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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Ellsworth, N. H.

YEAR ENDING
January 31, 1930

The Record Print, Plymouth, N. H.

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen—Allie Batchelder, Walter H. Leeman, Henry Downing

Town Clerk—Grace Batchelder

Town Treasurer—Albert Conkey

Tax Collector—Suma Sargent

Moderator—Allie Batchelder

Supervisors—Albert Conkey, Richard Miclou, Enoch Batchelder

Superintendent of Cemeteries—Allie Batchelder

Health Officer—Lula J. Elliott

Road Agent—Theodore Levasseur

Town Constable—Charles Sargent

Patrolman Walter Leeman,

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Ellworth in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at schoolhouse in said Ellsworth on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at ten 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 for the same.

3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of highways and bridges.

4. To see if the town will vote to qualify for State aid.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for maintenance of State highways.

6. To see if the town will vote to qualify for State aid on bridges.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500.00 to secure \$1,000.00 from the State for special appropriation.

8. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for payment of town debt.

9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of uncollected taxes.

10. To bring in your votes for the election of delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty.

ALLIE BATCHELDER,
WALTER LEEMAN,
HENRY DOWNING,
Selectmen of Ellsworth.

A true copy of Warrant ATTEST:

ALLIE BATCHELDER,
WALTER LEEMAN,
HENRY DOWNING,
Selectmen of Ellsworth.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1929

Town charges	\$ 350.00
Highways and bridges	900.00
State aid construction	261.00
State aid maintenance	200.00
Special appropriation	500.00
State tax	171.60
County tax	163.40
Savings bank tax	1.74
Schools	512.00
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	\$ 3,059.74
Overlay	\$ 35.38

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 443.66
In hands of tax collector	77.46
Due from state for bounties	38.22
Taxes not collected, levy of 1929	156.53
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Total assets	\$ 715.87
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	\$ 226.13
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Grand total	\$ 942.00

Liabilities

Due to school districts, dog licenses	\$ 30.00
Balance of appropriation	112.00
Outstanding temporary loans	800.00
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Total liabilities	\$ 942.00
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Grand total	\$ 942.00

Receipts

Property taxes committed to collector 1929	\$ 3,113.66
Less discount and abatement, 1929	297.32
Less uncollected, 1929	233.99
Property taxes current year actually collected	2,582.35
Property and poll taxes previous years actually collected	208.51
Total of above collections	<u>\$ 2,790.86</u>
From State	
For state aid maintenance	\$ 4.47
For state aid construction	309.32
Bounties	84.40
Dog licenses	30.00
Plank sold	2.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1929 permits	\$ 20.88
National Forest Reserve	287.29
Total current revenue receipts	<u>\$ 3,529.22</u>
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$ 1,685.00
Abatement of state tax	183.41
Total receipts other than current revenue	<u>\$ 1,868.41</u>
Total receipts from all sources	\$ 5,397.63
Cash on hand February 1, 1929	\$ 263.44
Grand total	<u>\$ 5,661.07</u>

Payments

Town officers salaries	\$ 563.90
Town officers expenses	358.11
Bounties	38.22
State aid maintenance	520.37
Town maintenance	707.42
General expenses of highway department	23.30
Town poor	15.00

Cemeteries	76.00
Paid on temporary loans, interest	63.00
Outlay for new new construction	719.49
Payments on temporary loans	1,400.00
Taxes paid to state	169.20
Taxes paid to county	163.40
Payments to school districts	400.00
Total payments to other governmental divisions	\$ 732.60
Total payments or all purposes	\$ 5,217.41
Grand total	<u>\$ 5,661.07</u>

Town Officers' Salaries for 1928

Walter Leeman selectman	\$ 50.00
Lula Elliott, tax collector	50.00
Eudavella Leeman, treasurer	50.00
William Batchelder, selectman	50.00
Grace Batchelder, town clerk	25.00
Fred Swain, selectman	50.00
Eudavella Leeman, expenses	26.43
	<u>\$ 301.43</u>

Town Officers' Salaries for 1929

Suma Sargent, tax collector	\$ 50.00
Allie Batchelder, selectman	50.00
Henry Downing, selectman	50.00
Charles Sargent, police	12.50
Grace Batchelder, town clerk	25.00
Walter Leeman, selectman	50.00
Albert Conkey, town treasurer	50.00
	<u>\$ 287.50</u>

Town Officers' Expenses

Henry Downing	\$ 96.70
Charles Sargent	25.00
Albert Conkey, Jr., going after tax books	1.00

Fred Brown, bonds	37.00
Allie Batchelder	23.50
William F. Batchelder	22.00
Walter Leeman	15.00
Karl Jackson	3.00
R. J. McLean	1.25
To the Record Print	12.00
Fred G. Swain, services of moderator and carrying selectmen to Plymouth	28.20
Edson C. Eastman	18.14
Wilbur Hall	5.50
F. C. Calley	10.00
George G. Avery	7.50
Suma Sargent	4.64
A. F. Wentworth	15.00
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	\$ 325.33

