

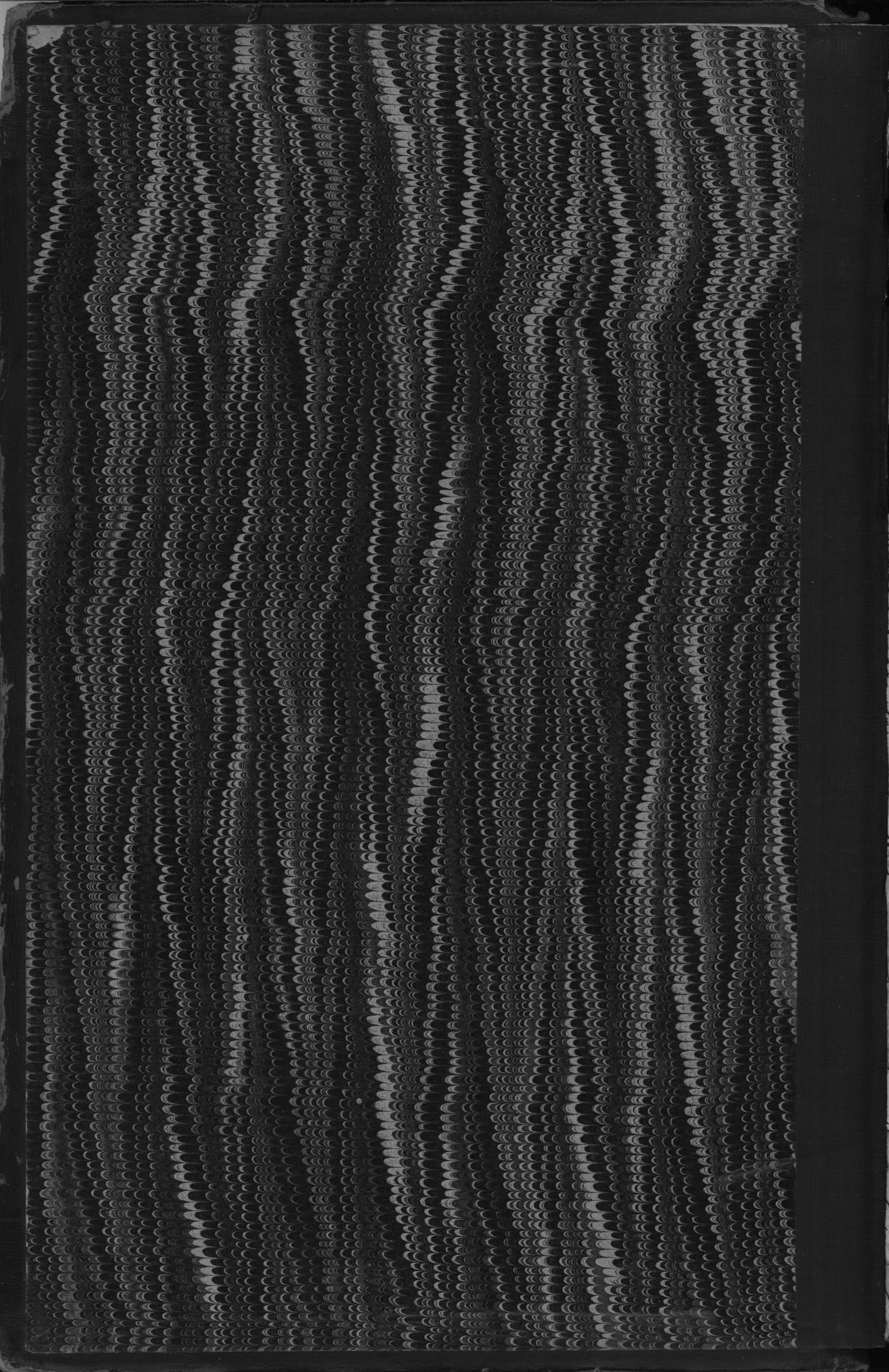
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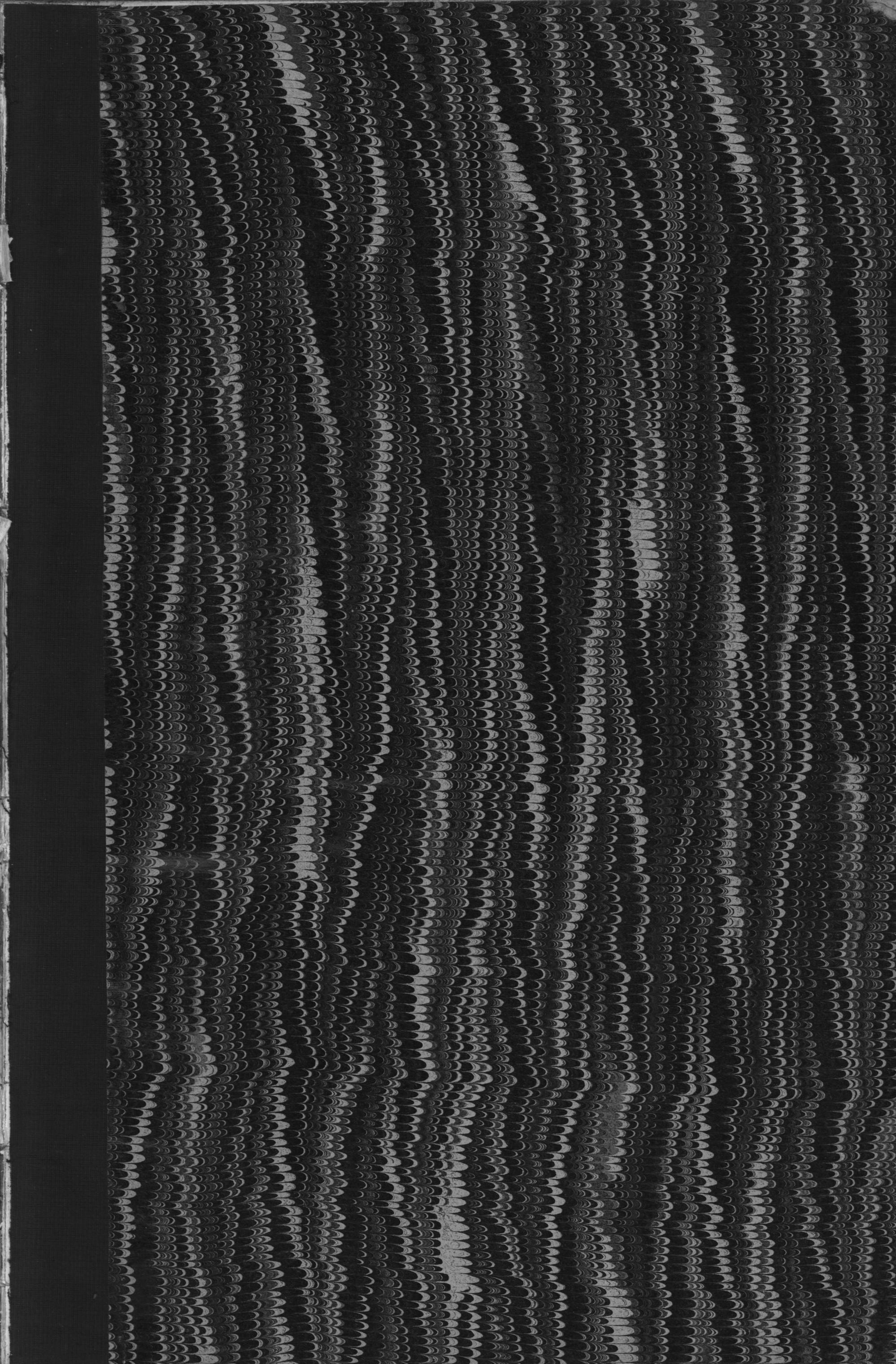
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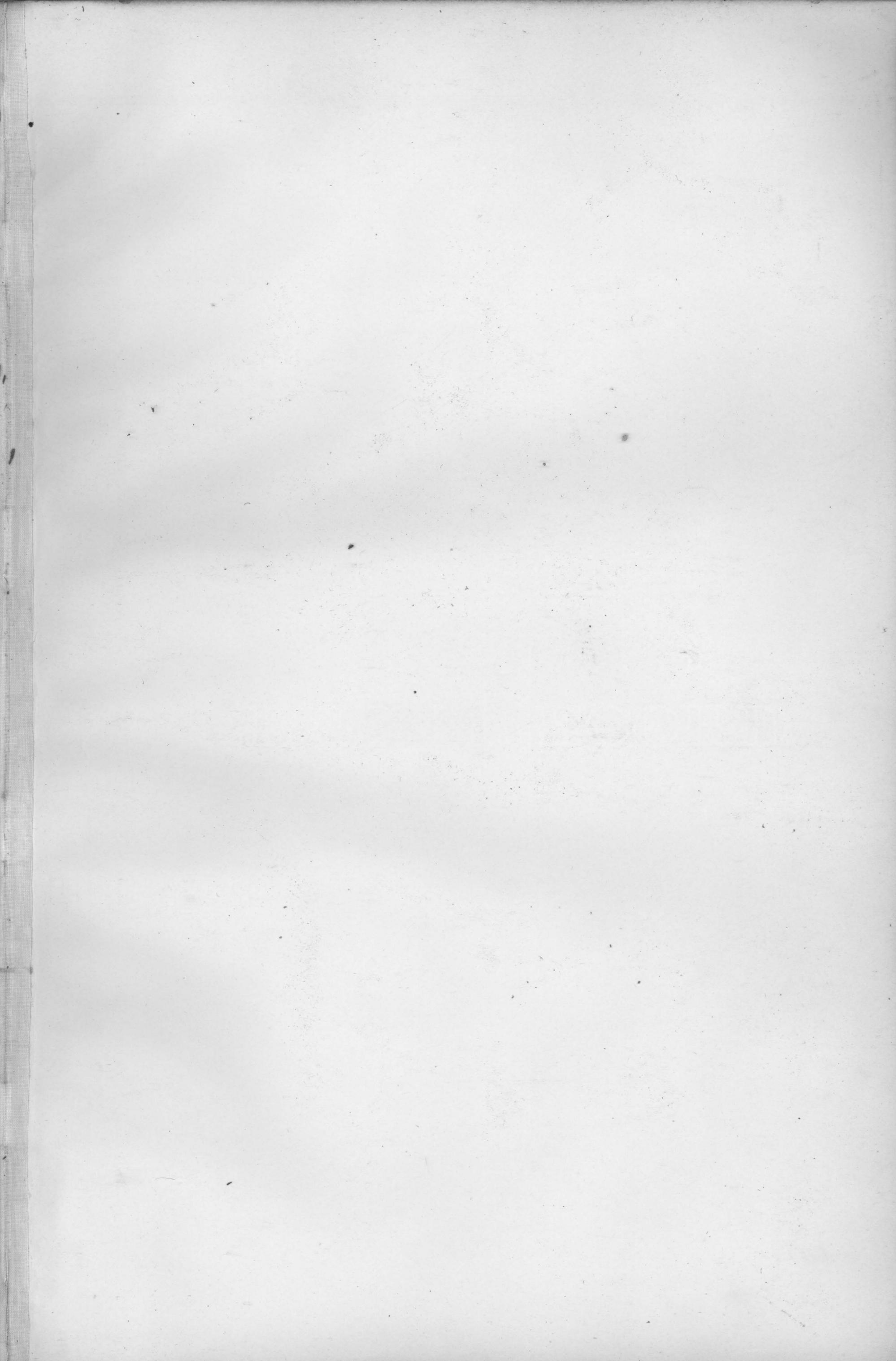
SUPERVISORS RECORD

NO. 4.

MARQUETTE
COUNTRY.







At the annual meeting of the board of supervisors of Marquette county, held at the court house, in the city of Marquette, in said county, on Monday, October 12, A. D. 1896, the following proceedings were had.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman at 11 o'clock a. m. On roll call by the clerk, the following named supervisors were found to be present: Argall, Billings, Blehmuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wilson, Wollner, Chairman.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The credentials, as follows, of Maurice Wollner, supervisor from the fourth ward of the city of Negaunee, vice F. V. Sauer, resigned, were presented and ordered placed on file:

Negaunee, Mich., Sept. 4th, 1896.
To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich.

