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The State of New Hampshire

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

STARK



FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31

1934



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
STATE TAX COMMISSION  
UNIFORM MUNICIPAL REPORT  
FINANCIAL REPORT  
OF THE  
Town of Stark, N. H.  
IN COOS COUNTY

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31

1934

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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ARTHUR R. EMERY  
H. W. STONE  
E. A. SCOTT

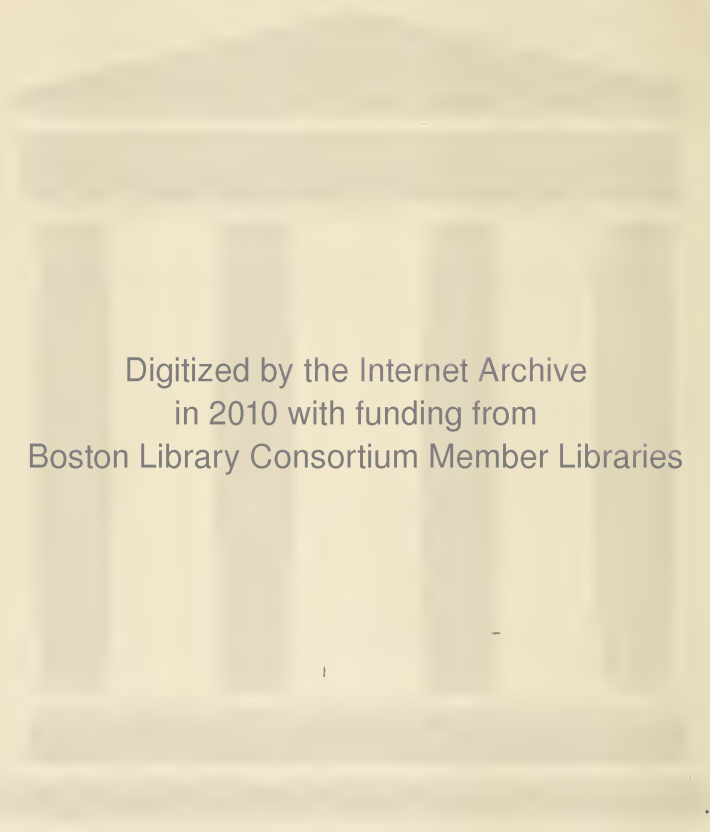
} Selectmen

MAUD E. SANDERSON, Treasurer

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## TOWN WARRANT

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*To the inhabitants of the Town of Stark, in the County of Coos, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Stark on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Town Maintenance, more than the law requires.
4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for State Aid Construction, to be laid out on the Emerson road starting from the Town line.
5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for current expenses.
6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for support of poor.
7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for snow fence.
8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to meet interest charges for the ensuing year.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to retire long term notes of Town indebtedness.

10. To see if the Town will vote for a scale of discounts for the prepayment of taxes on the basis of three (3) percent if paid by June 1, 1934, two (2) percent if paid by July 1, 1934, and one (1) percent if paid by August 1, 1934.

11. To choose by ballot and major vote three library trustees, one to be elected for one year, one for two years, and the remaining member for three years, and to establish their compensation.

12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for library purposes, and to see whether the Town wishes to expend the money so raised by maintaining a library of its own, or to contract for library service with the Town of Northumberland, New Hampshire, in persuance to Chapter 60 of the 1933 Session Laws.

13. To see whether beer or other lawful alcoholic beverages shall be manufactured or sold locally.

14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to renew the Town's emergency note in whole or in part, from time to time as may become necessary during the ensuing year.

15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to incur debts for temporary loans in anticipation of the taxes of the ensuing municipal year and to pay such debts out of the tax money when it is received.

16. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town through tax collector's deeds.

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17. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord nine hundred and thirty-four.

ALBERT EMERY,  
H. W. STONE,  
E. A. SCOTT,

Selectmen of Stark.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALBERT EMERY,  
H. W. STONE,  
E. A. SCOTT,  
Selectmen of Stark.

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### *Valuation*

Resident real estate	\$134,424.00
Non-resident real estate	215,318.00
Whole number horses, 71	4,556.00
Whole number cows, 222	6,048.00
Whole number neat stock, 25	578.00
Whole number sheep, 18	84.00
Whole number mules, 1	50.00
Whole number fowls, 200	200.00
Value boats and launches	300.00
Value of wood and lumber	3,468.00
Value of gasoline pumps	350.00
Value of stock in trade	1,000.00
Value of mills and machinery	3,150.00
Value of electric plants	428.00
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Total valuation	\$369,954.00
Whole number polls, 176	352.00

### *Assessments*

State tax	\$ 1,040.00
County tax	1,539.76
Highway money per statute	924.88
Highway money per vote	2,000.00
State aid construction	712.50
Current expenses	1,000.00
Support of town poor	700.00
Interest on hired money	1,000.00
Payments on principal of Debt	1,000.00
School money per statute and vote	3,800.00
Purchase of snow fence	200.00
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Total assessments	\$13,917.14



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Less revenue and credits	2,400.00
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	\$11,517.14
Less, 176 polls @ \$2.00	352.00
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	\$11,165.14
Plus overlay	192.45
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Property tax	\$11,357.59
Polls	352.00
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Total tax	\$11,709.59
Rate of taxation, \$3.07 on \$100.00. Poll tax \$2.00.	

