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*Annual Report*

# **RUMNEY**

*New Hampshire*

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**YEAR ENDING**  
***January 31, 1931***



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

YEAR ENDING  
January 31, 1931

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The Record Print, Plymouth, N. H.

## TOWN OFFICERS 1930

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**Treasurer**—Jennie M. Stevens

**Clerk**—Leslie L. Bunker

**Selectmen**—E. I. Moses, F. S. Farnsworth, J. B. Foster

**Road Agent**—H. U. Colburn

**Overseer of Poor**—T. J. Stewart

**Moderator**—J. B. Foster

**Auditors**—Mrs. Lois M. Kenneson, Mrs. Etta C. Pero

**Supervisors**—A. M. Spaulding, L. H. Loveland, W. Haven Little

**Library Trustees**—G. D. Kidder, J. B. Foster, C. H. Greeley

**Trustees of Trust Funds**—E. A. Ray, S. E. Cummings, G. D. Kidder

**Tax Collector**—A. H. Farnsworth

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## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town hall, land and buildings, furniture and equipment	\$ 3,500.00
Library, land and buildings, furniture and equipment	10,000.00
Highway department, land and buildings	
Tool house	800.00
Equipment, tractor and plow	2,800.00
Snow fence, road machine, etc.	900.00
Commons	200.00
Water supply	200.00
Schools, land and buildings	12,200.00
Equipment	1,500.00
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	\$32,100.00

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the Town of Rumney in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, the tenth 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 of the same.

3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways in addition to the amount required by law.

4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of library.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights.

6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of cemeteries.

7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of Common.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,065.00 to secure from the state \$2,130.00 for state aid construction.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$950.00 to secure from the state \$3,800.00 for state aid maintenance.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,200.00 to secure from the state \$7,200.00 for trunk line maintenance.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$200.00 to buy snow fence.

12. To see if the town will vote to allow a 2% discount on all taxes paid before July first.

13. To see if the town will vote to have the inventory blanks distributed at the time of taking appraisal of property.

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

15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 to secure from the state \$2,000.00 for permanent road from Rumney Village to Stinson Lake.

16. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for oiling the town roads.

17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended for control of the White Pine Blister Rust.

18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the improvement of the road on the south and east side of Stinson Lake.

19. To see if the town will vote to hire any of the money to be expended on the south and east side of Stinson Lake.

20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for improvement to the stage of the town hall and to appoint a committee to expend the same.

21. To see if the town will vote to discontinue that part of Stinson Lake road from George Phillips camp so-called towards Stinson Lake to its intersection with new road built in 1930.

22. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the municipal court.

23. To see if the town will vote to authorize the sale of the hearse and appoint a committee for the same.

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

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-one.

F. S. FARNSWORTH,  
J. B. FOSTER,  
Selectmen of Rumney.



## BUDGET

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### Budget of the Town of Rumney, New Hampshire

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 31, 1931 to January 31, 1932 Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous year January 31, 1930 to January 31, 1931

Sources of Revenue	Actual 1930	Estimated 1931
<b>From State</b>		
Insurance tax	16.05	\$ 16.05
Railroad tax	389.70	389.70
Savings Bank tax	1,581.63	1,581.63
Bounties	64.80	64.80
For fighting Forest Fires	18.03	18.03
Abatement of State tax	456.80	456.80
For highways:		
(a) For state aid maintenance	500.00	500.00
(b) For trunk line maintenance	1,755.32	1,755.32
Interest and dividend tax	89.52	89.52
Distribution of National Forest Reserve	213.19	213.19
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes</b>		
All licenses	1,191.15	1,191.15
Fines	49.00	49.00
Rent of town hall	32.50	32.50
Interest received on taxes	45.83	45.83
From County, support of poor	68.78	68.78
Sale dynamite, use of tractor etc	517.62	517.62
Tax sales redeemed	2,190.63	700.00
<b>From Poll Taxes</b>	852.00	852.00

<b>From Other Taxes Except Property Taxes</b>		
National bank tax	30.00	30.00
<b>Revenue Applicable Only To New Construction and Improvements</b>		
<b>From State</b>		
(a) For state aid highway construction	1,003.13	1,003.13
(b) For Stinson Lake highway construction	1,811.95	1,811.95
(c) For snow account	469.77	469.77
<b>Revenue Which Must Be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions</b>		
Dog tax	250.83	250.83
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	\$13,598.23	\$12,107.60
Amount raised by property taxes	\$25,676.35	\$25,676.35
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Total revenues	\$39,274.58	\$37,783.95

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual 1930	Estimated 1931
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses</b>		
<b>General Government</b>		
Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,474.36	\$ 1,300.00
Town officers' expenses	350.98	350.98
Election and registration expenses	165.00	50.00
Municipal court expenses	109.35	
Care and supplies for town hall	74.69	74.69
<b>Protection of Persons and Property</b>		
Police department	3.50	10.00
Fire department	36.05	36.05
Moth extermination	199.55	199.55
Bounties	97.60	97.60
<b>Health</b>		
Vital statistics	10.25	10.25
<b>Highways and Bridges</b>		
State aid maintenance	1,758.06	1,758.06

Trunk line maintenance	3,625.51	3,625.51
Town maintenance	6,975.71	5,000.00
Street lighting	779.04	779.04
General expense of highway department	873.99	400.00
<b>Education</b>		
Libraries	570.00	500.00
<b>Charities</b>		
Town poor	1,185.89	800.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes</b>		
Memorial Day	24.62	24.62
<b>Recreation</b>		
Parks and playgrounds	39.90	39.90
<b>Public Service Enterprises</b>		
Cemeteries	410.90	410.90
<b>Interest</b>		
On temporary loans	240.50	300.00
On long term notes	103.50	68.50
<b>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements</b>		
<b>Highways and Bridges</b>		
Town construction, Stinson Lake special	3,418.30	
State aid construction	2,483.15	2,483.15
Billings Bridge	1,784.88	
<b>Discounts, Abatements, Etc.</b>	15.33	
<b>Taxes Bought at Tax Sale</b>	29.41	29.41
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</b>		
<b>State Taxes</b>	2,028.00	2,028.00
<b>County Taxes</b>	1,931.08	1,931.08
<b>Payments to School Districts</b>	10,475.07	11,000.00
<b>Taxes Bought By Town</b>	430.51	
<b>A. F. Wentworth, Trustee Writ</b>	150.00	
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<u>\$41,854.68</u>	<u>\$33,307.29</u>

## INVENTORY

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442 polls at \$2.00	\$ 884.00
Real estate, resident	423,705.00
Real estate, non-resident	148,950.00
125 horses	8,430.00
2 mules	125.00
2 oxen	150.00
284 cows	19,875.00
45 neat stock	2,430.00
12 sheep	105.00
4069 fowls	4,945.00
125 fur bearing animals	5,770.00
9 turkeys	40.00
4 portable mills	2,200.00
Wood and lumber	5,190.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	4,000.00
Stock in trade	33,000.00
Mills and machinery	51,450.00
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Total property valuation	\$710,365.00
Tax rate \$3.63 on \$100.00	

## LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

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Town	
Town charges	\$ 2,500.00
Highways $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1% required by law	1,775.91
Highways in addition to amount required by law	4,000.00
Library	550.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Street lights	650.00
Cemeteries	350.00
Commons	35.00
State aid construction	1,063.50
State aid maintenance	750.00
Trunk line maintenance	1,380.00
Snow fence	200.00
Stinson Lake Special	1,000.00

Oiling town roads	200.00
Billings Bridge	1,000.00
Tractor note	1,000.00
Interest on Tractor notes	103.50
County tax	1,931.08
State tax	2,028.00
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	\$20,591.99

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### Schools

Total appropriations for all purposes	\$ 9,966.00
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Less credits due town from all sources	\$30,557.99
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Raised by direct tax	4,825.89
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	\$25,732.10

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## FINANCIAL REPORT

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### Assets

#### Cash

In hands of treasurer	\$ 1,158.75
In hands of officials	
(a) C. H. Greeley, library trustee	174.77
(b) T. J. Stewart, overseer of poor	33.20

#### Accounts Due to the Town

Due from State	
(a) Bounty on Hedgehogs	32.80
(b) Stinson Lake Special	141.44
(c) Snow account	428.86

#### Due from County

County poor account	36.19
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#### Other bills due Town

(a) Taxes bought by town, sale of 1928	52.54
(b) Taxes bought by town, sale of 1929	312.16
(c) Taxes bought by town, sale of 1930	430.51

Interest due on tax sales	50.07
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Due from town of Ellsworth	5.00
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Total Assets	\$ 2,856.29
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	\$ 2,921.65
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Grand total	\$ 5,777.94

Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1930	\$ 468.55
Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1931	\$ 2,921.65
Increase—Decrease of debt	\$ 2,453.10

Increase of debt was caused by extra expenses on highways, bridge, blister rust and poor account.