GENTLEMEN: At a meeting of the common council of the city of Negaunee, held on the 3rd day of September, 1896, the resignation of Francis V. Sauer as supervisor of the 4th ward of said city, was duly received and accepted, whereupon Maurice Wollner was duly appointed, by a vote of a majority of all the common council elect, to fill the vacancy caused by such resignation.

Such appointment was made under the authority of the city charter.

Dated Sept. 4th, 1896.

JAMES JOHNSON,
City Recorder.

Mr. Wollner was admitted as a member of the board and assigned to the committees vacated by Mr. Sauer.

The credentials, as follows, of Thomas Symons, supervisor from the Tenth ward of the city of Ishpeming, vice John Tregambo, who has removed from the city, were presented and ordered placed on file:

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 17th, 1896.
Gad Smith, county clerk, Marquette, Mich.

DEAR SIR: This is to certify that at the regular meeting of the common council of the city of Ishpeming, held Sept. 9, 1896, Mr. Thomas Symons was appointed supervisor for the tenth ward, in place of John Tregambo, who has left the city.

Respectfully submitted,

P. F. SMALL,
Recorder.

Mr. Symons was admitted as a member of the board and assigned to the committees vacated by Mr. Tregambo.

A communication from the auditor general of the state with the amount of state tax apportioned to Marquette county was presented and referred to the committee on finance and taxation.

AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
LANSING, September 25, 1896.

To the Clerk of the County of Marquette, Mich.:

SIR—Pursuant to the provisions of Section 35, Act 206, Public Acts of 1896, you are hereby notified that a State Tax has been apportioned to the several counties of the State, according to the last returns of the aggregate valuation of taxable property therein made to this office, and as equalized and determined by the State Board of Equalization at their session in August, 1896.

The aggregate valuation of real and personal estate in Michigan as equalized by the State Board of Equalization in the year 1896 is \$1,105,100,000.00, of which amount \$18,000,000.00 is in Marquette county.

The aggregate of State Taxes apportioned to the several counties of the State in the year 1896 is \$2,068,538.62, of which amount \$33,692.60 is apportioned to Marquette county.

The several items of the State Tax of 1896, and the sum of each, are as follows, viz:

University of Michigan, 1-6 mill tax
Sec. 1, Act 19, 1895. \$ 184,183 33

Michigan Soldiers' Home and Home for Soldiers, Sailors and Mariners, etc., current expenses, etc., Sec. 4, Act 114, 1895.

Michigan State Normal School, current expenses, etc., Sec. 3, Act 171, 1895.

State Public School, current expenses, etc., Sec. 3, Act 219, 1895.

State Agricultural College, repairs, improvements, etc., Sec. 2, Act 165, 1895.

Michigan Asylum for the Insane, repairs, improvements, etc., Sec. 3, Act 168, 1895.

Upper Peninsula Hospital for the Insane, current expenses, etc., Sec. 6, Act 196, 1895.

Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, repairs, improvements, etc., Sec. 3, Act 169, 1895.

Michigan Home for the Feeble Minded and Epileptic, current expenses, etc., Sec. 3, Act 221, 1895.

Michigan School for the Deaf, current expenses, etc., Sec. 4, Act 214, 1895.

Michigan School for the Blind, current expenses, etc., Sec. 2, Act 92, 1895.

Industrial School for Boys, current expenses, etc., Sec. 3, Act 172, 1895.

State Industrial Home for Girls, current expenses, Sec. 3, Act 195, 1895.

Michigan Mining School, current expenses, Sec. 4, Act 167, 1895.

State Board of Fish Commissioners, current expenses, Sec. 3, Act 71, 1895.

State Board of Health, Sec. 2, Act 241, 1881.

State Weather Service, collection and compilation of climatic and meteorological data, etc., Sec. 5, Act 246, 1895.

Michigan National Guard, Sec. 960 (H.S.) Act 198, 1893.

State Naval Militia Fund, Sec. 36, Act 211, 1895, 1% of one cent per capita.

Copying Records in Adjutant General's Office, Sec. 3, Act 30, 1895.

State Library, management and control, etc., Sec. 10, Act 28, 1895.

Dairy and Food Inspection, Sec. 12, Act 245, 1895.	9,400 00	NO. OF CLAIMS.	NAME OF CLAIMANT AND WHAT FOR.	AM'T C'LD.	AM'T ALL'D.
Michigan Dairymen's Association, Institutes, etc., Sec. 3, Act 249, 1895.	1,000 00	1	F V Saur, sup serve's	\$ 9 12	\$ 9 12
State Horticultural Society, editing and compiling reports, etc., Sec. 4, Act 194, 1895.	1,500 00	2	Jos Scobble, do	9 60	9 60
State Board of Agricultural, Institutes, etc., Sec. 6, Act 166, 1895.	5,000 00	3	Nick Swanson, do	19 20	19 20
Michigan's War Governor, Austin Blair, Statue of, J. R. II, 1895.	10,000 00	4	Wm Coad, do	9 60	9 60
General Purposes, Sec. 2, Act 265, 1895.	1,171,000 00	5	J Tregambo, do	14 40	14 40
		6	Jas Findlay, do	16 80	16 80
		7	Dennis Rudy, do	22 80	22 80
		8	Uriah Blight, do	10 32	10 32
		9	Geo Haupt, do	30 72	30 72
		10	M Elliott, do	41 28	41 28
		11	F D Davis, ser ex'm'er	24 00	24 00
		12	A E Sterne, do	24 00	24 00
		13	Gad Smith, cash for sundries	9 55	9 55
		14	B W Wright, cash paid for sundries	579 11	579 11
		15	Mining Journal Co., publish proceedings	29 70	29 70
		16	Mining Journal, printing	23 75	23 75
		17	Griffey & Flynn, printing	53 09	53 00
		18	Geo A Newett, printing	47 20	47 20
		19	St. Mary's hospital, typhoid case	19 48	19 48
		20	St. Mary's hospital, typhoid case	12 57	12 57
		21	St. Mary's hospital, care Chas Williams, fever	4 56	4 56
		22	Ishpeming hospital, L Thebert, operation	10 00	10 00
		23	H W Sheldon, M D, ex body of Geo Mall	5 00	5 00
		24	F B Spear, coal, court house and jail	296 55	299 55
		25	Watson & Palmer, door mats	4 00	4 00
		26	Manhard Jopling Co., sundries for jail	5 75	5 75
		27	Moosbrugger, meals for witness	6 00	6 00
		28	Jos Nice, meals for witness	15 24	15 24
		29	Peter White pub lib'y, one vault door	40 00	40 00
		30	Lake Shore Iron wks, repairing vault door	1 18	1 18
		31	Johnson Clothing Co., clothing for feeble minded patient	4 50	4 50
		32	Hager Bros Co., matress for jail	2 50	2 50
		33	Jao Danielson, 1 doz brooms for jail	3 60	3 60
		34	Freeman Bros, livery fever cases	2 00	2 00
		35	Jas LaFortune, draying for court house	1 00	1 00
		36	Chas A Eggers, note books for stenog'er	15 00	15 00
		37	Chas A Eggers, binding tax book	2 50	2 50
		38	L P Crary, printing	5 50	5 50
		39	L P Crary, justice fees	2 00	2 00
		40	do	2 75	2 75
		41	do	4 25	4 25
		42	do	4 25	4 25
		43	do	4 00	4 00
		44	do	3 25	3 25
		45	do	3 55	3 55
		46	Thos Meads, do	2 75	2 75
		47	do	2 75	2 75
		48	do	2 75	2 75
		49	do	2 75	2 75
		50	E J Carey, do	3 55	3 55
		51	do	3 65	3 65
		52	Jos H Primeau, do	6 25	6 25
		53	do	3 95	3 95
		54	do	3 10	3 10
		55	C Kennedy, do	14 85	13 35
		56	do	10 60	10 60
		57	Chas Roberts, do	14 80	13 30
		58	do	12 60	12 60
		59	E E Exstrom, do	3 50	3 50
		60	Sam'l C Rogers, coroners fees, Mall	12 00	12 00
		61	Sam'l C Rogers, coroners fees, Meloche	12 00	12 00
		62	Sam'l C Rogers, coroners fees, Mall	1 60	1 60
		63	Sam'l C Rogers, coroners fees	3 00	Rej'd
		64	Olof Thoreson, deputy sheriff fees	16 00	Rej'd

TOWNSHIP.	Acres Assessed.	Real Estate Assessed.	Personal Property Assessed.	Total Value Assessed.	Amount Added.	Amount Deduced.	Total Value Equalized.
Marquette City	\$ 2,434,940	\$ 414,600	\$ 2,840,540	\$ 849,540	\$ 2,000,000		
Ishpeming	3,497,905	471,535	3,098,440	989,440	3,000,000		
Negaunee	1,044,410	90,940	1,495,380	4,620	1,500,000		
Chocolay Township	56,336	500	57,036		40,000		
Turin	103,830		103,830		70,000		
Forsyth	193,470	2,400	195,870		130,000		
Richmond	203,440	4,700	208,140		160,000		
Tilden	298,130	12,050	310,180		285,000		
Ely	128,675	540	129,215		100,000		
Humboldt	100,645	1,510	102,155		80,000		
Champion	100,557	27,200	52,190	28,010	55,000		
Michiganame	274,780	10,440	285,220		250,000		
Republic	454,085	123,150	57,235	22,765	600,000		
Ishpeming	239,528	7,800	247,328		125,000		
Negaunee	80,700	7,					

76	Art T. Emmons, constables fees.....	1 43	1 43
77	Art T Emmons, constables fees	2 60	2 60
78	Art T Emmons, constables fees.....	3 90	3 90
79	J Miles Doyle, constables fees.....	4 87	4 87
80	J Miles Doyle, constables fees.....	5 31	5 31
81	J Rough, const fees...	4 00	4 00
82	do do	2 50	2 50
83	do do	7 40	7 40
84	do do	4 50	4 50
85	do do	10 22	10 22
86	do do	2 62	2 62
87	do do	1 20	1 20
88	do do	5 60	5 60
89	do do	1 50	1 50
90	do do	50	50
91	J Heuhatala do	4 55	4 55
92	J Westgreen do	4 50	4 50
93	do do	1 50	1 50
94	do do	11 40	11 40
95	do do	8 65	8 65
96	do do	12 45	12 45
97	Jno Harrington, Millimaki case.....	10 00	Rejected
98	Jno C Downing, deputy sheriffs fees...	7 75	7 75
99	Jno C Downing, deputy sheriffs fees...	11 20	11 20
100	Jno C Downing, deputy sheriffs fees....	3 75	3 75
101	Jno Nolan, deputy sheriffs fees.....	4 35	4 35
102	Jno Nolan, deputy sheriffs fees.....	12 00	12 00
103	Jno Nolan, deputy sheriffs fees.....	14 45	14 45
104	Jno Aronson, services Millimaki case.....	12 00	12 00
105	Sol Annear, juror fees	1 50	1 50
106	Wm Cleary, do	1 50	1 50
107	W A Jellison, do	1 50	1 50
108	R Lawler, do	1 50	1 50
109	Wm Reedy, do	1 50	1 50
110	Jno Olen, do	1 50	1 50
111	Louis Sporley, do	3 75	3 75
112	Jno Bartle, do	3 75	3 75
113	M Kaufman, do	3 75	3 75
114	Jas Johnson, do	3 75	3 75
115	W F Hodge, do	3 75	3 75
116	M Wollner, do	3 75	3 75
117	M B Toutloff, do	3 75	3 75
118	T F Donahoe, do	3 75	3 75
119	Otto Egger, do	3 75	3 75
120	Jas Ames, do	3 75	3 75
121	Jno Strick, do	3 75	3 75
122	O A Sinclair, do	3 75	3 75
123	J H Dawson, wife fee	48	48
124	Cliff Bourdeau, do	68	68
125	E Gustafson, do	48	48
126	Steve Kemp, do	48	48
127	Jno Molby, do	48	48
128	WHCleenden, do	48	48
129	Ed Mall, do	75	75
130	Louis Mall, do	75	75
131	Jno Manning, do	75	75
132	Jno Mall, do	75	75
133	H W Sheldon, do	1 50	1 50
134	Jos Clarmont, do	75	75
135	H W Meloche, do	75	75
136	PEGingrassJr do	75	75
137	Thos Dordon, do	1 50	1 50
138	Jas Kenny, do	75	75
139	W S Picotte, do	1 50	1 50
140	DrGordeaux, do	1 50	1 50
141	T A Felch, do	75	75
142	Geo G Barnett, do	75	75
143	Mat Chester, do	1 42	1 42
144	Maudie Waugh, do	1 42	1 42
145	Miles Doyle, do	1 42	1 42
146	Pat K Kandien, do	48	48
147	Albt Gauthier, do	95	95
148	Aug Brodin, do	85	85
149	Albt Gauthier, do	85	85
150	Aug Brodin, do	95	95
151	Albt Johnson, do	48	48
152	Ole Kivilahti, do	48	48
153	Frank Johnson, do	48	48
154	E S Roland, do	48	48
155	Thomas Tucker, constable fees.....	2 02	2 02
156	S E Byrne, coroner fees.....	5 50	5 50
157	S E Byrne, justice fees	3 25	3 25
158	do do	3 00	3 00
159	do do	2 75	2 75
160	do do	3 00	3 00
161	do do	3 05	3 05
162	A T Emmons, con fees	1 60	1 60
163	do do	1 33	1 93
164	do do	2 99	2 59
165	do do	5 50	5 10
166	do do	1 13	1 33
167	do do	3 75	3 75
168	Jos Clarmont, do	5 34	5 34
169	T F Donahoe, justice fees.....	3 70	3 70
170	J H Rough, mileage..	24 16	24 16