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Date, January 31, 1934.

ALBERT EMERY,  
H. W. STONE,  
E. A. SCOTT,

Selectmen.

MAUD E. SANDERSON,  
Treasurer.

## BUDGET FOR 1934

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Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year, Feb. 1, 1934 to Jan. 31, 1935, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, Feb. 1, 1933 to Jan. 31, 1934.

### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual 1933	Est. 1934
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1118.73	\$1118.73
Railroad Tax	1906.69	1906.69
Savings Bank Tax	93.30	85.84
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	37.36	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	326.57	230:00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
(a) Poll Taxes	266.00	260.00
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Total Revenues from all Sources except property taxes	\$3748.65	\$3601.26
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	\$11051.76	\$9553.50
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Total Revenues	\$14800.31	\$13154.76

### PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

#### *Current Maintenance Expenses:*

#### General Government:

	Actual 1933	Est. 1934
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 707.25	\$ 750.00
Town Officers' Expenses	323.01	325.00

Exp. Town Hall and Other		
Town Buildings	49.72	50.00
Protection of Persons and Property :		
Police Department	86.85	25.00
Fire Department	51.00	
Health :		
Health Department	5.00	5.00
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.00
Highways and Bridges :		
Town Maintenance	3345.16	3000.00
Gen'l Exp. of Highway Dept.	208.20	200.00
Public Welfare :		
Town Poor	799.66	200.00
Patriotic Purposes :		
Aid to Soldiers and their families	187.30	
Public Service Enterprises :		
Cemeteries	61.50	61.50
Interest :		
On Temporary Loans	152.75	200.00
On Long Term Notes	266.75	400.00
Highways and Bridges :		
<i>Outlay for New Construction</i>		
<i>and Permanent Improvements :</i>		
State Aid Construction—		
Town's Share	712.50	553.50
<i>Indebtedness :</i>		
Payment on Principal of Debt		
Long Term Notes	1000.00	1000.00
<i>Payments to Other Govern-</i>		
<i>mental Divisions :</i>		
State Taxes	1040.00	1040.00
County Taxes	1539.76	1539.76
Payments to School Districts	4261.00	3800.00
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Total Expenditures	\$14800.41	\$13154.76

TOWN OF STARK		BALANCE
	ASSETS	
Cash in hand of treasurer		\$ 938.24
<i>Accounts Due to the Town:</i>		
Due from State:		
Bounties	\$ 17.90	
Abatement	336.03	
	<hr/>	\$ 353.93
Due from County:		
1931 and '32 Acct.		490.10
Taxes bought by Town		982.42
Uncollected Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1933	\$3755.38	
(b) Levy of 1932	79.12	
(c) Levy of 1931	53.10	
(d) Previous years	2.00	
	<hr/>	3889.60
Total Assets		<hr/> \$ 6654.29
Excess of liabilities over assets		5955.47
Grand Total		<hr/> \$12,609.76
Net Debt—Surplus, January 31, 1933		\$8449.94
Net Debt—Surplus, January 31, 1934		5955.37
Decrease of debt, of surplus		<hr/> \$2494.47

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JANUARY 31, 1934

LIABILITIES

*Accounts Owed by the Town:*

Due to County	\$1539.76	
Due to School District:		
(a) Dog licenses	\$ 70.00	
(b) Balance of appro.	2000.00	
	<hr/>	\$3609.76
Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Emergency Note No. 4		9000.00
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Total Liabilities		\$12609.76

## TOWN OF STARK RECEIPTS AND

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*Current Revenue:*

From Local Taxes:	
Property taxes committed to collector, 1933	\$11357.59
Abatement, 1933	25.65
Less uncollected, 1933	3755.38
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Property taxes current year, actually collected	\$7694.21
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 131 at \$2.00, 3 extra polls	266.00
Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected	56.08
Interest	71.88
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Total of above collections	\$ 8088.17
Tax sales redeemed	221.77
From State:	
For Highways and Bridges:	
(a) Emergency Relief Unemployed—Highway maintenance	\$1690.47
(b) For State Aid const.	1334.23
Balance U. R. C. Acct.	.54
Interest and dividend tax	1118.73
Railroad tax	1906.69
Savings bank tax	93.30
Refund Gibson case	73.75
Bounties	43.60
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	\$6261.31
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
Dog licenses	\$ 70.00
Sale of town property	246.96

