 82
Maurice Barter, driving truck	8 82
Maurice Barter, driving truck	12 18
S. E. Rich, gas and oil for truck, state road	31 90
S. E. Rich, tire and tube, brake lining, truck	9 35
S. E. Rich, expense meeting state assessors	5 00
Maurice Barter, driving truck	14 84
Maurice Barter, driving truck	15 12
Maurice Barter, driving truck	2 52
Irville Barter, labor on truck	10 25
Maurice Barter, driving truck	10 08
Chas. H. Turner, timer and battery for truck	1 50
Maurice Barter, driving truck	10 08
S. E. Rich, spring for truck	3 19
W. & L. E. Gurley, seals for weights and measures	2 53
T. E. Boyce, tools for road	12 10
S. E. Rich, gas and oil, truck, state road	31 80
J. K. Barter, gas and oil, truck, state road	8 71
L. C. Turner, labor and material, on snow plow	10 60
L. C. Turner, labor and material, on truck	41 86
J. K. Barter, gas for truck, hauling wood	6 66
S. E. Rich, gas for truck, wood and ice	3 15
H. B. Nevells, ballot clerk	3 00
H. B. Nevells, constable services	5 00
Stanley Dodge, brake lining and battery for truck	2 15
Stanley Dodge, sealer weights and measures	2 50
Mrs. L. C. Turner, town clerk, and postage	12 44
Walter Rich, treasurer, and postage	64 00
L. C. Turner, interest on note	30 00
Llewellyn Rich, collector commission	133 72
G. A. Turner, collector commission	2 11
Stanley Dodge, second selectman	15 00
Ralph Chapin, third selectman	15 00
S. E. Rich, first selectman	55 00

Amount	\$808 15
Unexpended February 22, 1934	563 60
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	\$1,371 75

NEW STATE AID ROAD

Appropriation	\$ 300 00	
Rec'd from State	1,047 67	
Unexpended, Feb. 22, 1933	38 33	
		<u>\$1,386 00</u>
Labor:		
G. H. Jameson	\$255 00	
Noyes MacDonald	127 68	
Irville Barter	141 54	
Steve Bridges	141 54	
Herman Gross	106 26	
Maurice Barter	25 20	
Llewellyn Rich	21 42	
Elliot Smith	13 86	
		<u>\$832 50</u>
Material:		
Cooper & Co.	49 10	
W. F. Wescott Hardware Co.	13 63	
Cooper & Co.	21 86	
Bicknell Mfg. Co.	17 38	
Charles H. Thurner	5 81	
Chas. V. Lord, est.	32 50	
H. B. Nevells	3 00	
G. H. Jameson	3 00	
L. C. Turner	17 45	
		<u>\$163 73</u>
Use of tractor	22 41	
Use of truck	329 03	
		<u>\$1,347 67</u>
Labor and material		38 33
Unexpended Feb. 22, 1934		<u>\$1,386 00</u>

STATE AID REPAIR, 1933

Appropriation	\$250 00	
Received from State	81 60	
Unexpended Feb 22, 1933	120 51	
		<u>\$451 11</u>

Labor:		
G. H. Jameson	\$63 00	
Llewellyn Rich	51 94	
Irville Barter	48 99	
Noyes MacDonald	43 63	
Maurice Barter	33 44	
Elliott Smith	48 01	
Steve Bridges	49 77	
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	\$338 78	
Material:		
S. E. Rich, paint and oil	15 35	
S. E. Rich, gas and oil	10 60	
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Labor and material	\$364 73	
Use of truck	37 35	
Use of tractor	17 43	
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		\$419 51
Uncxpended, Feb. 22, 1934		32 60
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		\$452 11

TOWN ROADS

Appropriation	\$1,000 00	
Unexpended Feb. 22, 1933	9 50	
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		\$1,009 50
Labor:		
G. H. Jameson	\$156 75	
Noyes MacDonald	129 89	
Llewellyn Rich	97 98	
Steve Bridges	103 50	
Irville Barter	104 27	
Maurice Barter	105 04	
Elliot Smith	100 57	
Herman Gross	8 19	
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	\$806 19	
Material:		
L. C. Turner	10 62	
J. K. Barter	27 04	
S. E. Rich	31 75	