And your committee asks to be discharged from the further consideration of the said claims and accounts.

W. A. Ross,
MARK ELLIOTT,
PHILIP P. CHASE,
THOMAS PEARCE,
FRANCIS V. SAUER,
JOSEPH FAY,
T. H. ROBERTS,
JOSEPH SCOBLE,
S. M. BILLINGS,
Committee.

The following report of the committee on county officers accounts was accepted and adopted:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette county.

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on county officers' accounts beg leave to report that they have compared the vouchers of the secretary of the board of superintendents of the poor with his books and found them to agree. They have also checked all the vouchers in the county treasurer's office for the year ending Sept. 30, 1896, and compared receipts and find that they agree with his books. The balance of cash on hand in the treasurers' office as thus shown is seventy-nine thousand seven hundred thirty-one and fifty-eight one hundredths dollars (\$79,731.58).

We have also compared the orders drawn by the clerk and find that they agree with the amounts audited as shown by the statement of the auditing committee as having been audited by them.

Respectfully submitted.
MARK ELLIOTT,
GEO. HAUPt,
M. GORMAN,
J. F. NEIDHART,

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 12, 1896.

The report of the special committee on the salaries of county officers was received, recommending the following amounts to be paid to the county officers named therein, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors Marquette County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your special committee appointed to fix salaries for the several salaried county officers beg leave to report and submit the following recommendation subject to your approval, viz:

Salary to be paid sheriff, \$1,000 per year.

Salary to be paid county clerk, \$1,600 per year.

Salary to be paid treasurer, \$1,800 per year.

Salary to be paid prosecuting attorney, \$1,500 per year.

Salary to be paid mine inspector, \$1,500 per year.

Salary to be paid county commissioner of schools, \$750 per year.

Salary to be paid superintendent of poor, Second district, \$800 per year.

Salary to be paid abstract clerk, \$40 per month.

The county commissioner of schools to pay his mileage and all other expenses in connection with this office.

GEO. HAUPt, Chairman.
ROBT. BLEMHUBER,
MAT. WASLEY,
S. M. BILLINGS.

Supervisor Haupt moved the adoption of the report. Supervisor Coad moved to amend the report, and that the salaries remain as fixed two years ago.

It was moved, as an amendment to the amendment, that the board proceed to vote on the salary of each county officer separately, which amendment was adopted.

On motion the meeting adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

The board was called to order at 2 o'clock p. m.

On roll call the following named supervisors answered to their names:

Argall, Billings, Blemhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman.

The board then proceeded by a yea and nay vote to fix the salaries of the several county officers for the ensuing two years as follows:

The salary of sheriff was fixed at \$1,000.

Yea—Billings, Blemhuber, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wilson, Wollner, Chairman. Nays—none.

The salary of county clerk was fixed at \$1,800.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Coad, Elliott, Findlay, Fitch, Gordon, Kruse, Morgan, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner—20. Nays—Billings, Blemhuber, Chase, Chiabotti, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Ross, Sink, Wasley, Wilson, Wollner, Chairman. Nays—none.

The salary of county treasurer was fixed at \$2,000.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Coad, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner—24. Nays—Billings, Blemhuber, Chase, Chiabotti, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Wilson, Chairman—15.

The salary of prosecuting attorney was fixed at \$1,500.

Yea—Billings, Blemhuber, Chase, Chiabotti, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner—20. Nays—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Coad, Elliott, Findlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—18.

The salary for mine inspector was fixed at \$1,800.

Yea—Argall, Blemhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—29. Nays—Billings, Ewing, Haupt, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Wilson—15.

The salary of superintendent of poor was fixed at \$1,500.

Yea—Argall, Blemhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—15.

The salary of abstract clerk was fixed at \$50 per month.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—17.

The salary of the county commissioner of schools was fixed at \$1,000.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Findlay, Fitch, Gorman, Kruse, Morgan, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—24. Nays—Blembuber, Chase, Ewing, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Sink—14.

The salary of the superintendent of poor for the Second district was fixed at \$900.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Findlay, Fitch, Gorman, Johnson, Kruse, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—20. Nays—Blembuber, Chase, Ewing, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Sink—14.

The salary of the superintendent of poor for the Second district was fixed at \$900.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—20. Nays—Blembuber, Chase, Ewing, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Sink—14.

The salary of the superintendent of poor for the Second district was fixed at \$900.

Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—20. Nays—Blembuber, Chase, Ewing, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Sink—14.

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Yea—Argall, Blight, Bostram, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wollner, Chairman—20. Nays

The following report of the committee on finance and taxation was accepted and adopted:

To the honorable board of supervisors of Marquette county—GENTLEMEN:

Your committee on finance and taxation having had under consideration the various taxes for 1894 and previous years charged back and rejected by the Auditor General respectfully recommend that the same be charged up to the several townships and cities in which the lands lie, and that said taxes be assessed against the said lands where practicable, as follows:

State	County	Total
Ishpeming City	\$96 37	\$223 77
Marquette City	50 98	130 97
Negaunee City	146 70	528 69
Champion Twp	11 58	30 12
Chocolay	" 12	2 04
Ely	" 44	1 50
Forsyth	" 94 87	235 10
Humboldt	" 44 09	110 91
Ishpeming	" 2 36	6 19
Marquette	" 74	1 96
Michigan'a'm'	" 56 61	14 84
Negaunee	" 29	2 54
Republic	" 5 13	12 93
Richmond	" 1 92	4 67
Sands	" 1 94	1 14
Tilden	" 59	1 52
Turin	" 2 54	3 54
W. Branch	" 1 10	71
		1 81
		\$469 07
		\$1,314 04
		\$1,783 11

DAVID T. MORGAN,
Chairman.

On motion the board proceeded to take an informal ballot for superintendent of poor. Supervisors Haupt and Ewing were appointed tellers.

Whole number of votes cast..... 39
Of which F. V. Sauer received..... 4 votes

" C. S. Sporley " 17 "
" E. C. Cooley " 4 "
" Jno. E. LaLonde " 1 "
" W. J. Allen " 13 "

On motion a formal ballot was taken, and resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes cast..... 38
Of which Wm J Allen received.... 16 votes

" C L Sporley " 19 "
" E C Cooley " 1 "
" Scattering " 2 "

On motion the board proceeded to a second formal ballot for superintendent of poor, which resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes cast..... 39
Of which Wm. J. Allen received.... 15 votes

" Chas. L. Sporley " 20 "
" F. V. Sauer " 1 "
" E. C. Cooley " 2 "
" Blank " 1 "

Charles L. Sporley was then declared duly elected superintendent of the poor for the term of three years.

The following report of the county treasurer was received and ordered placed on file:

To the honorable board of supervisors of Marquette county:
GENTLEMEN: I beg to present for your consideration my annual report, viz:

Cash on hand Oct 1, '95 \$ 54,204 98

RECEIPTS.

For delinquent taxes..	35,655 70
" liquor tax	59,481 14
" state and county taxes.....	154,176 11
" primary sch'l fund	16,041 38
" circuit court costs	40 00
" kitchen fund.....	100 00
" interest.....	750 56
" tax sales.....	10,664 85
" collection fees.....	334 44
" library fund.....	478 00
" teacher's institute	87 00
" abstracts	111 75
" care insane patient	100 00
" sundries.....	1,010 02

	DISBURSEMENTS.
General fund warrants	\$ 50,152 74
Wit. and juror cert...	3,678 50
Poor fund.....	48,132 35
Township and liquor taxes.....	76,009 37
Library fund.....	823 00
State of Michigan.....	54,302 18
Primary school fund.....	16,041 38
Asylums for insane.....	4,150 86
Insurance.....	213 00
Soldiers relief fund.....	152 00
Telephones.....	115 00
Circuit court orders...	95 00
Sundries.....	139 02
	254,004 35
Total expended	
Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1896.....	79,731 58

\$393,735 93 \$383,735 93
The balance of cash on hand belongs to the following accounts, viz:

Library fund..... \$ 288 00
Teachers' institute fund..... 90 00
Collection fees..... 1,823 12
Interest..... 2,102 81

Townships, delinquent tax ac- count, etc..... 32,617 39

Estate deceased persons..... 625 33

General fund..... 39,236 78

State of Michigan..... 2,876 05

Kitchen fund..... 72 10

\$ 79,731 58

Respectfully,
B. W. WRIGHT,
County Treasurer.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 12, 1896.

The annual report of the superintendents of poor were received and ordered placed on file, as follows:

MARQUETTE, Oct. 1st, 1896.
To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan,

GENTLEMEN:—We have the honor to submit herewith our annual report for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1896.

Orders drawn on the county treasurer:
In favor of the poor house..... \$5,173 26
" " T. R. 1st District..... 3,898 25
" " 2nd " 26,036 28
" " 3rd " 11,962 99
Total..... \$47,070 78

This includes the following supplies on hand:
200 cords of wood; 400 bushels of potatoes; 5 tons of anthracite coal; 600 heads of cabbage; 10 bushels of beets; 2 bushels of beans; 6 bushels parsnips and other small vegetables.

We are pleased to report that the cost of maintaining the poor for the year shows a reduction of \$7,534 00 as compared with last year. In view of the fact that the outlook for work for the coming winter is very discouraging, we would respectfully recommend that your honorable body appropriate the sum of fifty thousand dollars as a poor fund for the current year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. D. BLANCHARD,
Sec'y Poor Board.

Following is the report of the Superintendents of Poor for the month of August.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Sept. 8, 1896.

SIR:—I have the honor to report transactions of the poor board during the month of August, 1896, as follows:

Orders drawn to poor house acc't. \$ 315 02

TEMPORARY RELIEF, 1ST DISTRICT.

Marquette city..... \$ 220 10
Marquette township..... 5 00
Chocolay..... 44 00
Scandia..... 15 00
West Branch..... 10 00
Turin.....
Total..... \$ 294 10

TEMPORARY RELIEF, 2ND DISTRICT.

Ishpeming city..... \$1037 00
Negaunee city..... 623 00
Ishpeming township.....
Negaunee.....
Forsyth..... 12 00
Richmond..... 31 00
Sands.....
Tilden..... 195 00
Total..... \$1898 00

TEMPORARY RELIEF, 3RD DISTRICT.