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### Liabilities

#### Accounts Owed By the Town

Cemetery appropriation balance	\$ 12.91
Common appropriation balance	4.35
Memorial Day	50.38

#### Due to School Districts

(a) Dog licenses	\$ 244.30
(b) Balance of appropriation	3,166.00

#### Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

1,000.00

#### Long Term Notes Outstanding

1,300.00

Grand total

\$ 5,777.94

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### Receipts

#### Current Revenue

##### From Local Taxes

Property taxes committed to collector 1930	\$25,973.69
Less discount and abatement, 1930	297.34

Property taxes current year, actually collected	<u>25,676.35</u>
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Poll taxes, current year, actually collected 426 @ \$2.00	852.00
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National bank stock taxes	30.00
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Total of above collections	<u>\$26,558.35</u>
Tax sales redeemed	2,190.63

## From State

For Highways and Bridges	
(a) For state aid maintenance	\$ 500.00
(b) For state aid construction	1,003.13
(c) For trunk line maintenance	1,755.32
(d) Special	1,811.95
(e) Snow account	469.77
Interest and dividend tax	89.52
Insurance tax	16.05
Railroad tax	389.70
Savings bank tax	1,581.63
Fighting forest fires	18.03
Bounties	64.80

## From County

For support of poor	\$ 68.78
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## From Local Sources, Except Taxes

Dog licenses	\$ 250.83
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	49.00
Rent of town hall	32.50
Interest received on taxes	45.83
Registration of motor vehicles, 1929 permits	1.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1930 permits	715.94
Registration of motor vehicles, 1931 permits	474.21
National forest reserve	213.19

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Total current revenue receipts \$38,300.16

## Receipts Other Than Current Revenue

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$ 8,000.00
Refunds, abatement of State tax	456.80
Insurance refund	9.80
Refund from Geo. Phillips estate	55.33
Water rent, two years	6.00
From town of Ellsworth, for ploughing roads	10.00
Town of Groton 1/2 cost of widening road	209.67
J. M. Batchelder for C. D. Avery place	90.15
Town of Dorchester for dynamite	15.00
Town of Ellsworth dynamite	30.00
Town sale of dynamite	82.50
L. L. Bunker, filing	3.00

Selectmen for lamp sold	2.00
H. U. Colburn for use of tractor	4.17
Total receipts other than current revenue	\$ 8,974.42
Total receipts from all sources	\$47,274.58
Cash on hand February 1, 1930	3,738.85
Grand total	\$51,013.43

### Payments

#### Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government	
Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,474.36
Town officers' expenses	350.98
Election and registration expenses	165.00
Municipal court expenses	109.35
Expenses town hall	74.69

#### Protection of Persons and Property

Police department	\$ 3.50
Fire department, including forest fires	36.05
Moth extermination, Blister Rust	199.55
Bounties	97.60

#### Health

Vital statistic	\$ 10.25
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#### Highways and Bridges

State aid maintenance	\$ 1,758.06
Trunk line maintenance	3,625.51
Town maintenance	6,975.71
Street lighting	779.04
General expenses of highway department including watering troughs	873.99

#### Libraries

\$ 570.00

#### Charities

Town poor	\$ 1,080.92
County poor	104.97

#### Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day exercises	\$ 24.62
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**Recreation**

Parks and playgrounds	\$ 39.90
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**Public Service Enterprises**

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	\$ 410.90
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**Unclassified**

A. F. Wentworth for H. L. Fletcher trustee writ	\$ 150.00
Taxes paid on property bought at tax sale	29.41
Taxes bought by town	430.51
Discounts and abatements	13.00
A. D. Farnsworth, overpaid tax	2.33

**Interest**

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 240.50
Paid on long term notes	103.50

**Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements****Highways and Bridges**

State aid construction	\$ 2,483.15
S. L. Special	3,418.30
Billings bridge	1,784.88

**Indebtedness**

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 8,000.00
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**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions**

Taxes paid to state	\$ 2,028.00
Taxes paid to county	1,931.08
Payments to school districts	10,475.07

Total payments for all purposes	\$49,854.68
Cash on hand January 31, 1931	\$ 1,158.75

Grand total	\$51,013.43
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**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**

Town hall, land and buildings, furniture and equipment	\$ 3,500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings, furniture and equipment	10,000.00

Highway department, land and buildings	800.00
Equipment, tractor and plow	2,800.00
Materials and supplies, snow fence, etc.	900.00
Parks, Commons and playgrounds	200.00
Water supply	200.00
Schools, lands and buildings	12,200.00
Equipment	1,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$32,100.00</b>

### TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

The following is the amount of receipts of this office for the year ending December 31, 1930.

#### Automobile Tax Permits

Receipts	
January	\$ 562.97
February	59.52
March	131.59
April	156.97
May	162.79
June	68.62
July	74.73
August	12.38
September	19.45
October	19.56
November	1.92
December	2.02
<b>Total auto tax</b>	<b>\$ 1,272.52</b>

#### Dog Licenses

Dog licenses	\$ 250.83
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LESLIE L. BUNKER, Town Clerk.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

### Receipts

1930			
Feb.	1	Balance in treasury	\$ 3,738.85
		L. L. Bunker, auto tax, 1929	1.00
	21	Mrs. Mary Chase, water rent, 1929	3.00
Mar.	1	Town Groton, 1/2 cost of labor on Groton line	209.67
	1	Selectmen, sale of C. D. Avery place	90.15
Apr.	17	Selectmen town note, Pemigewasset National bank	2,000.00
	21	O. L. Collins, lights for basket ball	10.00
		Selectmen, rent of hall	22.50
May	21	L. L. Bunker, dog tax, 1930	250.85
	26	Selectmen, town note, Pemigewasset National bank	2,000.00
June	28	State treasurer, snow account	469.77
July	12	Selectmen, tax sale redeemed	
		S. J. Bartlett	\$41.38
		Gibson Meadow	60.94
			102.32
Aug.	12	Selectmen from state, bounty on hedgehogs	39.80
	11	Town Dorchester, dynamite	15.00
	30	Selectmen, town note, Pemigewasset National bank	2,000.00
Sept.	20	Selectmen, town note, Pemigewasset National bank	2,000.00
Oct.	11	Selectmen, estate Geo. Phillips refund on expenses paid by town	55.33
	18	State treasurer	
		Rumney S. A. C.	\$ 500.00
		Rumney T. L. M.	1,500.00
		Rumney S. A. M.	500.00
			\$ 2,500.00
Nov.	1	T. J. Stewart, overseer	
		From county for support of paupers	68.78
Nov	8	Selectmen, tax sale redeemed	
		Wilfred J. and Erwin Clark, 1928	53.74
	22	G. H. Cheney, dynamite, state highway construction	30.00
Dec.	20	Town Ellsworth, plowing roads 1929-1930	10.00

	20	Selectmen, redemption of tax sale Tax of 1928, A. L. Richman Tax of 1928, Lyndol E. French Tax of 1928, H. L. Gibson Tax of 1929, Anthony Chase	1,881.87
	20	Selectmen, state treasurer, distribution of tax on interest and dividends	89.52
1931			
Jan.	10	Mrs. Mary Chase, water rent, 1930	3.00
	10	State treasurer, abatement state tax	456.80
	10	State treasurer, National forest reserve fund distribution	213.19
	17	State treasurer, forestry dept.	18.03
	17	State treasurer, bounty on bears	25.00
	27	J. M. Stevens, insurance refund	9.80
	28	State treasurer, highway dept.	369.01
	30	L. L. Bunker, municipal court fees	12.00
		L. L. Bunker, filing fees	3.00
		State Treasurer, highways	416.51
		Estate E. A. Elliott, municipal court fees	37.00
	31	Town, sale of dynamite	82.50
		Selectmen, redemption tax sale	
		Julia E. Rogers 1928	8.83
		Agnes Gibson, 1928	87.03
		Estate Willard Simpson, 1930	56.84
		Selectmen, sale of lamp	2.00
		H. U. Colburn, use of tractor	4.17
		L. L. Bunker, auto tax of 1930	715.94
		L. L. Bunker, auto tax of 1931	474.21
		A. H. Farnsworth, collector tax of 1930	26,558.35
		A. H. Farnsworth, collector interest on tax of 1930	45.83
		Total receipts	<u>\$47,241.17</u>

#### Summary

1931			
Jan.	31	Total receipts	\$47,241.17
		Paid 205 orders	<u>46,082.42</u>
		Balance in treasury	\$ 1,158.75

JENNIE M. STEVENS, Treasurer.

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### Town Officers' Salary and Expenses

Mrs. Lois M. Kenneson, services as auditor	\$ 15.00
Mrs. C. A. Hamlin, services as auditor	15.00
The Record Print, town reports	141.00
G. C. Craig, town officers' bond	14.50
Kimball-Burnell Agency, officers' bond	58.00
W. J. Randolph, transfers	11.14
C. H. Dana Co., dog tags	3.03
Association of New Hampshire Assessors	2.00
Automobile Service Bureau	23.85
E. I. Moses, services as selectman from February 1, 1930 to February 1, 1931	261.00
E. I. Moses, expenses	27.18
F. S. Farnsworth, services as selectman from February 1, 1930 to February 1, 1931	255.00
F. S. Farnsworth, expenses	4.00
J. B. Foster, services as selectman from February 1, 1930 to February 1, 1931	245.00
J. B. Foster, expenses	12.86
A. H. Farnsworth, collecting \$26,707.49 tax of 1930	400.61
A. H. Farnsworth, expenses	1.04
The Record Print, tax bills, notices, etc.	7.25
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	26.55
Mrs. Jennie M. Stevens, services as town treasurer	100.00
Mrs. Jennie M. Stevens, expenses	3.00
T. J. Stewart, services as overseer of poor	25.00
T. J. Stewart, expenses	6.08
L. L. Bunker, services as town clerk	75.00
L. L. Bunker, issuing auto permits	82.75
L. L. Bunker, expenses	9.50
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	\$ 1,825.34