O. B. & F. P. Weed	36 74	
Stanley Dodge	3 45	
Willard Collins est.	6 00	
Charles V. Lord estate	6 00	
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Material	\$121 60	
Labor and material	927 79	
Unexpended Feb. 22, 1934	81 71	
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		\$1,009 50

DIFFERENCE IN WAGES PAID BY TOWN ON STATE AID
ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Overdrawn, February 22, 1933		\$41 77
No appropriation.		
Overdrawn, February 22, 1934		\$41 77

ROADS, SNOW BILLS

Unexpended, February 22, 1933		\$ 44 89
G. H. Jameson	\$50 25	
Noyes MacDonald	38 26	
Irville Barter	16 70	
Ralph Gross	8 20	
Maurice Barter	10 60	
Donald Smith	5 40	
Steve Bridges	1 80	
Nevells & Gross	3 20	
J. K. Barter	12 15	
S. E. Rich	12 05	
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	\$158 61	
Overdrawn February 22, 1934		113 72
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		\$ 158 61

TOWN HALL

REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE

Unexpended, February 22, 1933	\$312 78	
Received for use of hall	71 00	
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		\$ 383 78

S. E. Rich, labor on stage	\$ 10 00
Margaret Rich, cleaning hall	3 75
Mineola Rich, cleaning hall	3 75
Sears Roebuck Co., cloth for stage curtains	12 25
John Partridge, labor on stage	10 80
S. E. Rich, labor and material	12 60
George Foster, tuning piano	6 00
R. L. Conley, wood	3 00
O. B. & F. P. Weed, lumber, stage	21 00
Stanley Dodge, freight and errands	2 15
William Robinson, lumber	3 25
S. E. Rich, gasoline and janitor supplies	10 28
S. E. Rich, janitor service	35 00

\$133 83

Unexpended, February 22, 1934

249 95

\$ 383 78

School Report

Appropriation	\$1,150 00	
Unexpended February 22, 1933	297 36	
State school fund	414 97	
		\$1,862 33

Teachers' wages:		
Kathleen Fifield	\$568 00	
Board of pupils	65 00	
High school tuition	304 00	
Fuel:		
G. H. Jameson	28 10	
Maurice Barter	8 55	
Irville Barter	1 40	
R. L. Conley	18 00	
Janitor services and supplies		
Clara Barter	32 50	
G. H. Jameson	11 50	
Textbooks and supplies:		
Silver, Burdette & Co.	5 79	
Howard & Brown	2 05	
Town of Stonington	7 37	
C. H. Turner	45	
	\$1,052 71	
Total cost	\$1,052 71	
Unexpended, February 22, 1934	809 62	

\$1,862 33

SCHOLHOUSE REPAIRS

Appropriation	\$ 75 00	
Unexpended, February 22, 1933	108 36	
		\$ 183 36
No orders drawn.		
Unexpended, February 22, 1934		\$183 36

HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation		\$ 15 00
Paid State Treasurer		\$ 15 00

 SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriation	\$180 00	
Unexpended February 22, 1933	37	
	<hr/>	\$180 37
Paid John A. Dunton	\$150 81	
Unexpended February 22, 1934	29 56	
	<hr/>	\$180 37

MOTHER'S AID, CLARA BARTER

Appropriation	\$ 35 00
Paid State Treasurer	\$ 35 00

RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES

Due from A. L. Small, collector	\$ 23 99	
G. A. Turner, collector, 1928	36 60	
1929	101 70	
1930	92 13	
1931	82 31	
1932	82 42	
Llewellyn Rich, collector, 1933	346 73	
Balance in treasury February 22, 1934	1,257 86	
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Total		\$2,023 73
Liabilities, none.		

S. E. RICH,

S. E. DODGE,

R. L. CHAPIN,

Selectmen of Isle au Haut.