Michiganam township..... \$ 121 50
Republic..... 321 00
Champion..... 257 00
Humboldt..... 62 00
Ely..... 23 00
Total..... \$ 784 50
Grand total..... \$9287 62

Respectfully,

C. D. BLANCHARD,
Sec'y Poor Board.

Following list of persons who have received aid from the county was received and ordered placed on file:

MARQUETTE

Mrs. Joe Beaupre, 205 Hampton..... \$ 9 00
" Bridget Smith, 241 Rock..... 3 00
" D. Murphy, 235 Ohio..... 5 00
" Kate Sullivan, 113 Sixth..... 9 00
" Ovid Paris, 321 Washington..... 5 00
" Morture, 234 Mather..... 7 00
Mr. Antoine Beaupre, Chocolay..... 10 00
" Frank Perault, do..... 8 00
Mrs. M. McCarthy, 331 Superior..... 10 00
" Labine, 523 Washington..... 5 00
R. Dubeck, 324 Jackson..... 5 00
" Holm, Scandia..... 10 00
" Bridget Buckley, Genesee..... 5 00
" Tilly Smith, Lake..... 10 00
" B. Kirby, 111 Sixth..... 10 00
" F. Gurno, 337 Fisher..... 5 00
" Brindle, 217 Bluff..... 5 00
" Campbell, Seventh..... 3 00
" J. Kin, 327 Washington..... 5 00
" T. Mitchell, 344 Harrison..... 5 00
" Wm. Gray, Chocolay..... 5 00
" C. Harrison, West Branch..... 10 00
" D. Marvos, Chocolay..... 6 30
" E. McDonald, 414 Craig..... 5 00
" Ducharm, 723 Third..... 4 00
" Jack LaPete, Presque Isle..... 5 00
" La Branch, 247 Mather..... 10 00
" Sarah Monyoor, Chocolay..... 3 00
" Joe Cevshire, do..... 5 00
Mrs. C. Shunk..... 10 00
" A. Smith, 524 Superior..... 5 00
" J. Petoskey, 316 S 7th..... 5 00
" M. Hughes, Spring..... 10 00
" Fahl, 420 Hampton..... 5 00
" D. Croshire, 151 Hogan..... 3 00
" W. Ferris..... 9 20
" Lovel, Chocolay..... 5 00
" Wm. Watson, 157 Rock..... 3 00
" Balready, 365 Lake..... 5 00
" Barney Kirby, 6th and Rock..... 4 00
Mrs. Ed. Lock, 702 Division..... 5 00
" August Olson, Scandia..... 5 00
Mrs. Gilling, Park..... 5 00
" P. Anderson, 413 Hagen..... 5 00
" F. Young, 5th and Superior..... 6 05
" J. Ralph, Furnace st..... 10 35
" E. Gagnon, 516 Bluff..... 5 00

C. D. BLANCHARD,
Supt. First District.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Mrs. Mary Thomas, 502 N 2nd..... \$ 6 00
" Berger Swanson, 419 E Ridge..... 5 00
" And. Nelsen, 517 E Jasper..... 7 00
John Hogloff, 642 Vine..... 5 00
Mrs. Ellen Hulland, 250 Lake..... 4 00
" And. Zitterland, 112 Arch..... 8 00
" Grattle, 413 High..... 5 00
" Emma Knight, 303 Angeline..... 4 00
" Gust Bylander, 111 N 1st..... 5 00
" Thos. Johns, 901 S Lake..... 4 00
Mr. Philip Williams, N 1st..... 5 00
Mrs. Reardon, 829 Pine..... 4 00
" Rd. Andrews, 718 N 1st..... 10 00
" Ed. Roach, 311 Angeline..... 5 00
" Tremewen, N 3rd..... 8 00
" Aug. Cran, 778 Morris..... 8 00
" Gendle, 416 Jasper..... 5 00
" Martha Haws, Lake Angeline..... 4 00
Mr. Joseph Whinning, 753 S Pine..... 7 00

Medical attendance, Ishpeming, Felch & Vandeventer..... 80 00

Mrs. C. Nelsen, Wabash St..... 12 00

" John Lund, 708 Spring..... 12 00

NEGAUNEE.

Mr. A. Kretz..... \$ 5 00

" Wm. Edwards..... 10 00

Mrs. Murphy..... 10 00

" Jane Andrews..... 6 00

CHAMPION.

Mrs. T. Murphy..... \$ 5 00

" J. Hanson..... 6 00

" M. Murray..... 6 00

" F. Dolphie..... 10 00

" B. Andrews..... 10 00

" J. Tredeau..... 8 00

" Donnelly..... 6 00

" Erickson..... 6 00

" Johnson..... 8 00

" A. Carlson..... 5 00

" Deeble..... 5 00

" Hoagland..... 5 00

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Geraux..... 6 00
 Cole..... 8 00
 J. Arcanau..... 10 00
 Freeman..... 3 00
 Lind..... 5 00
 G. Anderson..... 5 00
 J. Rich..... 6 00
 Stevens..... 8 00
 J. Villanau..... 8 00
 Warglund..... 8 00
 Reed..... 5 00
 C. Parent..... 5 00
 H. Yulgren..... 5 00
 Joe Thomas..... 5 00
 G. D. Beech, M. D..... 25 00
 MICHIGAMME.

Mrs. A. Carlson..... 6 00
 Vulcan..... 12 00
 Etné..... 10 50
 Molway..... 5 00
 Hackinson..... 6 00
 J. P. Sundberg..... 10 00
 Swanson..... 13 00
 Benson..... 8 00
 Shaeberg..... 8 00
 O. Halagava..... 5 00
 Kingstrom..... 5 00
 A. Olson..... 8 00
 H. E. Laveland, M. D..... 25 00
 HUMBOLDT.

Joe Bray..... 5 00
 Mrs. Lenton..... 10 00
 " James Ralston..... 30 50
 Rd. Bray..... 4 00
 Matty Artigo..... 4 00
 G. D. Beech, M. D..... 12 50

ELY.

Mrs. D. Collard..... 6 00
 " P. Hebbard..... 7 00
 J. H. Andrews, M. D..... 10 00

OCTOBER REPORT.

Following is the report of the superintendents of the poor of expenditures for the month of September, with list of persons to whom aid was given. It was received and ordered placed on file.

Marquette, Mich., October 3rd, 1896.
 Sir: I have the honor to report transactions of the poor board during the month of September, 1896, as follows:
 Orders drawn to poor house acct..... \$ 290 36

TEMPORARY RELIEF 1st DISTRICT.
 Marquette city..... \$ 218 75
 Marquette township.....
 Chocolay "..... 36 00
 Scandia "..... 15 00
 West Branch "..... 10 00
 Turin ".....

Total,..... \$ 279 75
 TEMPORARY RELIEF 2d DISTRICT.
 Ishpeming city..... \$ 1,148 00
 Negaunee city..... 707 75
 Ishpeming township,
 Negaunee ".....
 Porsyth "..... 12 00
 Richmond "..... 10 00
 Sands ".....
 Tilden "..... 236 00

Total,..... \$ 2,113 75
 TEMPORARY RELIEF 3rd DISTRICT.
 Michigamme township,... \$ 96 50
 Republic "..... 315 00
 Champion "..... 263 00
 Humboldt "..... 45 50
 Ely "..... 13 00

Total,..... \$ 733 00
 Grand total,..... \$3,416 86

Respectfully,

C. D. BLANCHARD,
 Secy. Poor Board.

PERSONS AIDED IN MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

MARQUETTE

Mrs. Joe Beaupre, 205 Hampton..... \$5 00
 " Bridget Smith, 241 Rock..... 3 00
 " D. Murphy, 235 Ohio..... 5 00
 " K. Sullivan, 113 B Sixth..... 9 00
 " Ovid Paris 321 Washington..... 5 00
 " C. Merture, 234 Mather..... 7 00
 Antoine Beaupre, Chocolay..... 5 00
 Frank Perault, do..... 5 00
 Mrs. M. McCarthy 331 Superior..... 10 00
 " Labine, 523 Washington..... 5 00
 R. Dubcek, 224 Jackson..... 5 00
 Mrs. Helm, Scandia..... 10 00
 " Bridget Buckley, 411 Genesee..... 5 00
 " Tilly Smith, Lake..... 5 00
 " F. Gurno, 337 Fisher..... 10 00
 " Brindle, 217 Bluff..... 5 00
 " Campbell, 522 Seventh..... 3 00
 Mrs. La Branch, 247 Mather..... 5 00
 " Jno King, 327 Washington..... 5 00
 " T. Mitchell, 344 Harrison..... 5 00
 Wm. Gray, Chocolay..... 5 00
 " C. Harison, West Branch..... 10 00
 " D. Manyeos, Chocolay..... 9 30
 " E. McDonald, 414 Craig..... 10 00
 " Ducharm, 728 Third..... 4 00
 Jack La Pete, Presque Isle..... 5 00
 " Sarah Monyoor, Chocolay..... 3 00
 Joe Crochier, Furnace..... 5 00
 Mrs. A. Smith, 524 Superior..... 5 00
 " J. Petosky, 316 S Seventh..... 5 00
 M. Hughs, Spring..... 10 00
 " J. Gledhill, 508 Front..... 3 00
 C. Pohl, 420 Hampton..... 5 00
 D. Crockier, 151 Hogan..... 3 00
 Lovell, Chocolay..... 5 00
 " Wm. Watson, Rock..... 3 00
 Balready, 365 Lake..... 5 00
 " A. Rose, Sixth..... 5 00
 " M. Parker, Washington..... 5 00
 Barney Kirby, 6th and Rock..... 4 00
 Mrs. E. Lock, 702 Division..... 5 00
 August Olson, Scandia..... 5 00
 Mrs. Shunk, Hampton..... 5 00
 " P. Anderson, 413 Hogan..... 5 00
 " F. Young, 5th and Superior..... 5 00
 " J. Ralph, Furnace..... 9 00
 " E. Gagnon, 516 Bluff..... 5 00
 " D. Sweitzer, S Marquette..... 5 00
 " F. Miller, Washington..... 5 00

C. D. BLANCHARD,
 Supt. First District.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Mrs. A. M. Fredrick, Zoberline st.... \$ 5 00
 " C. Carlsen, 722 E Bank st..... 8 00
 " E. Tredennick, 776 Empire st..... 8 00
 " W. H. Noble, 402 S 4th st..... 10 00
 " John Cavis, 217 Ridge st..... 10 00

Cederberg, Wabash st..... 5 00
 Agnes, Jewell, 640 Iron st..... 6 00
 Montfay, 132 Division st..... 5 00
 C. Pitt, Wabash st..... 5 00
 R. Goodman, 639 S Pine st..... 5 00
 Thos. Rickard, Detroit Mine..... 5 00
 Ed. Robens, Jr..... 7 00
 L. Carlson, 139 New York st..... 8 00
 A. Williams, 244 Angeline st..... 4 00
 L. Boase, 319 Vine st..... 8 00
 E. A. Rogers, cor. Ely and North..... 8 00
 Erick Tonkin..... 10 00
 Peter Nantell, Gas House..... 6 00
 Hugh Viant, 4 months rent, sick..... 14 00
 Herbert..... 8 00
 R. Shappard, 308 Greenwood st..... 8 00
 Lizzie Karhue, 462 Jasper, 2 mo..... 16 00
 A. Peterson, 719 Morris st..... 8 00
 Anton Auguston, 757 Mich. st..... 10 00
 Astberg's Children, scattered at Ish..... 8 00
 Mrs. E. G. Erickson, 618 E Vine st..... 8 00
 L. J. Larsen, Deer Lake Road..... 6 00
 Aron Johnson, 769 Empire st..... 8 00
 And. Olsen, 115 Vine st..... 8 00
 Aug. Kenberg, 157 Cliff st..... 12 00
 Mary Clancy, W Division st..... 10 00
 Wm. Malvey, 215 Lake..... 7 00
 Thos. Parkins, 827 N Pine st..... 10 00
 James Angove, Angeline st..... 5 00
 Joe Whomning, 758 S Pine st..... 7 00
 Mrs. Aug. Crane, 778 Morris st..... 8 00
 " Gendale, 416 Jasper st..... 5 00
 Tremeiven, Ishpeming..... 8 00
 Ed. Roach, 311 Angeline st..... 5 00