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## PAYMENTS

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## Current Maintenance Expenses:

*General Government:*

Town officers' salaries	\$ 707.25	
Town officers' expenses	323.01	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	49.72	
	<u>          </u>	\$1079.98

*Protection of Persons and Property:*

Police department, including care of tramps	\$ 86.85	
Fire department	51.00	
Bounties	17.90	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 155.75

*Health:*

Health department	\$ 5.00	
Vital statistics	3.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 8.00

*Highways and Bridges:*

Emergency relief unemployed—		
Highway maintenance	\$1690.47	
Town maintenance	3345.16	
General expenses, highway dept., including watering troughs	208.20	
	<u>          </u>	\$5243.83

*Charities:*

Town poor		\$ 799.66
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*Patriotic Purposes:*

Aid to soldiers and their families		187.30
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*Public Service Enterprises:*

Cemeteries		61.50
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## RECEIPTS AND

*Continued from Page 12*

Rent of town property	37.36	
Balance of Bank offset	516.58	
Refund checks	14.00	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1933 Permits	132.71	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1934 Permits	193.86	
National forest reserve	12.94	
		<hr/> \$1224.41
<i>Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:</i>		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year		\$3500.00
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Total Receipts from all Sources		\$19295.66
Cash on hand, February 1, 1933		1045.76
Grand Total		<hr/> \$20341.42



## PAYMENTS—(Continued)

*Continued from Page 13**Unclassified:*

Damages and legal expenses, Coll. and Treas. account taken by bank offset	576.28	
Abatements	27.14	
	<hr/>	\$ 603.42

*Interest:*

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$152.75	
Paid on long term notes	266.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 419.50

*Outlay for New Construction  
and Permanent Improvements:*

Highways and Bridges—Town construction	\$2043.24	
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*Indebtedness:*

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$3500.00	
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*Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

Taxes paid to State	\$1040.00	
Payments to School Districts	4261.00	
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Total Payments to other Gov. D.	\$ 5301.00
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$19403.18
Cash on hand January 31, 1934	938.24

Grand Total	<hr/> <hr/> \$20341.42
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## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 850.00
Furniture and Equipment	200.00
Libraries, Furniture and Equipment	800.00
Police Department, Equipment	15.00
Fire Department, Equipment	75.00
Highway Department, Equipment	3000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	4500.00
The Brook's house	400.00
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Total	\$9740.00

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF ASSETS

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Cash in hands of Treasurer		\$ 938.24
Due from State, bounties	\$ 17.90	
Abatement tax	336.03	
	<hr/>	\$ 353.93
Due from County		490.10
Taxes not collected:		
Levy of 1933	\$3755.38	
Levy of 1932	79.12	
Levy of 1931	53.10	
Previous years	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$3889.60
Total taxes not collected		
Taxes bought by Town:		
Cold Stream Club, tax 1928	\$ 2.63	
Lewis Mayhew, tax 1928	2.38	
Fred Hands, balance tax 1929	73.82	

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Lewis Mayhew, tax 1929	3.00
Martha Emerson, bal. tax 1930	28.38
Charles and Aaron Potter, balance tax 1930	7.20
Cold Stream Club, tax 1930	4.60
Mayhew & Montgomery, tax 1930	7.20
Francis Aubit, tax 1931	9.75
Robert Emerson, bal. tax 1931	15.65
Martha Emerson, tax 1931	50.25
Thomas Forbush, tax 1931	17.75
Orange Holbrook, bal. tax 1931	10.75
Della Howland, tax 1931	5.25
O. E. Jackson, balance tax 1931	42.04
Perley L. Lee, tax 1931	13.75
Henry M. Lee, tax 1931	10.75
Charles & Aaron Potter, tax 1931	62.93
Cushing & Frizzell, tax 1931	10.75
Lewis Mayhew, tax 1931	4.75
Joseph Corum, tax 1932	6.88
Paul R. Cole, balance tax 1932	120.52
Robert Emerson, tax 1932	21.86
Martha Emerson, tax 1932	40.79
Thomas Forbush, tax 1932	15.26
Orange Holbrook, tax 1932	23.08
Della Howland, tax 1932	5.66
Fred Hands, tax 1932	62.62
O. E. Jackson, tax 1932	36.88
Henry M. Lee, tax 1932	8.82
George O. Maguire, 1932	184.49
Charles & Aaron Potter, tax	56.00
Cushing & Frizzell, tax 1932	9.32
Lewis Mayhew, tax 1932	3.94
Verne Emery, tax 1932	2.72
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Total taxes bought by Town	\$ 982.42
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Total assets	\$6654.29