### Election and Registration

The Record Print, check lists	\$ 17.00
L. H. Loveland, services as supervisor	48.00
A. M. Spaulding, services as supervisor	48.00
A. P. Boswell, estate of, services as supervisor	12.00

D. C. Kenneson, services as inspector of elections	10.00
A. E. Jaquith, services as inspector of elections	10.00
C. J. Craig, services as inspector of elections	10.00
S. E. Cummings, services as inspector of elections	10.00
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	\$ 165.00

#### **Town Hall Expenses**

Austin Aldrich, repairs	\$ 2.00
Chas. R. Pease, tuning piano	3.50
C. C. Watts, wood	3.50
C. A. Spaulding, repairing chairs, etc.	21.57
C. H. Greeley	1.50
Donald Kenneson, services as janitor	17.50
Pemigewasset Electric Co., lights	25.12
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	\$ 74.69

#### **Protection of Persons and Property**

##### **Police Department**

E. A. Elliott, municipal justice	\$ 62.50
L. L. Bunker, municipal justice	46.85
L. L. Bunker, dog constable	3.50
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	\$ 112.85

##### **Fire Department**

Posting fire notices	\$ 17.35
Posting notices and fire	18.70
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	\$ 36.05

##### **Bounties**

Bounties on hedgehogs	\$ 72.60
Bounty on bears	25.00
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	\$ 97.60

##### **Blister Rust Control**

John H. Foster, wages of crew	\$ 199.55
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#### **Vital Statistics**

L. L. Bunker, reporting births, deaths, and marriages	\$ 10.25
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## Highways and Bridges

State aid maintenance, state and town joint account		
W. J. Chivell, patrolman	\$ 1,204.71	
H. U. Colburn	113.00	
Paid to state	440.35	
	<hr/>	1,758.06

Trunk Line Maintenance, state and town Joint Account		
W. J. Chivell, patrolman	3,366.65	
W. J. Chivell, snow, due from state	258.86	
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## Highways Town Account

H. U. Colburn, road agent	6,966.71	
W. J. Chivell, bill	9.00	
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		\$12,359.28

## Street Lighting

Pemigewasset Electric Co.	\$	779.04
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## General Expense of Highway Department

C. C. Reed, use of water trough 1929	\$	3.00
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Tool House		
Burns P Hodgman, brick	9.00	
H. U. Colburn, labor etc.	42.44	
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George H. Keniston, damage discontinuing Doetown Hill road		150.00
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Oiling village road		
State highway department, oil	182.30	
F. Fenton, labor	23.79	
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Fred R. Ford, work on water		14.80
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New England Metal Culvert Co., snow fence and posts		192.08
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Jennie M. Stevens, insurance on tractor and plow		42.00
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H. U. Colburn, repairs for tractor		212.58
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D. C. Kenneson, use of water trough 1930		2.00
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\$ 873.99

**Library**

C. H. Greeley, trustee	\$ 550.00
G. C. Craig, insurance	20.00

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\$ 570.00

**Town and County Poor**

Mahlon G. Kelly, overseer of poor to March 1930	\$ 185.89
Thomas G. Stewart, overseer of poor to January 31, 1931	1,000.00

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\$ 1,185.89

**Memorial Day**

Wilbur Hall, Memorial Day committee	24.62
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**Care of Common**

Austin Aldrich, Common committee	39.90
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**Care of Cemeteries**

S. E. Cummings, cemetery committee	344.90
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**Public Service**

Jennie M. Stevens, care and driving hearse	60.00
Ernest Nichols, use of hearse	6.00

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\$ 66.00

**Abatements Refunded**

G. C. Craig, double tax	\$ 13.00
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**Unclassified**

A. H. Farnsworth, over paid treasurer	\$ 2.33
A. F. Wentworth, for H. L. Fletcher trustee	150.00
Tax on property bought at tax sale	29.41
Taxes bought by town at tax sale	
Hazel Bean	27.13
T. L. Elliott	17.18
C. L. Hinkson	163.75
Angus McDonald	25.10
Herbert Page	40.63
John Robie	25.57
J. C. Spalding	8.86
George H. Willoughby	33.99
W. J. Simpson	58.33
Camp Ground Lots	
Ivie Foster	3.33



C. H. Kettridge	3.33
Henry Kenning	3.33
I. G. Moulton	3.33
Mrs. Noah Morse	3.33
Mrs. L. M. Nichols	3.33
Morton Plummer	3.33
Charles Ryder	3.33
Mrs. Florence Stinson	3.33
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	\$ 430.51
<b>Interest Paid</b>	
Pemigewasset National Bank	\$ 195.50
Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	45.00
J. B. Foster	45.00
C. J. Craig	45.00
Amy Kidder	13.50
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	\$ 344.00
<b>Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes</b>	
Pemigewasset National Bank	\$ 6,000.00
Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	2,000.00
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	\$ 8,000.00
<b>New Construction and Improvements</b>	
State aid construction, H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$ 2,483.15
Special appropriation to Stinson Lake H. U. Colburn, foreman	3,418.30
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	\$ 5,901.45
<b>Taxes</b>	
C. T. Patten, state treasurer	\$ 2,028.00
William C. White, county treasurer	1,931.08
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	\$ 3,959.08
<b>Schools</b>	
Jennie M. Stevens, treasurer	\$ 4,475.07
Etta C. Pero, treasurer	6,000.00
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	\$10,475.07
<b>Abatements of 1930 tax</b>	
Mrs. Fred Baker, paid in Orford	\$ 2.00

Cameron Baine, residence unknown	2.00
S. A. Crofts, deceased	2.00
Edward J. Chaplin, unable to collect	2.00
Persis Doe, removed from town	2.00
E. J. Elliott, keeping own road	10.00
Herbert Chase, poor	2.00
Fred Melanson, unable to collect	10.89
Otis C. Odione, moved away	2.00
Mrs. Otis C. Odione, moved away	2.00
Leroy Parris, residence unknown	2.00
Mrs. Ethelyn Parris, residence unknown	2.00
E. J. Ritchie, moved away	2.00
Mrs. E. J. Ritchie, moved away	2.00
Harold Ritchie, moved away	2.00
Arline Schaffner, deceased	2.00
Bertha Skillen, residence unknown	2.00
Leon Simpson, poor	2.00
Rose Simpson, poor	2.00
Carl W. Smith, moved away	2.00
Mrs. Lenora Sargent, poor	2.00
Leon Stevens, poor	2.00
Mrs. Florence Stevens, poor	2.00
Etta Willey, poor	2.00
Bertha Wright, taxed to wrong party	23.23
A. D. Phillips, double tax	3.63
David Wright, taxed to wrong party	54.45

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\$ 148.20

E. I. MOSES,  
 F. S. FARNSWORTH,  
 J. B. FOSTER,  
 Selectmen of Rumney.

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### ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

H. U. Colburn in Account with the Town of Rumney

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	<b>Receipts</b>	
Balance appropriation of 1929		\$ 467.04
Appropriation of 1930		5,775.91

From state, plowing	72.77
Town of Dorchester, sale of dynamite	15.00
Town of Ellsworth, sale of dynamite	30.00
Town of Ellsworth, plowing roads	10.00
H. U. Colburn, use of tractor	4.17
Sale of dynamite	82.50
Due from town of Ellsworth, plowing roads	5.00
Due from state, plowing trunk line	170.00
Repairs on tractor	212.58
Extra money paid by town	343.32
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	\$ 7,188.29

### Payments

H. U. Colburn	\$ 2,914.25
F. B. Hanley	57.00
W. J. Chivelle	97.00
Rupert Ray	20.89
Kenneth Chivelle	5.33
Maurice Beane	3.50
C. J. Craig	26.95
T. J. Stewart	33.40
Loren Waldron	29.94
George Graves	240.00
C. C. Reed	201.18
A. Chouard	74.39
Roy Parris	31.50
Thad Elliott	48.22
A. J. Dow	2.50
Raymond Reed	3.50
C. D. Spaulding	12.38
G. E. Kelley	38.76
American Express Co.	17.18
H. L. Fletcher	22.55
Herbert Avery	8.55
Frank Poitras	23.70
Ed Littlefield	267.16
D. Kenneson	181.28
R. Kenneson	161.94
H. Kenneson	51.00
Burr Munroe	14.00
Arthur Willey	1.56
New England Culvert Co.	318.13
D. LaMott	177.74

A. Farnsworth	483.99
E. Manion	141.56
F. Derosia	49.00
Leland Reed	147.00
Joe Richards	24.40
W. Pillsbury	52.50
John Martel	71.56
Highway Garage	15.96
B. & M. Railroad	9.53
Garfield Hall	1.50
H. D. Chase	280.00
Lyman Patterson	7.00
Thompson & Hoague Co.	166.10
Kenneth Elliott	7.00
L. M. Avery	34.50
F. L. Bunker	13.03
John Taylor	3.21
Chas. Woodbury	17.50
Charles Valley	9.72
Earle Bailey	57.56
Perley Cummings	.78
Lawrence Foster	.78
Herbert Chase	.78
Aaron Tillotson	.78
Roy Vallier	.78
William Sanborn	1.94
Ralph Sanborn	1.94
Reuben Avery	2.50
R. W. Manney	1.50
Fred Fegan	5.50
Nathan Coffin	2.40
W. Palmer	2.40
J. M. Batchelder	17.30
M. L. Dunklee	23.00
C. E. Kenniston	10.80
A. S. Conkey	10.90
Harry Blanchard	8.30
Lloyd French	2.90
T. Graves	76.21
G. C. Craig	50.00
John Downing	165.69
P. I. Perkins Co.	116.52
Wright Mfg. Co.	2.01