Miss Emma Knight, 303 Angeline st..... 4 00
 Mrs. Richard Andrews, 718 N 1st st..... 10 00
 Mr. Berger Swansee, 419 E. Ridge st..... 5 00
 " Philip Williams, N 1st..... 5 00
 Mrs. Mary Thomas, 502 N 2nd..... 6 00
 Mr. Andrew Nelsen, 517 E Jasper st..... 7 00
 " John Hoglof, 642 Vine st..... 5 00
 Mrs. Ellen Hulland, 250 Lake st..... 4 00
 Annie Zetterland, 112 Arch st..... 4 00
 Gratle, 413 High st..... 5 00
 Gust Bylander, 111 North st..... 5 00
 Thos. Johns, 901 S Lake st..... 4 00
 Reardon, 829 Pine st..... 4 00
 Martha Haws, Lake Ang. loc..... 4 00
 Braström, 778 7th st..... 6 00
 Rd. Eills, 805 N 5th st..... 8 00
 S. B. Tretheway, Gas House..... 5 00
 Chapman, N Pine st..... 8 00
 John Eddy, 1002 N 3rd st..... 12 00
 M. A. Mills, 604 N 2nd st..... 8 00
 W. C. Pellow, 213 N Oak..... 8 00
 Sophia Southey, 4th and Ridge..... 6 00
 Wm. Smith, cor. Ridge and Lake..... 8 00
 P. Hammell, 413 E High st..... 5 00
 A. Stark, 426 E High st..... 5 00
 Engen, 227 Hill..... 8 00
 Ed. Billings, 212 Superior st..... 8 00
 Urr, Ishpeming..... 5 00
 Andrew Fredin, N 6th st..... 10 00
 Sodenberg, 303 Ridge st..... 5 00
 Winsand, 813 N 3rd st..... 9 00
 J. Murphy, 588 Marquette st..... 4 00
 Herigan, 315 1st st..... 4 00
 Montcalm, 205 S Lake st..... 7 00
 John Tonkin, 317 S 3rd st..... 7 00
 Randi Hammer, 314 Salisbury st..... 4 00
 Hermensen, 308 2nd st..... 8 00
 Chas. Brown, S 3rd st..... 5 00
 P. Reckstedt, Vine st..... 8 00
 S. K. Home, Ishpeming..... 5 00
 R. Hanen, 622 Wabash..... 6 00
 Peter Wicker, 621 Bank st..... 7 00
 John Sunstrom, 719 Ridge st..... 8 00
 " Wm. Murdock, 215 Lake st..... 7 00
 " Lindberg, 615 1st..... 5 00
 Mr. Wm. Murdock, 215 Lake st..... 4 50
 Ticket for man to Marquette poor house..... 50
 Mrs. Johnson, Empire, wood..... 1 50
 Anton Auguston, 757 Michigan, wood..... 1 50
 Felch & Vandeventer, Ishpeming hospital..... 80 00
 Abe Kangas' funeral..... 19 00
 Mrs. Aug. Kindstrand, 173 Cleft..... 10 00
 " Andrew Anderson..... 4 00
 " Aug. Anderson, 208 Morris..... 6 00
 Chas. Hoglund, 734 Morris..... 5 00
 John W Carlson, 135 Cliff..... 8 00
 E. Sullivan, 831 Pine..... 4 00
 Hurley, Barnum..... 8 00
 Larrance Hickey, 313 S Lake..... 12 00
 Emma Crane, 778 Morris..... 8 00
 Maggie Gordon, 136 York..... 6 00
 Dan Murphy, Houghton..... 8 00
 P. Kearney, 412 North..... 6 00
 Augusta Nelson, 177 Zoberline..... 10 00
 Michael Hedland, 210 Lake..... 8 00
 Gust Eddy, 419 S 3rd..... 6 00
 Jacob Jacobson, 110 Barn..... 8 00
 Emil Gramberg, 316 S 3rd..... 10 00
 Wickstrom, 323 7th..... 6 00
 Simanson, 110 Barn..... 8 00
 Mary Gross, 755 Morris..... 8 00
 Alex Haarda, 122 Davis..... 5 00
 " Garden, 115 York..... 6 00
 Andrew Lind, 443 Jasper..... 5 00
 Nels Kaskula, 257 Hill..... 3 00
 John Wallien, 446 Jasper..... 3 00
 Mrs. John Toy, Badger Hill..... 7 00
 " John Tregoning, 711 1st..... 10 00
 " R. Penberthy, 308 W Canda..... 10 00
 B. Uren, 706 N Pine..... 10 00
 Rowe, 404 S 4th..... 8 00
 Ginnis, 534 N Pine..... 8 00
 Jane Dawe, 206 E North..... 8 00
 Andrew Lerlin, 712 E Ridge..... 8 00
 Nels Samuelson, by Anthony Powder Mill..... 6 00
 Mrs. Hakan Swanson, 622 N 4th..... 6 00
 " Chas Carlson, New York..... 4 00
 John Bankson, 612 E Vine..... 8 00
 Mrs. C Nelson, 612 E Vine..... 7 00
 Gust Johnson, 802 Wabash..... 8 00
 L Bergquist, 503 E Ridge..... 5 00
 Fred Olsen, 427 New York..... 6 00
 Ed Gunville, 402 E Division..... 8 00
 Peter Carlson, Bank..... 4 00
 Swan Erickson, 419 E Ridge..... 7 00
 And Berglund, E High..... 5 00
 J Lund, 425 Spring..... 8 00
 Pohlman, 604 N 7th..... 9 00
 C T Anderson, 113 New York..... 7 00
 Rikstad, 418 Ridge..... 5 00
 Lidberg, 319 New York..... 7 00
 Krapp, 212 North..... 4 00
 F Vederstrom, 723 Morris..... 6 00
 " J Mustad, cor New York & N 7th..... 7 00
 Bank Person, 401 Ridge..... 6 00
 Mrs. T Tuhtela, 157 Zoberline..... 5 00
 " Anderson, Ishpeming..... 10 00
 Engman, Spring..... 5 00
 Sophia Johnson, S 2nd..... 5 00
 C Nelson, Wabash..... 12 00
 Arvedson, 713 Empire..... 9 00

J Lund, 708 Spring..... 12 00
 Lina Carlson, 323 Cleveland..... 4 00
 E Fransen, 702 E Bank..... 5 00
 Ekstrom, Cleveland ave..... 6 00
 Alex Kangas, 243 N Cayis..... 7 00
 " Jacob Persons, E High..... 6 00
 " Agnes Ball, Ishpeming..... 10 00
 Mrs. J. Lamere..... 7 00
 Daniel Sullivan..... 5 00
 Pat Finucan..... 5 00
 H. Theela..... 5 00
 Miss Brady..... 5 00
 Matilda Matson..... 8 00
 A. Kratz..... 5 00
 Wm. Edwards..... 10 00
 Mrs. Murphy..... 8 00
 Mrs. John Butcher..... 8 00
 Ed Lameaux..... 8 00
 Mr. Ed Gaffney..... 5 00
 Mrs. L. Jeandrew..... 5 00
 Mrs. John Fish..... 5 00
 F. Blaire..... 5 00
 Alma Anderson..... 4 00
 Mrs. Frank Blair..... 12 00
 Mrs. Batoraro..... 6 00
 Oliver Rainville..... 5 00
 Mrs. T. E. Gaffney..... 10 00
 Mrs. Fountain..... 4 00
 Pat Nicholson..... 8 00
 Mrs. Lahoe..... 5 00
 Jack Diotte..... 5 00
 Richard Jackman..... 8 00
 Herman Minte..... 5 00
 Alma Oliver..... 7 00
 Mrs. Murray, Forsyth Twp..... 12 00
 Mrs. Andrews..... 6 00
 " Nichols..... 5 00
 " Richards..... 5 00
 " Oliver..... 12 00
 " Joe Rogers..... 5 00
 Mike Shea..... 5 00
 Mrs. Con Murphy..... 5 00
 Mrs. M. Murphy..... 5 00
 Mrs. Miller..... 4 00
 Mrs. Coffey..... 7 00
 Mrs. Magnason..... 6 00
 Mrs. Swan Rund..... 10 00
 Mrs. Michael Heaffe..... 6 00
 Mrs. James Saunders..... 5 00
 Mrs. Rafferty..... 5 00
 Henry Basenec, funeral..... 18 00
 Matt Sallow, funeral..... 8 00
 Mrs. John Johnson..... 5 00
 Mrs. Henry Lerette..... 5 00
 Mrs. Jane Trengrove..... 5 00
 James Saunders..... 10 00
 Mrs. Shanon..... 5 00
 Mrs. Gore..... 4 00
 Mrs. Moriarty..... 7 00
 Mrs. Cox..... 5 00
 Mrs. Hawkins..... 8 00
 Thomas Murray..... 6 00
 Mrs. J. Jacka..... 8 00
 Griffey & Flynn, printing..... 4 75
 Mrs. Limarr, wood..... 3 75
 Mrs. Gaffany, wood..... 3 50
 Mrs. Lacomb, wood..... 3 50
 Mrs. Gaffarry, wood..... 3 75
 Wm Morrison..... 7 00
 Alfred Peel..... 5 00
 Mr. Kauppula..... 5 00
 Mrs. R. Wateis..... 10 00
 Elizabeth Maclow..... 5 00
 James Jenkins..... 8 00
 Mrs. Olmstead..... 5 00
 Mrs. Korten..... 6 00
 Paddy Ganon..... 7 00
 Mrs. Teehen..... 6 00
 Mrs. John Gribble..... 12 00
 Mrs. Wm. Langford..... 7 00
 Ben Richards..... 12 00
 Mrs. Thomas Dougherty..... 8 00
 Mrs. John Jennings..... 6 00
 Mrs. Ellen Blee..... 5 00
 Mrs. J. Pero..... 8 00
 X. Pleau..... 8 00
 Mrs. C. Corthew..... 6 00
 Wm Eddy..... 8 00

Jas Tresidder..... 5 00
 Wm F. Hodge..... 5 00
 Andrew Richards..... 5 00
 Mrs. Henry Uren..... 10 00
 Mrs. Steve Davey..... 7 00
 Mrs. A. Rasmussen..... 8 00
 Mrs. Anna Trembach..... 5 00
 Mrs. Donnelly..... 6 00
 Mrs. Joe Hing..... 12 00
 Pat Hilgallion..... 5 00
 Maggie Kratz..... 5 00
 Mrs. Garbolina..... 6 00
 Dr. H. M. Haskell, Richmond Twp..... 11 00
 Dr. J. H. Hudson..... 50 00
 Mrs. Chas Johnson..... 8 00
 Mrs. Goranson..... 8 00
 Mrs. Lacombe..... 8 00
 Mrs. John Jockey..... 8 00
 Gikoli Huttala..... 5 00
 Lizzie Cramberg..... 5 00

CHAMPION.

Mrs. J. Villinau..... \$ 8 00
 " Warglund..... 8 00
 " Reed..... 5 00
 " A. Connally..... 4 00
 " Jos. Thomas..... 5 00
 " Duhamel..... 2 00
 " Bell..... 3 00
 " M. Ryan..... 5 00
 " A. Octava..... 5 00
 " Kalbie..... 5 00
 G. D. Beech M. D..... 25 00

MICHIGAMME.

Mrs. Vulcan..... 6 00
 " Etue..... 10 50
 " Molway..... 5 00
 " Kingstrom..... 8 00
 " Hockinson..... 5 00
 " J. P. Sundberg..... 10 00
 " Swanson..... 10 50
 " Benson..... 8 00
 " Shaeberg..... 8 00
 " O. Halagava..... 5 00
 " A. Olson..... 8 00
 H. H. Loveland M. D..... 12 50

HUMBOLDT.

Jos. Bray..... 5 00
 Mrs. Lenton..... 10 00
 " Jas. Rolston..... 10 00
 " Rd. Bray..... 4 00
 G. D. Beech M. D..... 12 50

ELY.