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### *Current Maintenance Expenses*

#### Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries:

Albert Emery, selectman	\$ 100.00
H. W. Stone, selectman	100.00
E. A. Scott, selectman	150.00
M. A. Osgood, collector, 1933	158.69
M. A. Osgood, collector, 1932	.69
M. A. Osgood, collector, 1931	.43
M. A. Osgood, collector, interest	1.44
Maud E. Sanderson, treasurer	50.00
Stella Lunn, town clerk	75.00
J. W. Emery, moderator	12.00
O. E. Jackson, auditor	5.00
R. J. Emerson, dog constable	15.00
Una Cole, supervisor	12.00
Wilfred Oakes, supervisor	16.00
Ernest Kizer, supervisor	4.00
Alton Weagle, ballot clerk	3.00
Katherine Emery, ballot clerk, 1932	4.00

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\$ 707.25

#### Detail 2. Town Officers' Expenses:

W. D. Thompson, recording deeds	\$ 4.85
Smith & Town, printing town reports	66.50
Advertiser Press, printing notices	1.50
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	42.05
A. W. Rowell, dues, assessors' meeting	2.00
Maud E. Sanderson, postage, car mileage	13.89
Guy Stone, car taking inventory	15.00

Una Cole, copying check list	7.00	
A. W. Ericsson, typewriter	40.00	
E. A. Scott, car mileage	10.00	
Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., town officers' bonds	27.50	
L. P. Merrill, ribbon and paper	2.00	
Stella Lunn, auto manual	2.00	
Albert Emery, road and tax meeting and expenses	9.35	
H. W. Stone, tax meeting	4.00	
M. A. Osgood, post. & telephone	5.69	
Stella Lunn, dog tags and fees	9.18	
Stella Lunn, issuing auto permits	32.50	
Guy Stone, auto hire	5.00	
E. A. Scott, trip to Berlin, town reports	4.00	
E. A. Scott, tax meeting and post.	19.00	
		\$ 323.01

## Detail 3. Town Property Expenses:

Hazen Cole, shingling and repair Brooks house	\$ 12.00	
Barzille Emery, cleaning toilets Percy and town hall	4.00	
Barzille Emery, 1 cord wood, town hall	8.00	
Charles Tillotson, shingles, Brooks house	18.72	
Hugh H. Cole, labor Brooks house	7.00	
		\$ 49.72

## Detail 4. Police Department:

Barzille Emery, feeding transients	\$ 72.85	
A. D. Ellingwood, stove	2.00	
Warren Sessions, feeding tramps	1.00	
Warren Sessions, duplicate order, 1932	1.00	
C. D. Gilcris, constable	10.00	
		\$ 86.85

Detail 5. Fire Department:	
Groveton Village Precinct,	
Marvin White fire	\$ 51.00
Detail 6. Health and Sanitation:	
W. N. Emery, services	\$ 5.00
Stella Lunn, recording vital statistics	3.00
	----- \$ 8.00

*Public Service Enterprises*

Detail 7. Cemeteries:	
Walter Perkins, mowing and cleaning Stark cemetery	\$ 15.00
R. E. Montgomery, mowing and cleaning Stark cemetery	18.50
R. J. Emerson, mowing Emerson cemetery	10.00
Ernest Kizer, mowing Percy and Blake cemeteries	15.00
Gilbert Hickey, mowing Blake cemetery	3.00
	----- \$ 61.50

*Charities*

Detail 8. Town Poor:	
Jennie Roberts' case:	
Lydia R. Gillanders, care and groceries	\$ 119.41
J. E. Montgomery, 2 cords wood	14.00
	----- \$ 133.41
Fred Hands case:	
F. J. Taylor & Son, groceries	\$ 4.95
Thomas Forbush case:	
Paul Holt, groceries	\$ 25.73
William Hopkins' case:	
S. B. Abbott, groceries	\$ 5.31
Stella Lunn, milk	3.44
Warren Sessions, care	4.00

W. R. Schillhammer, medical attention	8.00	
		\$ 20.75
Henry Gibson case:		
Lancaster Hospital	\$ 119.30	
Frank Gibson, cash	12.00	
R. J. Emerson, auto hire	20.00	
Mass. General Hospital	155.52	
H. W. Stone, hospital and expenses	123.50	
J. A. Ferguson, M. D., medical attention	61.50	
Amos Emery, auto hire	20.00	
Ethel Smith, auto hire	27.50	
Guy Stone, auto hire	10.00	
		\$547.32
Ernest Perrow case:		
W. R. Schillhammer, medical attention	\$ 14.00	
Simeon Veazie case: cash	\$ 12.00	
State of New Hampshire: 1-4 expenses town poor	\$ 41.50	
		\$ 799.66