C. H. Evans	1.50
Eastern Tractor Co.	2.98
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	\$ 7,188.29

## STINSON LAKE SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

H. U. Colburn, Foreman

### Receipts

Balance appropriation of 1929, state	\$	78.89
Balance appropriation of 1929, town		39.44
Appropriation of 1930, state		2,000.00
Appropriation of 1930, town		1,000.00
Extra paid by town to balance account		838.18
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	\$	3,956.51

### Payments

Bills paid by town last year and carried over		
by state to this year's account	\$	412.21
<b>Bills Paid Direct By State</b>		
	\$	125.50
<b>Bills Paid by Town</b>		
H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$	237.22
H. U. Colburn, trucks		1,141.34
H. U. Colburn, team		241.78
Ed Littlefield		69.23
A. H. Farnsworth		42.39
E. Manion		179.66
George Graves		195.55
C. C. Reed		158.23
Leland Reed		42.01
D. C. Kenneson		191.99
R. Kenneson		168.02
D. Lamont		3.50
John Martel		98.77
W. Pillsbury		73.49
Kenneth Elliott		106.95
Henry Bickford, team		118.22
Dynamite, posts, right of way, etc		350.45
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	\$	3,956.51

## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

H. U. Colburn, Foreman

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### Receipts

Appropriation 1930, state	\$ 1,063.00
Appropriation 1930, town	1,063.50
Overdrawn or extra money spent, state	416.52
Overdrawn or extra money spent, town	416.51
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	\$ 2,959.53

### Payments

#### Paid By State

Bills paid direct from Concord, culverts, cable, etc.	\$ 476.38
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#### Paid By Town

H. U. Colburn, foreman	\$ 161.67
H. U. Colburn, trucks	1,004.67
George Graves	100.44
C. C. Reed	136.00
D. C. Kenneson	126.22
E. Manion	34.22
Ed Littlefield	64.94
A. H. Farnsworth, labor and truck	107.44
David Lamont	80.50
Ralph Kenneson	115.50
Howard Kenneson	55.00
Leland Reed	84.00
John Martel	77.00
Kenneth Elliott	56.00
W. Pillsbury	56.00
O. T. Kidder	24.00
Gravel, posts, etc	199.55
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	\$ 2,959.53

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## STATE AID MAINTENANCE

W. J. Chivell, Patrolman

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### Receipts

Balance 1929 appropriation, state	\$ 1,016.11
Balance 1929 appropriation, town	508.06

Appropriation 1930, state	1,875.00
Appropriation 1930, town	750.00

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\$ 4,149.17

### Payments

Paid by state, tar, oiling and other bills	\$ 1,947.61
Paid by town to H. U. Colburn	113.00
Paid by town to W. J. Chivell	1,204.71
Paid by town to state	440.35
Unexpended state appropriation	443.50

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\$ 4,149.17

Cash received from state on above account \$ 500.00

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## TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

### W. J. Chivell, Patrolman

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### Receipts

Balance 1929 appropriation, state	\$ 462.67
Balance 1929 appropriation, town	231.33
1930 appropriation, state	5,520.00
1930 appropriation, town	1,380.00

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\$ 7,594.00

### Payments

Paid by state, tar, oiling and other bills	\$ 3,135.36
Paid by town, W. J. Chivell, patrolman	3,366.65
Paid by town and due from state, W. J. Chivell, snow	258.86
Balance in hands of state	833.13

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\$ 7,594.00

Cash received from state on above account \$ 1,755.32

### State Aid Bridge or Billings Bridge

Town appropriated \$1,000.00 to get \$1,000.00 from state but total cost of completed bridge was \$3,284.88 which put it into another class and town paid \$1,784.88 and state \$1,500.00. All work was done under foreman furnished by state and bills paid direct from Concord.

## LIBRARY REPORT

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### C. H. Greeley, Treasurer

#### Dr.

1930			
Cash on hand		\$	178.47
Received from Book Account (borrowed)			9.42
Received from town			550.00
Received interest on bonds			114.75
		\$	852.64

#### Cr.

1930			
Mar. 7	C. C. Watts, 4 loads wood @ \$5.	\$	20.00
May 15	A. P. Colby, 15695 lbs. coal @ 15.50 ton		121.64
May 24	C. C. Watts, 3 loads block wood 1 load mill		18.50
June 21	C. C. Watts, wood		3.50
July 20	Mrs. Chase, work		9.00
Sept. 1	Deposit box		3.00
Nov. 12	C. H. Greeley, load block wood		5.00
Dec. 17	C. H. Greeley, 4½ cords wood		36.00
Dec. 17	Leon Collins, sawing wood and putting in shed (4½ cords)		6.75
Dec. 5	Leslie Bunker, janitor for one year.	150.00	
Jan. 26	L. A. Wells, repairing books		15.19
Jan. 31	Alice French, librarian for year		250.00
Jan. 31	Leslie Bunker, service for P. T. A.		6.00
Jan. 31	Pemigewasset Electric Co., lights for year		33.29
	Cash to balance		174.77
		\$	852.64

### Book Account

#### Dr.

1930			
Jan. 31	Received of N. H. Savings Bank	\$	50.00
	Received money borrowed from treas.		9.42
		\$	59.42



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1930			
June 2	Paid Library Book House	\$	32.39
Nov. 12	Paid Library Book House		19.40
	Cash to balance		7.63
		\$	59.42

**Library Assets**

William G. Doe endowment for books			
N. H. Savings Bank	\$	944.96	
Some interest to be added			
Loan & Trust Bank		785.35	
Adelaid Bond trust fund		2,700.00	

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**REPORT OF LIBRARIAN**

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Number of volumes in library Feb. 1, 1930	5,174
Number of volumes purchased	44
Number of volumes given	48
Number of volumes lost or discarded	12
Total number of volumes Feb. 1, 1931	5,254
Federal, state or town documents	18
Newspapers and magazines	35
Circulation of fiction	4,703
Circulation of non-fiction	434
Circulation of magazines	2,310
Total for the year	7,447
New borrowers	12
Number of borrowers during year	212
Average daily patronage	30
Amount of fines, paid Gaylord \$3.62 and others balance left .80.	\$4.42

Donors of books and magazines, Miss Adelaid Merrill, Mrs. Ada Blanchard, Mrs. Jennie Smart, Alice French, Verne and Edsel Woodward, Charlie Robie, Kenneth Elliott, Myrtle Elliott, Y. P. U. Baptist Church, New York City. Miss Adelaide L. Merrill gave a very nice set of World Books, 13 vols. which are much appreciated by school students. Miss Dorothy Colburn of West Rumney gave her time for several Saturdays in the game room. The children enjoyed having her. Twenty-four books were rebound at Well's Bindery.

### Books Added During the Year

- A Candle in the Wilderness—f—Bacheller  
A Voice in the Wilderness—f—Hill-Lutz  
Adventures of a Brownie—jf—Mulock  
Adventures of Jimmie Dale—f—Packard  
Ancient History—non-f—Myers  
Army Boys in the French Trenches—f—Randall  
At the South Gate—f—Richmond  
At War with Pontiac—jf—Munroe  
Big Town Round Up—f—Raine  
Bitter Heritage—f—Pedler  
Black Hunter—f—Curwood  
Blowing Clear—f—Lincoln  
Bound to Rise—jf—Algers  
Boy Blue and His Friends—jf—Blaisdell  
Charlie Codman's Cruise—jf—  
Christian Science in Light of Holy Scripture—non-f—  
Haldeman  
Clue of the New Pin—f—Wallace  
Desert Brew—f—Bower  
Dianna Drew—f—Rose  
Fathoms Deep—f—Payne  
Fire of Youth—f—Pedler  
Forlorn River—f—Grey  
Grandmother Dear—jf—Molesworth  
Guarded Halo—f—Pedler  
Harry Harding's Year of Promise—jf—Raymond  
High Fences—f—Richmond  
Honor Girl—f—MacDonald  
How to Study the Bible—non-f—Haldeman  
In Toyland—jf—Robinson  
Kelpies—jf—Blaisdell  
Kelpies Run Away—jf—Blaisdell  
King's Powder—jf—Dudley  
Ladybird—f—Hill-Lutz  
Lights Along the Ledges—f—Payne  
Lights Up—f—Richmond  
Lighted Windows—f—Loring  
Log Cabin Days—jf—Blaisdell and Ball  
Magic of Marigold—jf—Montgomery  
Making the Nine—jf—Dudley  
Motor Cycle and Chum  
South of the Equator—jf—Payson