Mrs. Deserve Callard..... 6 00
 " P. Hebbard..... 7 00

REPUBLIC.

Mrs. McDonald..... 6 00
 " Wilkins..... 8 00
 " Grannis..... 6 00
 Christofferson..... 6 00
 " Thomas..... 5 00
 Demain..... 8 00
 J. Taylor..... 5 00
 " G. Neilson..... 5 00
 H. Wixtrom..... 5 00
 E. Weiser..... 8 00
 S. Peterson..... 6 00
 Lind..... 6 00
 Jenkins..... 6 00
 G. Peterson..... 8 00
 Anderson..... 5 00
 Sarah Anderson..... 6 00
 R. Glasson..... 8 00
 Godmear..... 5 00
 Mertins..... 5 00
 A. Sabane..... 5 00
 Tronson..... 3 00
 C. T. Dolberg..... 5 00
 F. Taylor..... 6 00
 C. Harstrom..... 6 00
 W. Knotwell..... 8 00
 C. Olson..... 6 00
 J. Hooper..... 5

250 foot level of "C" shaft. The level was undergoing a careful system of repairs, which in a few days from the date of the accident, would have been completed. Deceased, with his partner John Strater, were pushing a car of ore along the track when a projecting piece of old timber was encountered and broken, thus letting down the everhanging dirt and crushing Dunston beneath it. Death occurred before he reached the surface. Dunston was 30 years of age, married, and of English extraction. Verdict of the jury: "Accidental death by a fall of ground."

Henry Uren met death at the Jackson mine on December 28, 1895, from a fall of ground. The 120 foot level of the Sand Shaft, was the scene of the accident, place 1,200 feet northwest of shaft. John Trembath was engaged on the same contract with Uren and both were employed at the time of the accident, in barring down the loose ground from a recent blast. Without warning about a ton of ore released from a slip and, while falling, caught Uren, before escape was possible. He was immediately removed to surface, where he survived only five hours, expiring at 10:30 p.m. Deceased was 38 years of age, married, and born in England. Verdict of jury was "Accidental death".

Swan Erickson was killed in the open pit of Cleveland Lake mine on January 16, 1896. Erickson and his partners were employed to run the ore down the mill to the first underground level. Noticing the heavy ground overhead, John Olson, foreman, and Captain Buzzo, who happened to be present at the accident, had already ordered Erickson and his partners to cease work until everything was made safe. In disregard of orders Erickson returned to the mouth of the mill while Olson and his men were placing the ladder against the unsafe ground. He was in this manner caught beneath the dirt as it fell and was instantly killed. Deceased was of Swedish origin, married, and was 36 years of age. Verdict of the jury: "Accidental death by fall of ground".

Frank Hooper met death in the Republic mine at the 120 foot level of No. 8 Shaft on February 6, 1896. In disregard of orders he tried to jump on a moving skip, slipped and fell 120 feet. Death occurred about three hours after he was brought to surface. Deceased was 18 years of age, single and born of English parents. Verdict of the jury: "Accidental death".

Jacob Osear met death at the Cleveland Lake shaft, on first level on February 14, 1896. Deceased was engaged in running a chute on the level before named and was barring out a jam while standing under the apron of the chute on a ladder. The jam suddenly yielded and in the rush thus precipitated the apron was broken down and Osear buried. "Accidental death" was the verdict of the jury.

James Doidge, William McGraw and Alfred Boitel, English, and Matthias Tagelburg, Swede, were killed at the Republic mine, on the 15th day of February, 1896. The unfortunate men, with seven others, were riding on the skip of No. 1 shaft, having climbed on at the bottom level. On reaching the 1020 foot level the skip dumped. Seven of the men escaped but the four included in the foregoing list were unable to liberate themselves and were crushed beneath the skip on the timbering of the shaft. Though contrary to orders, it had been the custom of the men to ride on the skip in and out of the mine, and never before had an accident resulted. No cause can be assigned for the dumping of the skip, as the track, by close inspection, proved to be in perfect order. McGraw was unmarried, the other three had families. The jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Henry Longfield was killed at the Lillie mine on March 5, 1896, by falling into a chute while attempting to reach the ladder-road connecting the fourth and fifth levels of No. 4 shaft. Work at the Lillie mine is conducted in observance of the caving system, and Longfield while working in his room supposed he heard the timbers cracking, and hurriedly jumped for the ladder, missing it he went down the chute to the level below a distance of 75 feet, and was instantly killed. Deceased was a Finlander by birth and was unmarried. "Accidental death" was the verdict of the jury.

John Johnson was killed at the Salisbury mine on the 2nd day of April, 1896. Deceased and three other men were engaged in retimbering the 15th level of "A" shaft, when about a ton of dirt came down from the back of the level and fell upon the spot on which he stood, producing immediate death. Johnson was single and born in Sweden. Verdict of the jury was: "Accidentally killed by a fall of ground."

James Rowe was killed at the Salisbury mine on the 17th day of April, 1896. The accident occurred on the 15th level, 632 feet from surface and 300 feet south of the shaft. Rowe and his partners were engaged in blasting their room together. Two holes were charged in legs of timber on second tiers and were exploded. The men stood in the level below but in too close proximity to the blast. A piece of timber came down among the debris, striking and killing Rowe. Had the men stood 10 feet further from the blast no fatality in this connection would be reported. Deceased was thirty-six years of age, married and born in England. The verdict of jury, "Killed by accident".

Peter Cardew and James Harrington were killed on the 29th day of April, 1896, at the Sec. 21 mine of the Lake Superior property. The victims of this accident were engaged at the 520 foot level and about 600 feet south of the shaft. They were working in a room three sets wide by two sets high, and were running their ground from surface. An unexpected rush of ground carried away the timbers and buried the men. Twelve hours were consumed in recovering the bodies. Both men were miners of good standing and especially reputed for care and thoroughness of work-

manship. Cardew was of English nativity; Harrington was born in Ireland. They were forty-five years of age and married. Verdict of the jury: "Accidentally killed by a fall of ground."

Andrew Pavala was killed at the Queen mine on the 2nd day of June, 1896, by fall down chute No. 39, situated 500 feet north of shaft on level No. 4. He fell a distance of eighty feet and was instantly killed. Following is the verdict of the jury: "On account of his own carelessness, he ought to have been more careful, knowing there was an opening, as was known to all the men only by accident; while those for the year working there. No blame is attached to anyone." All the chutes in the Queen mine are protected by a strong rail fence. In this connection it should be remembered, First—That operations for the accommodation of cars and wheelbarrows. Pavala was twenty-five years of age and single. He was born in Finland.

Charles Engman was killed at the Cleveland mine on June 2, 1896. Deceased, then prevailing. Second—That the with the electrician and bell-boy, Karen Gray, were fixing a pulley for the rope of year is much greater than that of last year, the first level. Through a misunderstanding Gray signalled the skip down, which year are of such a peculiar nature as to when lowered, caught Engman and crushed him against the side of the shaft, and death preclude the possibility of using them as was instantaneous. Deceased was twenty-five years of age, married and of Swedish nationality. Following is the verdict of the jury: "Charles Engman came to his death shaft from the skip in the Republic mine, on the 2nd day of June, 1896, at the Cleveland and two by premature blasts; making nine land Lake shaft mine, accidentally, being in all. These deducted from the total struck while the skip was being lowered in number of fatalities leave sixteen deaths said shaft."

Mattie Lind was killed at the Queen mine on June 16, 1896, by a fall of ground in stope No. 35. The fatality occurred while the deceased and his partners were completing the last set in their room, which was two sets wide, four long and five high. Lind was standing on lagging laid across sets on fourth tier and was making room for timber on tier above, when a small run of ground came down and struck him behind the head and carried him down to the level below, a distance of twenty-eight feet. "Accidentally killed by a fall of ground" was the verdict of the jury. Lind was thirty years of age, single and born in Finland.

John Gribble was killed at the Negaunee mine at 11 o'clock a.m., June 24th, 1896. He was struck by a falling rock about one ton in weight, while at work in No. 1 stope, 147 feet northeast of shaft on 3rd level. Deceased was about forty-five years of age, married and born in England. The jury found the death to be by "accident" and exonerated all parties from blame.

August Peterson died on the 4th day of July, 1896, from injuries received in the Republic mine, the first of same month. Peterson was sitting, after a blast, under a portion of heavy ground, waiting for the trammers to fill the car standing on the track. It was his intention to go up the ladder already placed against the hanging wall to trim the ground after the departure of the car. While waiting, however, about twenty-five pounds of rock fell out of the roof and struck him. He was taken to surface and placed in the mine hospital, where he died on the date given above. No inquest was held. Peterson was forty-two years of age, married and Swedish origin.

Matt Larson was injured at the Champion mine on July 9th and died July 11th, 1896. The accident was singular in character. It appears that Larson was engaged on the 14th level and in east stope No. 6 of the mine. He had climbed to the top of a pile of ore in order to pull it down for the trammers, when the pile began to run carrying Larson along with it. In the descent he was struck with a boulder which inflicted internal injuries, said to have produced death. Deceased was a single man, born in Finland, and was about twenty-five years of age. There was no inquest.

John Jenkins died on the 11th day of July, 1896, from injuries received in the Jackson mine the previous day. Deceased was employed in stripping in the Sand shaft preparatory to closing down, when a stretch of pipe, 1½ inches in diameter and 100 feet long, slipped and caught him on the leg, necessitating amputation, which was followed by his death. Deceased was thirty years old, married and was born in England.

August Aho was killed at the Cleveland Lake shaft on the 5th of August, 1896. Aho, with his partners, was replacing timbers disturbed by a blast on the preceding shift, when a rock fell from the back, with result as above reported. Deceased was 35 years of age, single and of Finnish nationality. The jury declared that death was produced by accident.

John Kupio and John Meanapa were killed at the Section Sixteen property of the Lake Superior Iron Company's mines on the 13th day of August, 1896, by a premature blast. At the time of the accident the victims were engaged in the 3rd room of the 430 foot level. They were careful men and excellent miners and no reason appears for the unexpected explosion by which they met death. Kupio was 42 years of age and Meanapa had passed his forty-fifth birthday. They were both married and born in Finland. Verdict of the jury: "Accidentally killed by a premature blast".

RECAPITULATION.

LIST OF VICTIMS FOR THE YEAR.

Name.	Late Residence.	Nationality.
John A. Anderson,	Ishpeming, Swede.	
Thomas Dunston,	Ishpeming, English.	
Henry Uren	Negaunee, English.	
Swan Erickson,	Ishpeming, Swede.	
Frank Hooper,	Republic, English.	
Jacob Osear,	Ishpeming, Finlander	
James Doidge,	Republic, English.	
William McGraw,	Republic, English.	
Alfred Boitel,	Republic, German.	
Matthias Tagelburg,	Republic, Swede.	
Henry Longfield,	Negaunee, Finlander	
John Johnson,	Ishpeming, Swede.	
James Rowe,	Ishpeming, English.	
Peter Cardew,	Ishpeming, English.	
James Harrington,	Ishpeming, Irish.	

Andrew Pavala, Negaunee, Finlander
Charles Engman, Ishpeming, Swede.
Matti Lina, Negaunee, Finlander
John Gribble, Negaunee, English.

August Peterson, Republic, Swede.
Matt Larson, Champion, Finlander
John Jenkins, Negaunee, English.

August Aho, Ishpeming, Finlander
John Kupio, Ishpeming, Finlander
John Meanapa, Ishpeming, Finlander
Ishpeming, Finlander

from all other causes. The number killed

from all other

At a meeting of the board of supervisors held pursuant to adjournment at the court house in the city of Marquette, in said county, on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, A. D. 1896, the following proceedings were had:

The meeting was called to order by the chairman at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

Roll called by the clerk.

Present—Argall, Billings, Blehmhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gorman, Haupt, Johnson, Johnasen, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Seoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner and chairman.

Absent—Gordon, Jacob, Tregambo,

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the auditing committee was accepted and adopted by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeast—Argall, Billings, Blehmhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gorman, Haupt, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Symons, Scoble, Sink, Swanson, Tregonning, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner and chairman.

Nays—none.