TREASURER'S REPORT

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Lula Elliott, tax collector, 1928	\$ 25.60
Lula Elliott, tax collector, 1928	28.80
Grace Batchelder, dog tax	5.00
Grace Batchelder, auto tax	1.25
Grace Batchelder, dog tax	2.00
Grace Batchelder, auto tax	1.25
Suma Sargent, tax collector	12.00
Grace Batchelder, dog tax	23.00
Grace Batchelder, auto tax	7.58
Lula Elliott, tax collector	154.11
State N. H. hedgehog bounties	74.40
State of N. H. classified highway	.31
Suma Sargent, tax collector	47.43
Suma Sargent, tax collector	14.00
Plank sold by town	2.00
Suma Sargent, tax collector	52.50
Suma Sargent, tax collector	129.50
Pemigewasset National Bank, note	500.00
Pemigewasset National Bank, note	485.00

Pemigewasset National Bank, note	700.00
Suma Sargent, tax collector	21.00
Suma Sargent, tax collector	94.50
Suma Sargent, tax collector	404.12
Suma Sargent, tax collector	1,596.00
Suma Sargent, tax collector	781.13
Grace Batchelder, auto tax	9.55
Suma Sargent, tax collector	6.38
State highway department	309.32
National Forest warrant	287.29

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State tax	169.20
County tax	163.40
Paid on temporary loans	1,400.00
Interest paid	63.00
Payment to school districts	400.00
Bounties	
Allie Batchelder	\$ 2.60
Walter Leeman	22.62
Henry Downing	12.00

State Aid Maintenance

Walter Leeman	\$ 208.57
Eugene Elliott	91.39
William Whidden	117.45
Pete Lederge	7.00
Charles Sulier	7.00
Charles Bacon	15.17
Eddie Thebeault	20.61
Willie Thebeault	11.67

Town Maintenance, January, February, March

Breaking Roads First Part 1929

William F. Batchelder, cutting bushes and breaking road	\$ 61.25
Enoch Batchelder, oxen	59.50
Harry Moulton, shoveling snow	14.00
Fred Swain	14.00
Harry Moulton, cutting bushes	3.50

Summer Months, Town Maintenance

Albert Conkey, labor	\$	33.45
Albert Conkey, gravel		18.00
Albert Conkey, cutting bushes		24.50
Allie Batchelder, labor		35.00
Allie Batchelder, cutting bushes		5.45
Charles Bacon, labor		31.50
Mike Parris, team and labor		56.00
Theodore Levasseur, labor		86.06
Theodore Levasseur, cutting bushes		40.45
William Bastraw, labor		22.95
Charles Sargent, labor		26.06
Harry Moulton, labor		28.00
Fred Swain, labor		33.45
Enoch Batchelder, oxen		14.00
William Batchelder		12.45

Breaking Road 1929 and 1930

Theodore Levasseur, man and team	\$	37.05
William Batchelder, breaking roads		19.50
Enoch Batchelder, oxen		17.55
Allie Batchelder		15.60

General Expense of Highway Department

W. B. Avery	\$	18.30
Ralph E. Kenneson		5.00

Town Poor

William Batchelder, going to see Miclons	\$	15.00
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Cemeteries

Allie Batchelder	\$	76.00
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Special State Aid Construction

H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$	5.00
H. U. Colburn, truck		12.00

H. U. Colburn, truck	10.00
Ed B. Littlefield, laborer	3.50
L. Reed, laborer	3.50
Kenneth Elliott, laborer	3.50
C. C. Reed, laborer	4.00

\$ 41.50

H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$ 17.78
H. U. Colburn, truck	64.00
H. U. Colburn, truck	40.00
C. C. Reed, laborer	10.22
L. Reed, laborer	8.94
George Graves, laborer	14.32
Ed. Littlefield, laborer	12.44
Guy Avery laborer	12.44
John Martel, laborer	10.44
Kenneth Elliott, laborer	12.44
A. S. Conkey, laborer	12.44
T. Levasseur laborer	10.50
D. Keneson, laborer	10.22
R. Keneson, laborer	10.22
Ivan Bixby, laborer	10.22
Waldron, laborer	14.00
W. J. Chivell, truck	18.67
W. E. Page, truck	18.67
H. F. Downing, bill	16.30
A. S. Conkey, bill	16.30
Mileage, 111 miles at 10c.	11.10
Telephone call to Concord in regard to payroll	.70

\$ 353.76

Special Construction

H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$ 25.00
H. U. Colburn, truck	94.00
H. U. Colburn, truck	52.00
Ed. Littlefield, laborer	18.67
Kenneth Elliott, laborer	18.67
F. Waldron, laborer	17.50
John Martel, laborer	18.67

D. Lamott, laborer	14.78
Guy Avery, laborer	18.68
A. S. Conkey, laborer	14.00
T. Levasseur, laborer	12.06
George Graves, laborer	8.00
L. Reed, laborer	11.88
C. C. Reed, laborer	12.89
Lester Avery, cement bill	28.00
125 miles mileage	12.50

Paid order No. 371, August 17, 1929.

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H. COLBURN.

H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$	11.11
H. U. Colburn, truck		26.67
H. U. Colburn, truck		44.00
H. E. Page, truck		29.33
W. J. Chivell, truck		29.33
C. C. Reed, truck		9.78
George Graves, truck		9.78
L. Reed, truck		8.56
L. Lamott, truck		8.56
Guy Avery, truck		8.56
Kenneth Elliott, truck		8.56
Ed. Littlefield, truck		8.56
John Martell, truck		8.56
D. Keneson, truck		9.78
R. Keneson, truck		9.78
I. Bixby, truck		9.78
A. S. Conkey, truck		8.56
T. Waldron, truck		7.00
T. Levasseur, truck		3.50
A. S. Conkey, bill		21.90
Mileage		9.90
	\$	<u>291.36</u>