Million Dollar Suitcase—jf—Newbury & MacGowan  
 Motor Girls—jf—Penrose  
 Motor Girls on a Tour—jf—Penrose  
 Mysterious Rider—f—Grey  
 Nevada—f—Grey  
 North of Fifty-three—f—Sinclair  
 Oh! You Tex—f—Raine  
 Old Testament Stories—non-f—Grover  
 Painters Dream—f—Payne  
 Paradise Bend—f—White  
 Paul Prescott Charge—jf—Alger  
 Plains of Abraham—f—Curwood  
 Polly and Dolly—jf—Blaisdell  
 Poor and Proud—jf—Adams  
 Quest of Youth—f—Fasnot  
 Rancher Jim—f—Bindloss  
 Sara Crew—jf—Burnett  
 Seven Keys to Baldpate—f—Biggers  
 Shepherd of Guadalupe—f—Grey  
 Show Boat—f—Ferber  
 Silver Slippers—f—Bailey  
 Some Honeymoon—f—Hall  
 Spite Fence—f—Sampson  
 Spy of Rebellion—non-f—Pinkerton  
 Stories of East and West—jf—Peck  
 Stories of U. S.—non-f j—  
 Strelli Case—f—Wallace  
 Tabernacle, Priesthood and Offering—non-f—  
Haldeman  
 They Also Serve—f—Kyne  
 Three Little Kittens—non-f—Chadwick  
 Tiger, Tiger!  
     Life Story of John B. Gough—non-f—  
 Top of World—f—Dell  
 Trail of Paradise—f—Gregory  
 Tuck Simons Forty-niner—jf—Leonard  
 Twilight Light Town—jf—Blaisdell  
 Under the 4-H Flag—jf—Case  
 Wallflowers—f—Bailey  
 Wild Wind—f—Bailey  
 World Book Encyclopedia—non-f—13 vols., O'Shea  
 Zeppelin's Passenger—f—Oppenheim

ALICE E. FRENCH, Librarian.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

Mahlon G. Kelly in Account with the Town of Rumney

<b>Receipts</b>	
Cash on hand	\$ 3.50
By orders of selectmen	185.89
	\$ 189.39
<b>Payments</b>	
<b>Tramp Account</b>	
G. E. Kelly, groceries	\$ 1.06
<b>George Phillips Account</b>	
Jennie M. Stevens, funeral expenses	\$ 85.00
<b>Will Page Account</b>	
C. C. Watts, wood	\$ 3.50
G. E. Kelly, men's furnishings	2.50
<b>Hoaner Account</b>	
Dr. A. S. Russell estate	\$ 2.00
<b>Mary Taylor Account</b>	
C. C. Watts, wood	\$ 10.50
G. E. Kelly, groceries	10.24
Everett Elliott, getting in wood	4.20
<b>C. L. Kinne Account</b>	
Bethany Home, care 5 weeks	\$ 35.00
<b>Everett and Wesley Elliott Account</b>	
G. E. Kelly, groceries	\$ 35.39
	\$ 189.39

Thomas J. Stewart in Account with Town of Rumney

<b>Receipts</b>	
By orders of selectmen	\$ 1,000.00
<b>Payments</b>	
<b>Lobby and Tramp Account</b>	
Lucie Stewart, mattress for lobby	\$ 1.50
G. C. Craig, bed and springs for lobby	3.00
F. M. Bunker, feeding 43 tramps	21.50
T. J. Stewart, feeding 35 tramps	17.50
Edwin Littlefield, cleaning lobby	1.25
	\$ 44.75

**C. L. Kinne Account**

Bethany Home, board and care	\$ 248.00
Ella McGinnis, care	8.50
Dr. H. H. Palmer, medical attendance	5.00
Jennie M. Stevens, funeral expenses	75.00

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\$ 336.50

**Will Page Account**

Grafton County Farm, board	\$ 128.00
Mrs. Etta Willey, board	6.00
C. C. Watts, wood	3.50
C. H. Greeley, wood	17.00
Harry Downing, wood	5.00
G. E. Kelly, groceries	82.26

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\$ 241.76

**Tom Hill Account**

W. J. Hall, wood and truss	\$ 27.50
F. M. Bunker, groceries	75.00
M. L. Dunklee, board	60.00
G. E. Kelly, groceries	76.32

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\$ 238.82

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\$ 861.83

**County Account****Payments**

G. E. Kelly for G. U. Elliott boys	\$ 63.78
H. E. Wilkins carrying MacDonald to County farm	5.00
Peaslee for Mrs. Leroy Parris	2.50
W. J. McKee groceries for Morris Bean	23.84
Mrs. Ross Henderson, ticket for Chester Flanders	4.00
G. E. Kelly for Leon Simpson	5.85

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\$ 104.97

Cash in hands of overseer 33.20

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\$ 1,000.00

Cash received from County and paid treas. \$ 68.78

Due from County to balance account 36.19

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\$ 104.97

## CEMETERY REPORT

### S. E. Cummings in Account with the Town of Rumney

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#### Receipts

Appropriation of 1929, balance	\$ 7.81
Appropriation of 1930	350.00
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	\$ 357.81

#### Payments

S. E. Cummings	\$ 178.50
Fred R. Ford	132.50
M. L. Dunklee	1.50
Arthur Willey	6.00
J. Lyle McGinnis	3.00
John Collins	10.50
C. E. Merrill	3.00
H. L. Fletcher bill	1.40
C. W. Smith	3.50
A. C. Vinton	3.00
L. L. Bunker	2.00
Balance in hands of town	12.91
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	\$ 357.81

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## COMMON ACCOUNT

### Austin Aldrich in Account with the Town of Rumney

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#### Receipts

Balance appropriation of 1929	\$ 9.25
Appropriation of 1930	35.00
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	\$ 44.25

#### Payments

Austin Aldrich, work on Common and fountain	39.90
Balance in hands of town	4.35
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	\$ 44.25

## MUNICIPAL COURT

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### Receipts

1930			
	Leon W. Woodbury case	\$	3.00
May 20	K. Westner case		28.00
June 29	Nelson Bowles case		21.10
June 29	L. E. Esdon case		26.10
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		\$	78.20

### Expenditures

Town		\$	37.00
Fish and Game Department			41.20
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		\$	78.20

EDWIN A. ELLIOTT, Justice.

By Evelyn R. Elliott, Adm.

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### Receipts

Dec. 8	Urban Elliott case	\$	12.90
Dec. 12	Robert H. Heath case		6.50
Dec. 13	William Shontell case		4.90
Dec. 31	Charles Reed case		9.70
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		\$	34.00

### Expenditures

Fish and Game Department		\$	22.00
Town			12.00
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		\$	34.00

LESLIE L. BUNKER, Justice.

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Rumney, January 31, 1931.

Date of Creation	PURPOSE OF CREATION Care of Cemetery Lots	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income 1st of Year	Income during Year	Expended during Year	Balance of Income End of Year
Dec. 17, 1915	H. B. Stevens	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	\$100.00		\$ 7.75	\$ 4.86	4.00	\$ 8.61
Dec. 17, 1915	Henry Ramsey	" "	100.00		4.80	4.71	9.00	.51
Feb. 23, 1916	Darling & Webster	" "	75.00		1.89	3.46	3.50	1.85
Sept. 16, 1916	W. S. Emerson	" "	200.00		23.37	5.57	3.00	25.94
July 17, 1919	Abbie D. Merrill	" "	104.13		2.31	4.81	5.00	2.12
July 17, 1919	Emma C. Watts	" "	100.00		5.85	4.76	4.00	6.61
Oct. 14, 1919	A. R. Bond	" "	100.00		15.65	5.22	4.00	16.87
Aug. 27, 1920	Frances H. Foss	" "	150.00		21.02	7.74	10.00	18.76
Feb. 21, 1921	Caroline Howe & Geo. Burns	" "	150.00		17.79	7.56	16.00	9.35
Apr. 1, 1921	C. G. Kidder & O. W. Fletcher	" "	200.00		5.61	9.36	4.00	10.97
Dec. 30, 1921	Daniel Page	" "	100.00		3.21	4.67	5.00	2.88
Mar. 16, 1922	Dr. I. M. Fox	" "	75.00		2.08	3.49	3.00	2.57
Mar. 15, 1928	Eben Wells & Geo. Kelley	" "	150.00			6.75	7.00	
May 19, 1928	Duffy	" "	150.00			6.75	12.00	
Feb. 21, 1916	Cone, Mason & Moulton	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200.00	4½ % Interest	80.21	12.09	11.00	81.30
Jan. 3, 1923	John L. Emerton	" "	100.00		11.52	4.85	4.00	12.37
Mar. 27, 1923	George W. Fletcher	" "	125.00		19.91	6.23	6.00	20.14
Mar. 27, 1923	George P. French	" "	125.00		20.91	6.24	4.00	23.15
Mar. 16, 1926	Jacob, William & Joseph Doe	" "	375.00		46.32	18.09	21.00	43.41
Dec. 29, 1927	Alonzo Keniston, M. Pride	" "	100.00		1.50	4.57	3.50	2.57
Dec. 29, 1927	Chester Fletcher	" "	100.00		1.00	4.57	4.00	1.57
May 7, 1928	Charles Spaulding	" "	125.00		3.56	5.79	3.00	6.35
June 17, 1929	J. P. Keyes	" "	150.00			3.38	7.00	
May 31, 1930	Peppard & Elliott	" "	400.00				4.00	
July 1, 1930	Albert T. Craig	" "	100.00					
Oct. 6, 1930	Charles C. Palmer	" "	100.00					
Oct. 3, 1923	Jeremiah Cotton	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00		4.91	6.62	4.00	7.53
Nov. 30, 1923	William L. French	" "	125.00		17.49	7.24	3.50	21.23
Nov. 30, 1923	Samuel French	" "	125.00		17.49	7.24	9.00	15.73
May 28, 1924	Josiah Quincy	" "	100.00		2.33	5.20	6.50	1.03
June 18, 1924	Oliver D. Doe	" "	100.00		3.00	5.26	4.00	4.26
Nov. 14, 1924	H. W. Herbert	" "	100.00		2.99	5.23	4.00	4.22
Nov. 14, 1924	G. C. Jones	" "	100.00		9.93	10.66	4.00	16.59
Mar. 25, 1896	Greenleaf	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00		51.05	9.18	4.00	42.23
Nov. 30, 1927	C. R. Emerton & John Irvin	" "	150.00		6.68	9.05	18.00	15.73
Jan. 16, 1929	Myra Moore	" "	50.00			3.23	2.00	1.23



## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

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We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts, Tax Collector for 1930, State Aid Maintenance, Trunk Line Maintenance, Town Maintenance, Stinson Lake Special, State Aid Construction, Overseer of the Poor, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Selectmen, Common, Bank Books of Cemetery Trust Fund, Cemetery, Library Trustees, Librarian and the Municipal Court, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LOIS M. KENNESON,  
ETTA C. PERO,

Auditors.