The auditing committee's report is as follows:

Your committee to whom was referred the claims and accounts herein enumerated, having had the same under consideration, beg leave to report the same back to the Board, with the recommendation that the sum set down in the last column opposite the names of the respective claimants, be allowed and ordered paid, viz:

No. Name Nat. of Claim Am't Claimed Allowed.

171	Joseph Fay, sal. as sup'r \$ 31 20	\$ 31 20
172	Joseph Storrey, do 4 80	4 80
173	William Argall, do 24 00	24 00
174	do co. canvass 6 00	6 00
175	John Bostrum, do 6 00	6 00
176	do sup'r serv.. 24 00	24 00
177	Francis Findlay, do 11 40	11 40
178	Matthew Wasley, do 38 40	38 40
179	Uriah Blight, do 5 16	5 16
180	Joseph Scoble, do 9 60	9 60
181	do co. canvass 6 00	6 00
182	Thomas Symonds, do 6 00	6 00
183	A J Libby, do 5 80	5 80
184	C P Johnson, do 6 60	6 60
185	W S Wilson, do 10 40	10 40
186	Robt. Blehmhuber, do 3 40	3 40
187	Nicholas Swanson, do 6 00	6 00
188	Thomas Pearce, do 6 00	6 00
189	J E Sherman, do 12 60	12 60
190	F M Moore, do 12 60	12 60
191	W H Rood, do 7 00	7 00
192	Griffey & Flynn, publishing proceedings and Mine Inspector's report.....	149 96
193	M J Co., pub'g proceedings Geo. A. Newett, publishing proceedings and printing election tickets.....	135 90
194	B W Wright, sund. exps. do cash advanced insane patient.....	69 47
195	H O Young, exp. atty. state board equalization.....	15 00
196	H O Young, exp. as pros. attorney.....	198 25
197	J H Rough, exp. as mine inspector.....	205 11
198	A Macht's, assessment for grading Division st. west.....	10 32
199	A A Foster, ex. of insane.....	122 37
200	C O Boyce, prof'n'l servs. do services at jail Aug., Sept. and Nov.....	5 50
201	O G Youngquist expense of insane.....	60 00
202	A A Foster, ex. of insane.....	5 00
203	Felch & Vandeventer, care of diphtheria case.....	30 00
204	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	21 43
205	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	30 00
206	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	15 72
207	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	15 72
208	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	35 72
209	Felch & Vandeventer, same of diphtheria case.....	21 43
210	do do 15 72	15 72
211	do do 35 72	35 72
212	do do 21 43	21 43
213	Samuel Barker, watchman in diphtheria case.....	44 00
214	Jno Chapman, fumigating house diphtheria case.....	refer'd
215	J B Montgomery, stat. etc	2 50
216	A E Sterne, school exam'n	17 75
217	F D Davis, do	20 00
218	Maud E Blackwood, services assisting probate judge	20 00
219	Mrs A Gray, board of wit.	36 00
220	J H Lewis, board of jurors	3 00
221	Marq. Gas Light Co., supplies for court house.....	13 00
222	D Murray, supplies for jail	50
223	H F Handford, sup. for jail	7 60
224	W Cleary, rep. stone walk,	1 00
225	Stafford Drug Co., sun. sup.	12 25
226	Dickie & Howe, supplies for county clerk.....	4 40
227	F W Read, lumber, etc. for barn and jail.....	4 40
228	H F Handford, sup. for jail	15 73
229	W Cleary, rep. stone walk,	1 00
230	Stafford Drug Co., sun. sup.	12 25
231	Dickie & Howe, supplies for county clerk.....	4 40
232	H Gregory, plans for regis- ter's building.....	4 00
233	J Ralph & Son, rep. fence Broad, sods for c h yard	50 00
234	G E French, barrel cement do bushel lime	12 00
235	Jac. Rose, supplies for jail do supplies for ty-	2 00
236	phoid fever case.....	1 50
237	Jacob Smith, groc. for poor	3 00
238	Freeman Bros., livery for typhoid fever case.....	5 00
239	H P Adolph, livery for Mil-	refer'd
240	imaki case.....	1 00
241	H P Adolph, same.....	do
242	do do 9 50	9 50
243	do do 1 00	1 50
244	do do 8 00	8 00
245	Jabes Stevens, do	1 50
246	do do 1 50	1 50
247	do do 1 50	1 50
248	S. C. Rogers, coroners fees	3 40
249	L P Cray, do	5 50
250	do do 11 40	11 40
251	L P Cray, for justice fees	4 70
252	do do 3 25	3 25
253	do do 3 25	3 25
254	do do 4 25	4 25
255	do do 3 00	3 00
256	do do 5 00	2 00
257	do pr'tg jui records	3 00
258	do pr'tg for co. clerk	4 30
259	C Kennedy, for justice fees	14 95
260	do do 13 10	13 10
261	do do 12 15	12 15
262	do do 25 50	25 50
263	Charles Roberts, do	9 75
264	Jos. Broad, board of pris.	194 00
265	Josiah Broad, sheriff fees	12 50
266	Samuel Bennett, do	7 50
267	A T Emmons, constable fees	3 00
268	do do 1 89	1 89

No.	NAME	STREET	AM'T.	
3	Mrs. Joe Beaupre	205 Hampton	\$ 5 00	
1	Bridget Smith	241 Rock	3 00	
6	Mrs. D. Murphy	235 W. Ohio	5 00	
3	Mrs. K. Sullivan	113 Sixth	10 60	
2	Mrs. Ovid Paris	321 Washington	5 00	
5	Mrs. Merture	234 Mather	7 00	
1	Antoine Beaupre	Chocolay	5 00	
2	Frank Parault	Chocolay	5 00	
7	Mrs M McCarty	331 Superior	10 00	
2	Mrs. Labine	523 Washington	7 00	
1	R. Dubeck	324 Jackson	5 00	
6	Mrs. Holm	Scandia	10 00	
1	Bridget Buckley	411 Genesee	5 00	
5	Mrs. Tilly Smith	Lake	10 00	
7	Mrs. F Gurno	337 Fisher	10 00	
7	Mrs. Brendle	217 Bluff	5 00	
1	Mrs. Campbell	522 South Seventh	3 00	
1	Mrs. J King	327 Washington	5 00	
4	Mrs T Mitchell	344 Harrison	5 00	
4	Mrs W Gray	Chocolay	5 00	
9	Mrs C Hansen	West Branch	10 00	
8	Mrs D Mongoose	Chocolay	8 00	
7	Mrs E McDonald	414 Craig	10 00	
2	Mrs Dushaun	723 North Third	4 00	
1	Jack La Petre	Presque Isle	5 00	
5	Mrs La Branch	247 Mather	10 00	
1	Sarah Mongoose	Chocolay	3 00	
3	Joe Crochie	Furnace	9 00	
4	Mrs A Smith	524 Superior	5 00	
1	Mrs J Pretosker	316 South Seventh	5 00	
4	Mrs M Hughes	Spring	10 00	
4	Mrs J Gladhill	508 Front	5 00	
1	Mrs Pohl	420 Hampton	5 00	
3	Mrs D Crochier	151 Hogan	6 00	
3	Mrs Lovell	Furnace	5 00	
5	Mrs R Baldray	365 Lake	5 00	
5	Mrs C Rose	Sixth	5 00	
4	Barney Kirby	115 Sixth	4 00	
2	Mrs E Lock	702 Division	5 00	
4	August Oleson	Scandia	5 00	
4	Mrs P Anderson	413 Hogan	5 00	
4	Mrs F Young	Fifth & Superior	5 00	
1	Barney Kirby	Cor. Sixth & Rock	9 00	
1	Julia Ralph	Furnace	9 00	
5	Mrs D Sweitzer	South Marquette	5 00	
3	Mrs E Miller	Washington	5 00	
2	Mrs J DeLee	509 Front	5 00	
5	Mrs M Holway	523 Third	6 00	
1	Mrs J Babcock		7 45	
				C. D. BLANCHARD, Supt. 1st Dist.
				SECOND DISTRICT.
1	Mrs J Jenkins	1627 Empire	8 00	
2	" Murphy	588 Marquette st.	4 00	
	" J Angove	215 Angeline	5 00	
	" James Kemp	South Pine	6 00	
	" Rose Andreau	244 Angeline	6 00	
	" Trudelle	Junction	1 50	
	" Thos Arkins	827 Pine	10 00	
	J Whennig	753 Pine	7 00	
	Mrs A Cran	778 Morris	8 00	
	" Gendle	416 Jasper	5 00	
	" Tremewen	Ishpeming	8 00	
	" E Rooth	311 Angeline	5 00	
	" Emma Knight	303 Angeline	4 00	
	Mrs R Andrews	718 North First	10 00	
	Philip Williams	North First	5 00	
	Mrs M Thomas	409 North Second	6 00	
	Andrew Nelson	517 East Jasper	7 00	
	J Hooglof	642 Vine	5 00	
	Mrs E Hallond	250 Lake	4 00	
	" A Zettinland	112 Arch	8 00	
	" Grattie	413 High	5 00	
	" G Bylander	111 North	5 00	
	" Thos Johns	901 Lake	4 00	
	Mrs Reardon	828 Pine	4 00	
	Martha Hawes	Lake Angeline	4 00	
	" Wm Nalvey	215 South Lake	7 00	
	" Mrs Mary Clancy	West Division	10 00	
	R Penberthy	308 West Canada	10 00	
	Mrs J Tregonning	701 North First	10 00	
	Mrs Rowe	404 South Fourth	8 00	