*Town Maintenance*

## Detail 9. Tractor Account:

R. J. Emerson, labor	\$ 206.10
Wilfred Oakes, labor	107.60
Roy Goodwin, labor	69.60
D. E. Matthews, repair magneto	17.07
M. A. Osgood, oil	11.00
Leon Meacham, labor and repair	119.60
Ernest Kizer, storage	10.00
John Jenkins, labor	26.00
Elbert Scott, labor	22.60
D. E. Matthews, brake lining	19.64

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Standard Oil Co., gasoline	63.00
Northern Road Equip. Co., repairs	3.00
W. A. Currier, gasoline	2.70
Riverside Garage, gasoline	1.70
Central Garage, gasoline	24.22
Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., ins.	11.50
John Nolan, labor	45.20
M. A. Osgood, prestone and oil	27.35
E. A. Scott, parts	4.00
Colonial Garage, repair magneto	10.19
J. A. Scott & Son, gasoline	35.60
Albert Emery & Son, gasoline	3.60

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\$ 841.27

Truck Plow:

A. J. Leighton, truck	\$ 434.09
S. B. Abbott, labor	20.46
Alex Silver, labor	1.00
John Pepaw, labor	9.10
Thomas Forbush, labor	16.67
Geo. Hill, labor	11.34
A. A. Abbott, labor	21.33
Neal McKennon, labor	16.33
Owen Leighton, labor	2.33
Vernon Bickford, truck	6.65

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\$ 539.30

Shoveling Snow:

Charles Dorr, labor	\$ 7.32
Lindsey Peabody, labor	12.67
Riley S. Lunn, labor	33.00
Alex Silver, labor	8.00
Thomas Forbush, labor	2.33
S. B. Abbott, labor	4.15
Geo. Hill, labor	3.33
Vernon Bickford, labor	5.67
Warren Sessions, labor	3.19



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O. E. Jackson, labor	5.33
Harold Forkingham, labor	5.33
Irving Cole, labor	8.00
Theodore Rogers, labor	1.50
Frank Hall, labor	1.50
Albert Lapoint, labor	3.33
Joseph Cote, labor	5.00
Neil McKennon, labor	11.67
Archie Schoff, labor	2.70
Allie Sessions, labor	9.00
Samuel Pearson, labor	2.40

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\$135.42

General Maintenance Expenses:

Walter Perkins, shoveling snow, cemetery	\$ 3.00
Hazen Cole, repairing plow	1.00
R. J. Emerson, erecting snow fence	37.50
John Nolan, erecting snow fence	16.50
E. J. Peabody, picks and shovels	6.80
Frank Smith Corp., mdse.	8.25
A. T. Wentworth, duplicate order, 1932	9.00
Riley S. Lunn, repairing bridge, Martin road	27.66
E. A. Scott, freight	13.26
J. E. Montgomery, repairing road	4.00
Albert Emery, hiring road help	20.00

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\$ 146.97

Percy Bridge:

Hazen Cole, labor	\$ 12.00
S. B. Abbott, labor	1.00
Roy Cole, labor	1.00
Albert Emery, labor	12.00
J. W. Emery, spruce logs	20.00

Amos Emery, team	21.00	
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	\$	67.00
R. J. Emerson, road agent	\$	804.50
A. J. Leighton, road agent		810.70
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	\$	1615.20
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		\$3345.16
Detail 13. General Expense of Highway Dept.:		
P. I. Perkins Co., snow fence	\$	183.40
D. E. Mathews, freight		16.80
Frank Blake, road machine blade		8.00
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	\$	208.20
Detail 11. Patriotic Purposes:		
Aid to Soldiers and their families		\$ 187.30
<i>Unclassified</i>		
Detail 12. Bounties:		
(a) Hedgehogs		
Bert Hickey	\$	.40
Charles West		1.60
E. J. Scott		.20
Elmer McFarland		1.60
R. J. Emerson		.60
Alva Aubin		2.60
Henry Gibson		.20
S. B. Abbott		.60
Kenneth Gibson		.20
M. A. Osgood		.80
A. J. Leighton		1.60
Howard Osgood		1.00
Henry M. Lee		.20
Edna Brown		.40
Earl Hickey		.80
John Pepaw		.60
Eugene Titus		.20
Gerald McFarland		.20

Hazen Cole	.20
Albert Lapoint	.20
James Hickey	.40
Bert Emery	1.60
Victor Anderson	.20
John Tilton	.20
W. N. Emery	.40
Winston Emery	.80

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\$ 17.90

## (a) Refunds

R. J. Emerson, auto tax	\$ 1.49
M. A. Osgood, abatements	25.65

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\$ 27.14

## (a)

Riley S. Lunn, land damage	\$ 10.00
William Lehnert, legal expenses	49.70
M. A. Osgood, Collector's bank acct. taken by bank offset	5.00
Maud E. Sanderson, treasurer's acct. taken by bank offset	511.28