## Marriages Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1930

1930	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Times married	Name residence and official station of person by whom married
June 7	Rumney	Reginald W Huckins Dorothy K Elliott	Plymouth Rumney	24 21	W W	Clerk Bookkeeper	Ashland Seattle Wash	Harry S Huckins Mina Worthen Frederick H Elliott Elizabeth Abbott	Ashland Holderness Rumney	Retired Housewife Merchant Housewife	1 1	C W Kelley Clergyman Plymouth
June 25	Rumney	Howard Milton Ada Burnham	Rumney West Rumney	35 22	W W	Carpenter Housework	New Brunswick Can N Dorchester	Richard Milton Deborias Steeves Frank Burnham Alta Brown	New Brunswick New Brunswick Concord Wentworth	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	2 1	H I Kemp Clergyman Rumney
July 16	Concord	Charles L Craig Myrtle B Tracey	Rumney Woodsville	27 22	W W	Clerk in store Teacher	Watertown Mass Woodsville	Charles J Craig Ella F Martin John J Tracey Angie S Kezer	Rumney Cambridge Mass Texas Haverhill	Merchant Housewife Printer Housewife	2 1	Harry F Shook Clergyman Concord
Aug 22	Rumney	George Urban Elliott Charlotte L Sargent	Rumney Berkshire Vt	36 47	W W	Laborer Housework	Rumney Berkshire Vt	Linnie M Blake Hiram S Sargent Josephine S Tanner	Rumney Montpelier Vt Berkshire Vt	Farmer Housewife Carpenter Housewife	2 3	Leslie L Bunker J of P Rumney
Aug 22	Plymouth	Chester F Raymond Violet W King	Rumney New London Conn	25 18	W W	Tool Setter Bookkeeper	Canaan Boston Mass	Frank Raymond Jr Flora John James King Anne Frye	Derby Line Vt Derby Line Vt Newfoundland Newfoundland	Mechanic Housewife Welder Housewife	1 1	Charles W Kelley Clergyman Plymouth
Oct 24	Rumney	Deane C Carr Muriel L Ray	Dorchester Rumney	21 18	W W	Laborer At Home	Sugar Hill Dorchester Mass	Frank Carr Stella Aldrich Edward E Ray Sadie E Stook	New Brunswick Easton Rumney Boston Mass	Farmer Housework Farmer Housewife	1 1	H I Kemp Clergyman Rumney

## Deaths Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1930

Date—1930	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth			Sex and Cond'n	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days	Father	Mother							
			Male	Female	Single	Mar.	w.							
Jan 6	Rumney	Frank Irving Bunker	M	W	W				Laborer	New York City	Hebron	Charles E Bunker	Ini G Hill	
Jan 8	Rumney	Laura Poitras	F	W	M				Housewife	Landaff	Sugar Hill	Savoy Gordon	Mary Eastman	
Jan 20	Woodsville	Jesse H Gordon	M	W	M				Carpenter	Rumney	Sanbornton	Daniel Avery	Steele	
Jan 20	Laconia	Gardner Avery	M	W	M				Mechanic	Canada	Canada	William Phillips	Sarah Morey	
Jan 23	Haverhill	George H Phillips	M	W	M				Laborer	Plymouth	Alexandria	Samuel Milligan	Sarah Webber	
Jan 29	Plymouth	Charles S Milligan	M	W	M				Farmer	Rumney	Beverly Mass	Isaac L Craig	Susan Trask	
Feb 20	Laconia	Charles H Craig	M	W	M				R R Em					
Feb 28	Tilton	Byron Richardson	M	W	M				Farmer	West Rumney				
Mar 22	Oak Bluffs	Carrie M Phillips	F	W	M				Housewife	Canada	Franconia	Blaisdell Merrill	Sarah Woodman	
Mar 25	Rumney	Amos H Lindsey	M	W	M				Retired	Rumney	Rumney	Jeremiah Phillips	Pheobe Quimby	
May 1	Rumney	George H Bickford	M	W	M				Housewife	Canada	Canada	John Bickford	Finning	
May 13	Rumney	Abbie M Avery	F	W	M				Housewife	Rumney	Rumney	George Elliott	Lydia Moulton	
July 9	Concord	Edward A Elliott	M	W	M				Millman	Rumney	Bristol	Charles H Elliott	Laura Moulton	
July 13	Plymouth	Arlene Schaffner	F	W	M				Homemaker	Rumney	Hotterness	Carl F Bunker	Edna I Tilton	
July 23	Rumney	Anna W Downing	F	W	M				Surveyor	Elsworth	Kittery Me	Abraham Downing	Permelia Ivis	
Aug 18	Rumney	Albert P Boswell	M	W	M				SHousekeeper	Haverhill	Quebec	Moses P Boswell	Mary Manson	
Aug 28	Rumney	Edna W Cass	F	W	M				Mill worker	Quebec	Rumney	John Cass	Ruth E Burnham	
Sept 8	Rumney	L Creighton Levy	M	W	M				Housewife	Piermont	Salem	Henry E Levoy	Sarah Allen	
Sept 21	Tilton	Annie L Noyes	F	W	M				Mail carrier			Ephram Crafts	Charlotte Allen	
Sept 23	Dorchester	Sam Crafts	M	W	M				Retired	Canaan	Dorchester	Silas Hamlin	Almira Maynard	
Oct 1	Plymouth	Silas P Hamlin	M	W	M				Carpenter			Seth Merrill		
Oct 19	Rumney	Clarence Kinne	M	W	M									
Dec 14	New Boston	Charles M Merrill	M	W	M									
Dec 29	Center Harbor	Emma J Bickford	F	W	M									

LESLIE L. BUNKER, Town Clerk.

# *School Report*



## OFFICERS FOR 1930-1931

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**School Board**—Frances H. Eastman, Chairman, Emilie  
Barney, Leon Bryar

**Treasurer**—Jennie Stevens, Etta C. Pero

**Clerk**—George E. Kelley

**Moderator**—John B. Foster

**Auditors**—Mrs. Zena Jaquith, Miss Julia Abbott

**School Nurse**—Miss L. M. B. Underhill

**Superintendent**—Allan McCurdy

**Truant Officer**—Ralph Bailey

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Rumney qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the seventh day of March 1931, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see if the District will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to wire the Village, Montview and Quincy schools for electricity.
10. To see if the District will raise and appropriate \$125.00 to paint the Depot building.



11. To see if the District will raise and appropriate \$75.00 for expenses of administration.

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

Given under our hands at said Rumney this 14th day of February 1931.

FRANCES H. EASTMAN,  
LEON N. BRYAR,  
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANCES H. EASTMAN,  
LEON N. BRYAR,  
School Board.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Rumney:

I hereby present my first report as Superintendent of the public schools of Rumney. In as much the superintendent assumed supervision late in the spring, there was time only to familiarize himself with the problems of the district and finish up the year's work.

### Instruction

All the teachers were reelected for the current year. Miss Tracy resigned during the summer and Helen Berry was elected to fill the position. Miss Berry is a Normal School graduate with 13 years experience and is doing successful work. Owing to the death, this winter, of Helen Merrill of the Quincy school, Doris Rowell was appointed teacher at that school. Miss Rowell is a Normal School graduate and experienced teacher. The work at Quincy is progressing well and suffered no interruption from the change.

The outstanding feature of the teaching staff of the district is the long tenure of position of its teachers. The Board is fortunate to attract and hold teachers over so many years. It gives the staff a stability and permanency seldom experienced in rural communities. In my judgment this has a bearing on the facts that Rumney children do so well in high school and that of the 17 graduates from the VIII grade last June 15 have entered high school—an unusually high per cent for a district where a high school is not maintained.

### Survey

A survey of the accomplishment of the various grades is being made by means of the Stanford Achievement Test, a battery of 762 responses, covering a wide range of elementary subjects. In this way we

can check the progress of our grades against the standard for the same grades over the country. Such tests also show the accomplishments of pupils within the grades and give opportunity to prescribe remedial work. Again such tests show on what subjects emphasis should be directed. Although the survey is not completed it will be the policy of the present supervision to stress reading both oral and silent for some time. The intelligence of any community will vary directly with what its people are reading for instruction and pleasure. A few promotions have already been made as a result of these tests. While it is never wise to push children beyond their capabilities, nevertheless, when children who are perfectly well are found to have accumulated knowledge a year ahead of the group they are in and the standard for the country at large they can usually be safely promoted to the next grade, where instead of forming habits of idleness, they meet a real challenge to their capabilities.

### Marking

The marking system has been changed somewhat this year. No marking system is perfect nor entirely satisfactory to all. Children come to school to learn and to be stimulated to learn—not to receive marks. Public schools are operated to develop good citizenship. Scholarship is desirable for good citizenship, but does not of itself constitute good citizenship. Dependability, initiative, ability to work with group, attendance, etc., are considered in determining ranks. Outside this supervisory union, where this method has been used, the result has been to inspire good pupils to do real superior work, and to encourage slower pupils to do passing work, thereby decreasing non-promotion.