Delinquent Taxpayers

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

\$ 23 99

A. L. SMALL, Collector.

A. F. Barton, 1928	\$ 36 60
1929	101 70
1930	88 28
James Thomas Est., 1930	3 85
A. F. Barton, 1931	82 31
1932	58 12
Elizabeth Barton, 1932	24 30

\$395 16

G. A. TURNER, Collector.

LIST OF UNPAID TAXES FOR 1933

Residents

A. F. Barton	\$55 38
James Dyer	10 30
John Johnson	19 43
Charles Hamilton	4 83
James W. Hamilton	12 13

\$102 07

Non-Residents

Elizabeth Barton	\$ 21 90
Elise Jones	98 55
Heirs of Nathaniel Merchant	21 02
Heirs of M. F. Woodman	31 83
Minnie Hamilton	91
Due on Dr. Rita Parker tax	55 85
Charles L. Bowen	14 60

\$244 66

LLEWELLYN RICH, Collector of Taxes.

Treasurer's Report

	Dr.
Balance in treasury Feb. 20, 1933	\$1,016 21
Due from:	
A. L. Small, collector, 1927	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
Received from:	
L. C. Turner, notes	\$1,000 00
State, for State road	1,047 67
State, for State Road Repair	81 60
State, school fund	414 97
Mrs. L. C. Turner, dog licenses	20 00
State, dog licenses refund	2 52
S. E. Rich, rent of hall	71 00
G. A. Turner, excise tax	9 78
Llewellyn Rich, excise tax	119 25
Llewellyn Rich, interest on taxes	10 04
J. L. Chapin, use of tractor	3 15
Maurice Barter, use of truck	1 50
Elizabeth Rich, use of truck	5 00
S. E. Rich, use of truck	3 00
Mrs. John Turner, use of truck	2 00
Walter Rich, use of truck	15 00
Committed to collector	4,585 23

\$8,887 63

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Town orders redeemed	\$4,642 86
State tax, paid	904 29
County tax, paid	296 74
Dog tax, paid	20 00
Paid L. C. Turner, notes	1,000 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	82 42
Llewellyn Rich, collector, 1933	346 73
Balance in treasury, Feb. 22, 1934	1,257 86

\$8,887 63

\$327.76 of this amount is in a restricted account in the Security Trust Co. The balance of \$930.10 is on hand.

WALTER F. RICH, Treasurer.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

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

I hereby submit my eleventh annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the fiscal year ending February 23, 1934.

The enrollment in the school has decreased until now there are but six pupils attending school. Four of these finish this June. Due to ice conditions I have not been able to meet the committee and make plans for next year.

SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT

Receipts		
Balance unexpended	\$297 36	
Town appropriation	1,150 00	
State school fund	414 97	
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Total		\$1,862 33
Expenses		
Teachers' wages	\$568 00	
Fuel	56 05	
Janitors' service and supplies	44 00	
Board of pupils	65 00	
High school tuition	304 00	
Textbooks and supplies	15 66	
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Total		\$1,052 71
Balance		<hr/> \$809 62

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. DUNTON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Warrant for Town Meeting

County of Knox

State of Maine

To H. B. Nevells, 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 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 19th. 1934 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 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 action the town will take in regard to school for ensuing year.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for schools, including text books, supplies and high school tuition.
- Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for school house repairs.
- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the Superintendent of School salary.
- Art. 19. 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. 20. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the section of State Aid roads, as outlined in the report of the state highway commission in addition to amount 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. 21. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for roads and bridges.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for repairs on State Aid roads.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to buy a truck for road work and raise money for same.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to buy a snow plow, and raise money for same.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for roads' snow bills.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the maintenance of town hall, including repairs and insurance.

Art. 27. 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 and Welfare to continue work with mothers and children.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote for the treasurer to open a checking account in Knox County Trust Co., or act anything relating thereto.

Art. 29. 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 expenses for ensuing year.

Art. 30. 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. 31. 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, the first day of March A. D. 1934.

S. E. RICH,
S. E. DODGE,
R. L. CHAPIN,

Selectmen of Isle au Haut.