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\$ 576.28

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\$ 621.32

## Detail 13. State Aid Construction:

J. E. Montgomery, foreman	\$ 122.50
Joseph Cote, truck	88.89
R. J. Emerson, truck	50.00
Urania Croteau, truck	60.00
J. A. Scott, truck	55.00
C. D. Gilcris, truck	97.78
Paul R. Cole, truck	50.00
Myron Cole, truck	80.00
Amos Emery, truck	107.78
Riley Lunn, truck	112.78
Bert Lyman, truck	60.00
R. C. Montgomery, truck	135.00

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Ernest Kizer, truck	60.00
Frank Hall, labor	30.84
William Emery, labor	15.00
Edward Tilton, labor	31.50
James Lunn, labor	18.00
Guy Stone, labor	15.00
Henry Gibson, labor	15.00
George Goodwin, labor	30.84
Lindsey Peabody, labor	27.84
Charles Dorr, labor	15.00
Aaram Abbott, labor	30.84
George Hill, labor	28.67
S. B. Abbott, labor	30.84
John Pepaw, labor	30.84
Sam Pearson, labor	34.50
Gilbert Hickey, labor	27.00
Allie Sessions, labor	18.00
Leon Holbrook, labor	33.84
James Croteau, labor	24.00
Victor Paquette, labor	24.00
Philip Croteau, labor	18.00
Bert Emery, labor	39.84
Alex Silver, labor	1.50
Harold Forkingham, labor	18.00
Gilbert Rogers, labor	18.00
Harrison Keezer, labor	18.00
Archie Schoff, labor	24.00
Walter Perkins, labor	39.00
Bradley Lunn, labor	6.00
Robert Paquette, labor	6.00
Jason Weagle, labor	15.84
Howard Osgood, labor	30.84
Warren Sessions, labor	18.00
Charles Potter, labor	18.00
Hazen Cole, labor	18.00
Ashley Leighton, labor	18.00
Alton Weagle, labor	18.00
Herman Maguire, labor	18.00

James Hickey, labor	18.00
Barzille Emery, labor	18.00
Roy Goodwin, labor	18.00
Albert Lapoint, gravel	8.70
Brown Company, gravel	27.30
Merle D. Cole, gravel	20.30
Charles Tillotson, tools	8.38
Robert Sturgeon, drills	12.16
Paris Mfg. Co., lumber	8.10

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\$2043.21

Detail 14. Emergency Relief Unemployment:

Worked by R. J. Emerson

R. J. Emerson, foreman	\$ 89.25
E. A. Scott, truck	170.50
C. D. Gileris, truck	31.50
Paul R. Cole, truck	115.00
Ernest Kizer, truck	49.50
Charles Potter, team	2.34
Eugene Titus, labor	47.50
Jason Weagle, labor	10.17
Fred Hands, labor	10.50
Guy Stone, labor	34.17
Howard Osgood, labor	22.17
Roy Goodwin, labor	34.33
Aaron Potter, labor	36.83
Manley Meacham, labor	33.00
Leon Meacham, labor	14.00
Charles Potter, labor	11.67
John Nolan, labor	11.67
John Jenkins, labor	22.33
Maud E. Sanderson, gravel	23.20
Guy Stone, gravel	11.00
R. J. Emerson, gravel	51.50

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\$ 832.13

Worked by A. J. Leighton

A. J. Leighton, foreman	\$ 92.00
A. J. Leighton, truck	194.50

Vernon Bickford, truck	177.00	
Joseph Cote, truck	18.00	
Harry Leighton, labor	49.50	
Herman Maguire, labor	50.00	
Irvin Cole, labor	33.00	
Wilbur Laurence, labor	16.50	
Alex Silver, labor	32.00	
Walter Rowe, labor	15.00	
Herbert Laughton, labor	24.00	
Harold Forkingham, labor	16.67	
Leon Kay, labor	13.67	
Albert Lapoint, gravel	120.50	
Herman E. Miles, gravel	6.00	
	<u>\$ 858.34</u>	
		\$1690.47
Detail 15. Interest:		
Payment on temporary loans	\$ 152.75	
Payment on long term notes	266.75	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 419.50
Detail 16. Indebtedness:		
Payment on temporary loans		
Lancaster National Bank		\$ 3500.00
Detail 17. Payments to Other		
Governmental Divisions:		
Payment to State, tax	\$1040.00	
Payments to School Districts	4261.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 5301.00
Total payments for all purposes		\$19403.18
Cash on hand		938.24
Grand Total		\$20341.42

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT EMERY,

H. W. STONE,

E. A. SCOTT,

Selectmen of Stark.