This year every parent is notified two weeks before report cards go out that the pupil is likely to fail unless he makes improvement at once. This gives an opportunity for the parent to come in and talk over the situation with the teacher. It is the opinion of the superintendent that many capable children are drifting or aimlessly wandering up through the grades simply because there is not a strong enough contact

between school and parent. Parents should not be satisfied to have their children just "get by" when reports show that they are only making indifferent efforts. Every pupil should get out of school all that he is mentally and physically able to do regardless of the other members of his group.

### **Attendance**

The percent of attendance last year was 94.29. This is below the state percent which has 95.50. It is to be regretted that only two schools of the district reached this average. An examination of the registers shows a great number of single and two-day absences. This may be due to sickness as considered later in this report under Health, but one cannot escape altogether the conviction that some parents are unmindful of the educational loss in even single session absences. Not only does the absentee lose, but the entire class is slowed down more or less the following day. New Hampshire school law requires that every child of compulsory school age, shall attend school every day the schools are in session. The practice of taking children on excursions, trips, etc., should be confined to weekends and holidays. Last year nearly 8 pupils were absent every day from school.

### **Health**

The district is fortunate in having a nurse. Miss Underhill reports 187 instances of underweight, defective vision, hearing and teeth, diseased tonsils, defective breathing and enlarged glands. Apparently only 33 corrections have been made. This is a correction of less than twenty percent. Children cannot feel their best nor do their best when suffering physical discomfiture. I am convinced that the disappointing attendance of the district is due in no small measure to the fact that children with the above defects will have "poor days" now and again until they receive medical care and advice. It seems to me neither fair to pupil nor teacher to expect satisfactory results from children not up to par in health, and further neglect of these all important matters often brings on physical handicaps in adult life. I venture the predic-

tion that if a large number of these physical defects were cleared up it would react favorably on the scholarship of the entire district.

### **Recommendations**

After careful reflection I am of the opinion that the district should eventually wire and furnish electricity to all schools where current is available. For a good part of the school year there is need of light a great many days soon after 2:30 in the afternoon. As it is now children are required to strain their eyes in regular session and for a long time there is but little opportunity after school for the teachers to work and have conferences with their pupils. The practice of outside organizations financing the wiring of schools in their vicinity while highly commendable should, in my judgment, in no way deter the district from furnishing electric current to other schools even if some schools have to forgo electricity from the fact that it is not available. It is my recommendation that during the coming summer the district wire the Mont View, Quincy and Rumney Village schools and budget enough money to supply them with current.

I repeat the recommendation of last year's report that the toilets at the Village and Depot schools be better protected from the weather.

### **Conclusion**

In closing I wish to take this opportunity to express gratitude for my personal and professional reception in your town. I always enjoy coming to Rumney and sense a splendid feeling of cordiality. I deem it a pleasure and privilege to work with you and having a part in the education of your children.

The School Board is, in my opinion, well chosen for this important work. More responsibility rests on the school board than is generally known. The Board meets regularly and careful consideration is given to all matters both from the viewpoint of the taxpayer and welfare of the children. Thirty-seven school visits have been made showing an active interest in the school system. I believe that the finances are being handled carefully and efficiently.



School	Teacher	Enroll- ment	Supt's Visits	Nurses Visit	Public's Visits	School Boards Visits	Percent Attend.
Stinson Lake	Thelma M. MacDonald	14	21	7	47	6	96.64
Mont View	Beatrice Putney	32	32	5	35	3	95.89
Depot Rumney	Mary R. Russell	25	27	7	21	4	94.55
Quincy	Helen Merrill	18	24	4	46	7	94.13
Village Primary	Ruth E. Russell	25	27	5	55	5	93.96
Village Grammar	Lena M. French	24	26	7	64	5	93.88
Depot Grammar	Myrtle Tracy	26	31	7	85	7	91.64
Total		164	188	42	353	37	94.29
Less 6 in two schools		6					
Grand total		158	188	42	353	37	94.29

Five of above scholars are tuition scholars.

### School Census, Sept. 1930

No. of children (5-16) found by enumerator	189
No. of children (5-16) found not to be in school	28
No. of children (5-16) found in school in and out of district	161

### Enrollment, January 5, 1931

School	Teacher	Enrollment
Stinson Lake	Thelma MacDonald	16
Mont View	Beatrice Putney	26
Depot Primary	Mary R. Russell	14
Quincy	Doris Rowell	14
Village Primary	Ruth E. Russell	25
Village Grammar	Lena M. French	18
Depot Grammar	Helen Berry	22
		135

### SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1931-1932

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1931.

#### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

##### Support of Schools

Teachers' salaries	\$ 6,725.00
Text books	200.00
Scholars' supplies	300.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	90.00
Janitor service	225.00
Fuel	450.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	185.00
Minor repairs and expenses	350.00
Health supervision (medical inspection)	225.00
Transportation of pupils	1,500.00
Other special activities	25.00
	\$ 10,285.00



### Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	\$ 200.00
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district)	25.00
Payment of tuitions in high schools and academies (estimated by board)	3,000.00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union)	275.00
Per capita tax (reported by state treasurer)	370.00
Other obligations, new equipment, insurance	185.00
	<u>\$ 4,055.00</u>

Total amount required to meet school board's budget \$14,340.00

### Estimated Income of District

State aid (December 1931 allotment)	\$ 3,557.65
Dog tax (estimate)	175.00
Elementary school tuition receipts (estimate)	<u>100.00</u>

Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation) \$ 3,832.65

Assessment required to balance school board's budget \$10,507.35

### Special Appropriations Proposed—Articles in Warrant

Wiring Mont View, Quincy and Village schools	\$ 100.00
Painting Depot school	125.00
Expenses of administration	75.00
	<u>\$ 300.00</u>

Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations \$10,807.35

FRANCES H. EASTMAN,  
LEON N. BRYAR,

School Board.

Rumney, N. H., February 9, 1931.

\$3.50 per \$1,000.00 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law.

To apply for state aid \$5,110.70 must be raised for elementary schools.

**Report of District Treasurer for Year Ending  
June 30, 1930**

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**Summary**

Cash on hand June 30, 1929 (treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 136.62
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	8,997.05
Dog tax	178.02
Received from state treasurer (state or Federal aid)	4,623.24
Money borrowed, selectmen	500.00
Received from all other sources	110.95
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Total amount available for fiscal year (balance and receipts)	\$14,545.88
Less school board orders paid	\$14,447.44
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1930 (treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 98.44

JENNIE M. STEVENS,  
District Treasurer.

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**Auditor's Certificate**

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Rumney, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, and find them correct in all respects.

ZENA B. JAQUITH,  
JULIA S. ABBOTT,  
Auditors.

July 2, 1930.

## Detailed Statement of Receipts

1929

July 30	Balance in treasury	\$ 136.62
Aug. 31	Town, appropriation	500.00
Sept. 21	Town appropriation	1,500.00
Oct. 1	Orford school district, refund, express	.98
Oct. 1	Piermont school district, refund, express	.97
Nov. 4	Town appropriation	1,500.00
Dec. 14	State treasurer, ed. equalization	3,605.82
Dec. 14	Town appropriation	1,000.00

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Feb. 10	Ellsworth school district, tuition	37.00
Mar. 15	Town appropriation	1,000.00
Apr. 14	Town appropriation	1,000.00
May 5	State treasurer, Dept. Education	1,017.42
June 7	Town appropriation	1,200.00
June 25	Ellsworth, tuition	72.00
June 28	Town appropriation	297.05
June 28	Town, dog tax	178.02
June 30	Selectmen, proceeds note (loan)	500.00

Total receipts during year	\$14,545.88
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## FINANCIAL REPORT

### State and Federal Aid

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$ 4,623.24
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### Income From Local Taxation (Raised by Selectmen)

For the support of elementary schools	\$ 4,963.05
For the payment of high school and academy tuition	2,500.00
For the salaries of district officers	180.00
For the payment of per capita tax	374.00
Special appropriations, administration	100.00
Truant officer and census	25.00
Superintendent's excess salary	380.00
Repairs and fences	400.00
Insurance	75.00

Total	\$ 8,997.05
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**From Sources Other Than Taxation**

Dog licenses (from selectmen)	\$ 178.02
Elementary school tuitions	72.00
Proceeds of notes or bonds, money borrowed selectmen	500.00
Other receipts	38.95
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Total	\$ 788.97
Total receipts from all sources	\$14,409.26
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1929	136.62
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Grand total	\$14,545.88

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**Payments****Administration**

Salaries of district officers	\$ 202.70
Superintendent's excess salary	275.00
Truant officers and school census	13.75
Expenses of administration	76.16

**Instruction**

Principals' and teachers' salaries	\$ 6,550.00
Text books	144.09
Scholars' supplies	320.65
Flags and appurtenances	7.09
Other expenses of instruction	60.53

**Operation and Maintenance of School Plant**

Janitor service	\$ 208.75
Fuel	512.75
Water, light, janitor's supplies	152.17
Minor repairs and expenses	239.75

**Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities**

Medical inspection, health supervision	\$ 220.80
Transportation of pupils	1,644.70
High school and academy tuition	2,908.60
Other special activities	63.52

**Fixed Charges**

Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	374.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	50.00

<b>Outlay for Construction and Equipment</b>	
New equipment	\$ 422.43
	\$14,447.44
Total payments for all purposes	\$14,447.44
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1930)	98.44
	\$14,545.88
Grand total	\$14,545.88

### Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Rumney, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched

ZENA B. JAQUITH,  
JULIA S. ABBOTT,

Auditors.