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*Note:* After the Bank Holiday the town held checks to the amount of (\$1753.03) on closed banks. Of this amount (\$1696.20) was collected. Also the Coos County National Bank held a (\$1500.00) unpaid note. When the Bank opened they made an offset of the town's account (\$315.38), the collector's account (\$5.00), and a deposit of (\$1179.62), the balance (\$516.58) turned back to the treasurer.

I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

O. E. JACKSON,  
Auditor.

## ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

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### *West End of Town*

R. J. Emerson, truck and gravel	\$ 314.67
Paul R. Cole, truck and gravel	67.55
E. A. Scott, truck and team	106.50
C. D. Gilcris, truck	9.00
Riley S. Lunn, team	6.00
A. A. Potter, labor	39.25
John Jenkins, labor	39.67
Guy Stone, team	65.00
Eugene Titus, labor	40.67
John Deuscharme, labor	12.00
William Emery, labor	6.00
William Hands, labor	24.00
Warren Sessions, labor	7.50
Howard Osgood, labor	4.50
Leon Meacham, labor	1.84
Jason Weagle, labor	3.00
Fred Hands, labor	3.00
Henry Gibson, labor	11.33
Manley Meacham, labor	4.00
C. W. Potter, sharpening picks	.50
R. A. Johnson, sharpening picks	.50
A. T. Wentworth, labor	4.50
Charles Tillotson, tools	12.10
C. E. Buzzell, culverts	21.42

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Total

\$804.50

R. J. EMERSON,  
Road Agent.



*East End of Town*

A. J. Leighton, truck and team	\$351.77
Vernon Bickford, truck	40.17
Harold Forkingham, labor	29.17
S. B. Abbott, labor	23.67
Warren Sessions, labor	3.00
John Pepaw, labor	6.00
Harry Leighton, labor	43.50
George Hill, labor	24.66
Albert Lapoint, labor	23.16
Ernest Perrow, labor	3.00
Allie Sessions, labor	3.00
Owen Leighton, labor and gravel	13.40
Irvin Cole, labor	31.50
Thomas Forbush, labor	6.00
O. E. Jackson, labor	10.50
Walter Rowe, labor	10.50
Alex Silver, labor	5.00
Herman Maguire, labor	2.00
Leon Kay, labor	2.00
A. A. Abbott, labor	15.00
Charles Tillotson, picks and shovels	5.75
Hazen Cole, sharpening picks	3.95
Berlin Mills Co., gravel and dynamite	7.65
Albert Lapoint, gravel	12.10
C. E. Buzzell, culverts	129.05
Merle D. Cole, gravel	5.20

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 Total

\$810.70

 A. J. LEIGHTON,  
 Road Agent.

## RECOMMENDATIONS FOR YEAR 1934

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Articles 1 and 2—Election of Officers.

Article 3—Recommend to raise the som of \$2000.00 more than the law requires.

Article 4—Recommend to raise the sum of \$ 553.50 for State Aid Construction.

Article 5—Recommend to raise the sum of \$1000.00 for current expenses.

Article 6—Recommend to raise the sum of \$ 200.00 for support of poor.

Article 7—Recommend to raise the sum of \$ 200.00 for purchase of snow fence.

Article 8—Recommend to raise the sum of \$ 800.00 for interest charges for the ensuing year.

Article 9—Recommend to raise the sum of \$1000.00 to retire long term notes of Town indebtedness.

Total \$5753.50

ALBERT EMERY,

H. W. STONE,

E. A. SCOTT,

Selectmen of Stark.

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

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### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, beginning of year	\$ 1,045.76
Received from Town of Stark	10,167.49
Received of M. A. Osgood, collector	8,088.17
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Total Receipts	\$19,301.42

### PAYMENTS

Town orders	\$18,363.18
Cash on hand, January 31, 1934	938.24
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Total Payments	\$19,301.42

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD E. SANDERSON,  
Treasurer.

I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

O. E. JACKSON,  
Auditor.

## SCHOOL REPORT

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Comparative table showing receipts and expenditures for three years.