### BALANCE SHEET

#### Assets June 30, 1930

Cash on hand, balance June 30, 1930	\$ 98.44
<b>From Others</b>	
Groton school district, tuition	\$ 37.00
Plymouth school district, tuition	37.00
Groton school district, tuition	37.00
	\$ 209.44
Total assets	\$ 209.44
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	\$ 290.56
	\$ 500.00
Grand total	\$ 500.00

#### Liabilities June 30, 1930

Overdraft, town of Rumney	\$ 500.00
	\$ 500.00
Total liabilities	\$ 500.00
	\$ 500.00
Grand total	\$ 500.00

## Detailed Statement of the School Board's Expenditures

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### Salaries of District Officers

Jennie Stevens	\$	30.40
Julia Abbott		1.50
Frances Eastman		65.00
Emilie Barney		51.30
Zena Jaquith		1.50
Leon Bryar		48.00
George Kelley		6.00

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\$ 202.70

### Superintendent's Excess Salary

Treasury Department	\$	275.00
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### Truant Officers and School Census

R. E. Lane	\$	1.75
Emilie Barney		6.00
F. Eastman		6.00

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\$ 13.75

### Expenses of Administration

Edson Eastman	\$	8.03
Emilie Barney		9.40
Frances Eastman		32.70
Jennie Stevens		5.40
Leon Bryar		6.10
Edward Janes		4.70
Winfred Cummings		3.00
Smith & Towne		6.43
Myrtle Tracy		.40

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\$ 76.16

### Teachers' Salaries

Thelma McDonald	\$	800.00
Beatrice Putney		900.00
Lena French		950.00
Ruth Russell		950.00
Mary Russell		950.00
Myrtle Tracy		1,000.00
Helen Merrill		973.00
Bernice Boswell (sub)		27.00

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\$ 6,550.00

**Text Books**

Edward Babb & Co.	\$	16.48
The Cable Co.		2.50
Iroquois Pub. Co.		12.12
The McMillan Co.		41.54
The World Book Co.		7.55
Ginn & Co.		41.67
Bobbs Merrill Co.		3.80
John O. Winston		5.24
Benj. Sanborn Co.		1.49
Beckeley Cardy Co.		4.10
J. B. Lippincot		3.88
Lyons & Carnaham		3.72

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\$ 144.09

**Scholars' Supplies**

Milton Bradley Co.	\$	35.72
Am. Education Press Inc.		5.61
Webster Pub. Co.		9.78
Dowling School Supply Co.		64.01
Edward E. Babb		146.45
The McMillan Co.		2.16
Current Events		5.40
Ginn & Co.		6.48
J. L. Hammett		37.40
Edward E. Janes		1.85
Iroquois Pub Co.		5.79

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\$ 320.65

**Flags and Appurtenances**

J. L. Hammett	\$	1.69
Milton Bradley Co.		4.40
Helen Merrill		1.00

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\$ 7.09

**Other Expenses of Instruction**

Mary Russell	\$	1.44
Webster Pub. Co.		5.06
Charles Spaulding		1.25
Edward E. Babb		3.58
Milton Bradley Co.		3.30
The World Book Co.		3.89

Beckeley Cardy Co.	1.00
Am. Viewpoint Society	3.57
A. P. Boswell	2.00
G. Schrimmer	.91
Minnie Patterson	15.00
Myrtle Tracy	2.70
Helen Merrill	2.00
Green Mountain Press Co.	4.85
Emilie Barney	.60
R. E. Lane	.63
Am Book Co.	3.65
Chas. R. Pease	3.50
Myrtle Tracy	1.60
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	\$ 60.53
<b>Fuel</b>	
C. L. Craig	\$ 3.15
C. A. Spaulding	16.10
Lewis Keyes	58.00
Charles Bacon	32.00
Chester Hinkson	3.00
James Bartlett	10.80
Willie Mitchell	1.00
John Taylor	6.00
B. M. Youngman	24.00
J. E. Fellows	56.00
O. A. Patterson	9.50
Leon Collins	15.00
Charles Smith	6.25
Fred Farnsworth	232.00
John McDonald	4.00
Minnie Patterson	14.00
C. C. Watts	15.00
Thelma McDonald	2.00
Richard Burnham	4.95
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	\$ 512.75
<b>Janitors' Services</b>	
Charles Spaulding	\$ 77.75
James Bartlett	32.40
Richard Burnham	33.20
Roger Sanborn	34.00
Thelma McDonald	31.40
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	\$ 208.75



### Water, Lights and Janitor Supplies

Pemigewasset Electric Co.	\$	18.00
Rhett R. Scruggs		1.50
C. J. Craig		2.48
West Disinfecting Co.		5.70
Chester Hinkson		18.00
Cheshire Chemical Co.		61.25
Dustbane Mfg. Co.		21.17
Edward Babb & Co.		7.50
H. L. Fletcher		5.17
James Bartlett		8.90
John Taylor		.70
Edward E. Janes		1.40
Myrtle Tracy		.40
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	\$	152.17

### Minor Repairs and Expenses

Charles Lawson	\$	23.56
Mrs. Walter Chase		55.00
John Taylor		4.12
John B. Varick		.79
H. L. Fletcher		3.46
Mrs. E. I. Moses		10.00
C. A. Spaulding		31.38
Sam Bartlett		3.00
Edward E. Babb & Co.		22.43
Milton Bradley Co.		3.00
Leon N. Bryar		25.25
G. L. Hammett		.90
John Baker		2.20
Charles Smith		5.00
Glenwood Range Co.		11.97
Harold McDonald		3.00
Wilbur Hall		1.00
A. G. Stewart		1.40
G. A. Morse		5.05
Edward Janes		2.57
Pete McCormick		5.00
Ralph Bailey		4.10
Frances Eastman		5.00
Haven Eastman		7.00
A. M. Rand		2.97

Richard Burnham	.10
James Bartlett	.50
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	\$ 239.75
<b>Medical Inspection</b>	
Edward Babb	\$ 1.80
L. M. B. Underhill	219.00
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	\$ 220.80
<b>Transportation of Pupils</b>	
Ralph Bailey	\$ 352.00
Charles Smith	167.20
Otis Odione	354.00
Mrs. Percy Plume	350.50
Mrs. Iva Foss	151.00
Florence Everett	20.00
Charles Craig	250.00
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	\$ 1,644.70
<b>High School Tuition</b>	
Plymouth School District	\$ 2,908.60
<b>Other Special Activities</b>	
E. S. Pease	\$ 1.60
H. L. Fletcher	11.80
John Taylor	1.40
Minnie Patterson	27.10
J. B. Golden	1.26
Myrtle Tracy	1.66
Helen Merrill	8.25
George Kelly	10.45
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	\$ 63.52
<b>Insurance</b>	
G. C. Craig	\$ 50.00
<b>New Equipment</b>	
Leon Bryar	\$ 60.00
Edward Babb	6.10
H. L. Fletcher	25.70
Milton Bradley	.25
L. B. Milberry	42.00
Wilbur Hall	11.70
Draper-Maynard Co.	7.75

John Taylor	68.43
Ed Pease	200.15
E. A. Janes	.35
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	\$ 422.43
<b>Per Capita Tax</b>	
Henry Chamberlain	\$ 374.00
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Total payments	\$14,447.44

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### Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the school board of the school district of Rumney, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929, and find them correct in all respects.

ZENA B. JAQUITH,  
JULIA S. ABBOTT,

Auditors.

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The school board wish to recognize work done by various organizations during the year.

### Lake School

During the summer, Camp Eagle Point and Camp Stinson held an entertainment at the Lake for the benefit of the Lake School. Camp Waimea also held an entertainment at the Town Hall for the benefit of the school. A goodly sum from these entertainments was turned over to a committee, Mrs. Harold McDonald and Mrs. Wilbur Hall, who have had electric lights installed in the building, also an enamel sink and a cess pool has been made.

Mr. Leveigne very kindly gave a phonograph and records for the same. The school district bought paint for the inside room and Mrs. McDonald very generously offered to do the painting which was done before school opened in September.

Seats have been taken from Quincy and the Depot Primary room so that now the Lake School has modern seats.

The fencing is nearly completed and Mr. Bryar will finish it in the spring.

The board appreciates the splendid cooperation that has been shown this last year at Stinson Lake.

At this time we wish to acknowledge cooperation of the Parent Teachers Association, both at Depot and Village, who have done a great deal to improve our schools and the playgrounds. The Village, P. T. A., are installing lights at the Village School this week.

The Grange at Quincy presented the school with a First Aid Kit and 15 white enamel mugs, a piano and paper napkins.

Mont View school held a Hallowe'en party, the proceeds which will be used for benefit of school.

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During this coming year many repairs are needed. The Depot building needs painting badly. One side of the roof needs shingling at Quincy.

The playground at Stinson Lake must have some grading done as this was promised Mr. Leveigne when he so kindly gave the land on which the building is now located.

The board feels that some fencing should be done each year until the school yards are enclosed from the road. We feel that the Depot School needs a fence next to the road as this road is on a curve, by this expenditure, some child may be saved from running into the path of an automobile.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES H. EASTMAN,  
EMILIE BARNEY,  
L. N. BRYAR,

School Board.

Allan McCurdy, Superintendent.













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