	Cost	Cost	Cost
	1932-33	1933-34	1934-35
Teachers Salaries	\$4381.20	\$4350.00	\$4350.00
Textbooks	93.10	95.00	95.00
Scholars' Supplies	95.00	95.00	95.00
Flags	10.00	10.00	10.00
Other Exp. of Instruction	10.00	10.00	10.00
Janitors' Salaries	180.00	180.00	180.00
Fuel	200.20	250.00	250.00
Water, Lights, Janitors' Supplies	10.43	10.00	10.00
Repairs	298.11	125.00	125.00
Medical Inspection	20.00	20.00	20.00
Transportation	175.68	190.00	190.00
High School Tuition	529.66	550.00	550.00
Salaries of Officers	150.00	150.00	150.00
Supt. Salary	257.11	220.88	220.88
Per Capita Tax	172.00	180.00	174.00
Expense of Adm'n	2.75	5.00	5.00
Alteration Old Buildings	26.15		
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Total Cost	\$6611.39	\$6440.88	\$6434.88

## RESOURCES

Cash on hand	\$1114.53	\$ 674.66	\$ 408.78
State Aid	1971.52	2325.00	2341.81
Dog Tax		50.00	25.00
Raised by Taxation	4200.00	3800.00	
Required to balance budget			3659.29

Total Resources	\$7286.05	\$6849.66	\$6434.88
Balance at end of year	\$ 674.66	\$ 408.78	

We recommend the appropriation of \$3800.00 to cover the items outlined above.

GILBERT ROGERS,  
 META MONTGOMERY,  
 UNA COLE,  
 School Board of Stark.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### RECEIPTS

Received from Town	\$4,443.81
Received from State	1,971.52
Balance July 1, 1932	374.70
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Total Receipts	\$6,790.03

### PAYMENTS

School orders	\$6,611.39
Balance June 30, 1933	178.64
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Total Payments	\$6,790.03

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD E. SANDERSON,  
Treasurer.

I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

O. E. JACKSON,  
Auditor.

## REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF STARK, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1934

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income at end of year
Mar 19 1919	Katherine Holmes Cemetery Fund donated by Katherine Holmes	City Savings Bank, Berlin N H	\$200 00	4%	\$131 87	\$13 27		\$144 14
Mar 12 1921	Charles Emery Cemetery Fund donated by Charles Emery	Town of Stark	46 13	4%	28 19	2 90		29 09
	Dexter Cole Cemetery Fund donated by Dexter Cole	City Savings Bank, Berlin N H	50 00	4%	47 62	3 90		49 52
Nov 1 1924	Susannah Jackson Cemetery Fund donated by Susannah Jackson	Stock in Clyde River Power Co	200 00					
Ma 8 1921	George M. Smith Cemetery Fund	Gorham Savings Bank (Gorham N H)	100 00	4%	4 00	4 16		8 16

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
January 31, 1934.

ALBERT EMERY  
H. W. STONE  
E. A. SCOTT

} Trustees

## VITAL STATISTICS--1933

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June, 1877, requiring "Clerks of Towns and Cities to furnish a transcript of the marriages, births and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report" I hereby submit the following:

STELLA A. LUNN, Town Clerk.

### Marriages Registered in the Town of Stark for the Year Ending December 31, 1933

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname Groom and Bride	Residence at time of Marriage	Age and Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Father	No. of Marriage and Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Nov 16 Stowe, Vt.	Donald Lytle Wells Pauline Ruth Rogers	Walcott, Vt. Stark	20 Laborer 18 Housework	Walcott, Vt. Stark	F.L. Wells Gilbert Rogers	1 Rev Geo B Marsh 1 Stowe, Vt.



Births Registered in the Town of Stark for the Year Ending December 31, 1933

Date of Birth and Name of Child if any	Male or Female Living or Stillborn Number of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Mar 17 Mavis Mary July 27 Murry Gilbert	F L 10 M L	Malcolm Leighton Gilbert Rogers	Marie Blanchard Vivian Abbott	Laborer Carpenter	Crystal Nova Scotia	Berlin Stark

Deaths Registered in the Town of Stark for the Year Ending December 31, 1933

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age in years, months and Days and Place of Birth	Male or Female Condition and Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
Jan 8 Crystal	John Leighton	89  6  8 Dummer	M Farmer	Joseph Leighton	Lucinda Dodge	
Mar 9 Portland Me	Rose Jordan	72  6  6 Stark	F M Housewife	James Pike	Hannah Rowell	
Mar 19 Stark	Hannah Morgan	93  7  11 Milan	F W Retired	Joaham SLary	Eliza Jackson	
Mar 20 Berlin	Mavis Mary Leighton	87  5  18 Crystal	F S None	Malcolm Leighton	Marie Blanchard	
May 13 Stark	Ester Rellingwood	75  2  21 Bethel Me	F W Retired	Gardner Wight	Rachel Eames	
Feb 28 West Paris Me	Melvin E. Elling'd Cole	68  7  1 Unknown	F W Retired	George Ellingwood	Mary Saunders	
Mar 27 Concord Vt	Nellie A Gordon	59  1  17 Dummer	M M Housekeeper	Unknown	Unknown	
June 9 Stark	Wm E Sanderson	77  8  24 Stark	M M Farmer	Wm CSanderson	Lydia Peabody	
Sept 6 Jefferson	Mary Jane Page		F W Retired	James Larabee	Nancy E Wentworth	