Mrs. Ing Hammer.	314 Salisbury	4 00	" Jane Rickard	"	10 00	
Mrs R Hammer.	622 Wabash	6 00	" T Nichols	"	5 00	
" J Sundstrom.	719 Ridge	8 00	" John McGregor	"	12 00	
" Peter Wicker.	627 North	7 00	" John Sherman	"	12 00	
Wm Murdock.	215 Lake	7 00	" Joseph Arnett	"	12 00	
Mrs Lindberg.	628 Ridge	5 00	" John Clancey	"	10 00	
P A Larson.	North Second	5 00	Mrs Swanson, north 4th street		4 50	
" Andrews.	Negaunee	10 00	" Harrigan, 315 south 1st street		4 50	
" J Nichols.	"	6 00	" Wm Murdock, 157 Lake street		4 50	
" Richards.	"	5 00	" A Renberg, 157 Cliff		4 00	
" J Saunders.	"	5 00	" Giannis, 117 Barnum		4 00	
" H Oliver.	"	5 00	" Oie, 638 Wabash street		4 00	
" J Rogers.	"	12 00	" Ekstrom, 405 Cleveland avenue		4 00	
M. Shea.	"	5 00	" D Ling, North Pine street		4 00	
Mrs C Murphy.	"	5 00	" Olson, 418 North		4 00	
" M Murphy.	"	5 00	" Rogers, 417 Ely street		4 00	
" Miller.	"	5 00	Mary Thomas, 409 North 2d street		4 00	
" Coffey.	"	7 00	" J Lund, 708 Spring street		4 00	
" Magnusen.	"	6 00	" M A Mills, 419 Ely street		4 00	
" S Rund.	"	10 00	" C F Andersen, 114 N. Y. street		4 00	
" Keefe.	"	8 00	" Gust Bylander, 111 North street		4 00	
" Jane Angove.	"	5 00	" T Perkins, 827 North Pine street		4 00	
" Jens Jensen.	"	5 00	" J Eddy, 1002 North 3d street		4 00	
" Rafferty.	"	5 00	" Anderson, 427 North Main street		4 00	
" Henry Lerette.	"	7 00	" Lindberg, 319 N. Y. street		4 00	
" John Jacka.	"	8 00	" Johnson, 811 North Pine street		4 00	
" Shannon.	"	5 00	" Erickson, 618 Vine street		4 00	
" Gore.	"	4 00	" Bergen, 200 North 3d street		4 50	
" Moriarity.	"	7 00	" Noble, South 4th street		4 00	
" Cox.	"	5 00	" Anton Auguston, 757 Mich. street		4 00	
" James Saunders.	"	10 00	" Rekastid, 612 Ridge street		4 00	
Wm Mury.	"	5 00	" O Nelsen, 623 Vine street		4 00	
Wm Morrieson.	"	7 00	" Roberts, 110 North 1st street		4 00	
Alfred Peel.	"	10 00	" J Tregonning, 711 North 1st street		4 00	
Mrs Kauppila.	"	5 00	" J Davis, 412 North Lake street		4 00	
Isaac Touve.	"	10 00	" Chappel, 418 South 3d street		8 00	
Mrs Lacombe.	"	8 00	" Jane Trevina, Iron street		10 00	
Mrs. J. Jocky.	"	8 00	" R Goodman, 649 South Pine street		5 00	
" Huttalla.	"	5 00	" R J Rogers, cor. Ely & North street			
Mrs Cronberg.	"	5 00	" S Roase, 319 Vine street		8 00	
" Trembach.	"	5 00	" Ann Williams, 244 Angeline street		4 00	
Joe King.	"	10 00	" L Carlson, 133 N. Y. street		8 00	
Mrs. Donnelly.	"	6 00	" Chapple, 418 South 3d street		8 00	
Pat Kilgalian.	"	5 00	" Ann Frederick, Soberline street		19 00	
John Blair.	"	5 00	" Wm Noble, 402 South 4th street		10 00	
Mrs M Kratz.	"	5 00	" C Carlson, 723 East Bank street		8 00	
" Garbolina.	"	6 00	" John Davis, 217 Ridge street		10 00	
Joe Stangolla.	"	7 00	" Angus Jewell, 640 Iron street		6 00	
Mrs W Watson.	"	8 00	" Johana Cederberg, Wabash street		5 00	
" Brady.	"	5 00	" Mountjoy, 132 Division street		5 00	
John Larle.	"	10 00	" Caroline Piett, Wabash street		5 00	
Matt Salloway.	"	12 00	" Noble, 402 South 4th street		4 75	
Herman Theally.	"	5 00	" E Tredinnick, 776 Empire street		8 00	
Mrs. Pat Finucan.	"	5 00	" T Rickard, Detroit mine		5 00	
Dan Sullivan.	"	7 00	" John Lyons, West Ishpeming		10 00	
Mrs Julia Lamere.	"	7 00	" E Tredinnick, 776 Empire street		4 75	
" J Gribble.	"	12 00	" Wm Caldren, North 7th street		12 00	
" Olmstead.	"	5 00	" Wm Harris, South Pine Street		10 00	
" Teehan.	"	6 00				
Paddy Gannon.	"	7 00				
Ben Richards.	"	12 00				
Mrs T Dougherty.	"	8 00				
Mrs. W. Langsford.	"	7 00				
Nick Kratz.	"	4 00				
John Jennings, Sr.	"	6 00				
Ellen Blee.	"	6 00				
Chas Shelefo.	"	2 00				
Mrs J Pero.	"	8 00				
" X Pleat.	"	4 00				
" C Cartnew.	"	6 00				
" W Eddy.	"	8 00				
Jas Tresidder.	"	5 00				
W F Hodge.	"	5 00				
Andrew Kichards.	"	5 00				
Mrs H Uren.	"	10 00				
Steve Davey.	"	7 00				
Hans Rasmussen.	"	8 00				
Mrs W Dunistan.	"	2 00				
Alex Gullickson.	"	2 00				
Mrs J Oughtia.	Richmond	12 00				
" P Erickson.	"	8 00				
" J Chapaout.	"	6 00				
" Richard Rice.	"	5 00				
Miss Rosie Lamere.	Negaunee (fun'l)	19 03				
Dr J H Hudson.	"	50 00				
Mrs Charles Johnson.	"	8 00				
" L J Anderson.	"	6 00				
H Riverett.	"	10 00				
Oliver Rainwell.	"	5 00				
Mrs T E Gaffney.	"	10 00				
" Fountain.	"	4 00				
" P Nicholson.	"	8 00				
" N Lahoe.	"	5 00				
Mrs J Diode.	"	5 00				
" R Jackman.	"	5 00				
Frank Blais.	"	12 00				
Wm Edwards.	"	7 00				
Louis Boyer.	"	8 00				
Wm Oliver.	"	7 00				
Batararo.	"	6 00				
H Minet.	"	10 00				
Mrs. Marlow.	"	5 00				
" J Jenkins.	"	8 00				
R Watters.	"	10 00				
Gaffney.	"	3 50				
J Richards.	"	4 50				
J Laha.	"	3 50				
Julia Lemere.	"	4 50				
Hans Rasmussen.	"	3 50				
Mrs John Jacka.	"	3 50				
" Olmstead.	"	3 50				
" Blaire.	"	3 50				
Cox.	"	4 50				
Coffee.	"	3 50				
Jenkins.	"	3 50				
" J Nichols.	"	9 00				
Ben Richards.	"	4 50				
Mrs Saunders.	"	3 50				
" Moriarity.	"	3 50				
" Langsford.	"	3 50				
Murphy.	"	3 50				
Hottola.	"	3 50				
" Joe King.	"	3 50				
" Joe Rogers.	"	4 50				
Wm Edwards.	"	4 50				
A Cratz.	"	5 00				
Pat Murphy.	"	10 00				
Mrs McCarty.	"	6 00				
M Chisler.	"	5 00				
Mr McCarty.	"	6 00				
Mr Chisler.	"	5 00				
Ole Leaf.	Tilden Township.	6 00				
Julia Tolern.	"	9 00				
" Sundstrom.	"	8 00				
" Mood.	"	10 00				
1 Mrs Mary Roach.	"	6 00				
3 Tony Larson.	"	8 00				
4 Hagen Johnson.	"	6 00				
Mrs Aug Anderson.	"	12 00				
" Esquer.	"	10 00				
1 Nelf Ekman.	"	5 00				
Mrs Garson.	"	12 00				
Louis Larsen.	"	10 00				
P G Ames.	"	3 00				
Mrs Henrickson.	"	10 00				
Joe Merched.	"	8 00				
Richard Laire.	"	10 00				
P G Johnson.	"	5 00				
Mrs Taleen.	"	4 00				
" Mood.	"	4 00				
" Mary Roach.	"	4 00				
" H Johnson.	"	4 00				
Mrs Walls.	"	4 00				
Mrs J Roberts.	"	4 00				
Mrs S Roberts.	"	4 00				
Mrs Brackett.	"	4 00				
Mrs Bear.	"	4 00				
Morty Sullivan.	"	4 00				
Mrs Treloar.	"	4 00				
" Sunstrom.	"	4 00				
Chas Byrns.	"	10 00				
Hugh Viant.	"	10 00				
Brackett.	"	6 00				
" John Roberts.						

At a meeting of the board of supervisors held pursuant to adjournment at the court house in the city of Marquette, in said county, on Wednesday, the 23d day of December, A. D. 1896, the following proceedings were had:

The meeting was called to order by the chairman at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

Roll called by the clerk.

Present—Argall, Billings, Blehmhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Scoble, Sink, Symons, Swanson, Tregonning, Wilson, Woolner and chairman.

Absent—Tregambo, Fitch, Goodman, Wasley.

Petitions of citizens of Negaunee, Sands and Richmond townships for the building of a road from Gauthier's Spurr to Negaunee city were received and on motion referred to a committee of five to negotiate for a right of way over the proposed route and report to the next meeting of this board.

The chair appointed as such committee supervisors Wilson, Read, Haupt, Wollner and Ewing.

To the Board of Supervisors, of the county of Marquette—GENTLEMEN:

We the undersigned petition your honorable body to build the wagon road from Gauthier's Spurr to Negaunee, as surveyed last year. The road will be a great benefit to the townships of Sands, Forsyth and Scandia, as these townships have now no good road to Negaunee. To be built as a territorial road. The undersigned are freeholders of Negaunee township:

Chas. Martell Iron Cliffs Co., by Sam. C. L. Sporley Redfern, Land Agt. Ed. C. Anthony H. M. Mackenzie George Haupt

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette—GENTLEMEN:

We the undersigned, petition your honorable body to build the wagon road from Gauthier's Spurr to Negaunee as surveyed last year. The road will be a great benefit to the townships of Sands, Forsyth and Scandia, as these townships have now no good road to Negaunee. Built as a territorial road. The undersigned are freeholders of Sands township:

B. J. Goodman James Kindlin Moses Yelle M. Dougherty Henry Young A. Flodin Joseph Contais Ed. Munson C. F. Olson W. J. Mahaffey John Young Thomas Ogeston Arthur Wilson John O'Neal Edward Burns

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County—GENTLEMEN:

We, the undersigned, citizens and resident of Richmond township, said county, do hereby petition your honorable body to build the wagon road from Gauthier's Spurr to Negaunee as surveyed last year. The road will be a great benefit to the townships of Sands, Forsyth and Scandia, as these townships have now no good road to Negaunee. Said road to be built as a territorial road.

Wm. M. Kirkpatrick J. E. Hogberg C. L. Sporley, for Caro- A. E. Larson line Sporley J. F. Foley Iron Cliffs Co., by Sam. Oliver Liquea Redfern, Land Agt.

The following report of the auditing committee was adopted by yeas and nays as follows:

Yea—Argall, Billings, Blehmhuber, Blight, Bostram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Ross, Symons, Scoble, Sink, Swanson, Tregonning, Wilson, Woolner and chairman.

Nays—none.

Your committee to whom was referred the claims and accounts herein enumerated, having had the same under consideration, beg leave to report the same back to the Board, with the recommendation that the sum set down in the last column opposite the names of the respective claimants, be allowed and ordered paid, viz:

No. Name Nat. of Claim Am't Am't Claimed Allowed.

339 W. A. Ross, ser. as sup'r \$ 9 36 19 36
340 S. M. Billings, do 46 80 46 80
341 E. J. Sink, do 18 72 18 72
342 Francis Findlay, do 18 72 18 72
343 Thos H. Roberts' do 27 36 27 36
344 Felix Chiabotti, do 13 68 13 68
345 Thomas Pearse, do 52 80 52 80
346 Nicholas Swanson, do 9 60 9 60
347 William Argall, do 9 60 9 60
348 Thomas Symons, do 9 60 9 60
349 William Coad, do 14 40 14 40
350 August Jacob, do 24 00 24 00
351 Joseph Scoble, do 9 60 9 60
352 James Findlay, do 8 40 8 40
353 A G Johnston, do 45 36 45 36
354 Philo P. Chase, do 71 28 71 28
355 W. S. Ewing, do 28 32 28 32
356 W. S. Wilson, do 22 22 22 22
357 Jos Tregonning, do 18 00 18 00
358 B. W. Wright, supplies for office 231 53 234 53
359 Gad Smith, cash paid for express 5 56 5 56
360 C. A. Eggers, bind'g tax rolls 2 75 2 75
361 Mining Journal Co., for publishing bd. procd'gs 24 60 24 60
362 Griffey & Flynn, pub. bd. procd'gs and other print'g 49 10 49 10
363 George A. Newett, for publishing board procd'gs 24 60 24 60
364 George A. Newett, print'g teachers reports 2 25 2 25
365 H. O. Young, ex. as prost'r 15 25 15 25
366 Nels Clifton, expenses for insane 27 75 27 75
367 J. H. Rough, mileage as mine inspector 21 64 21 64
368 Josiah Broad Jr., care of insane patient 8 00 8 00
369 Geo. C. Higbee, services as stenographer 11 00 11 00
370 Tonella & Johnson burial supplies 13 00 13 00
371 Farnham's Drug Store, medicines for insane 2 40 2 40
372 Pendill's Phar, invoice bk 2 75 2 75
373 do chlo. of lime 20 20
374 do medicine 50 50
375 Johnson Clothing Co., clothing for Insane 1 65 1 65
376 Robinson Bros. repairs on vault door 85 85
377 Marquette Gas Light Co., gas supplies 1 70 1 70
378 Marquette Gas Light Co., gas supplies 60 60
379 W. A. Johnston, rep. to c h 1 93 1 93
380 O. G. Youngquist, services at inquest 5 00 5 00
381 C. O. Boyce, con. physician 20 00 20 00
382 Felch & Vandeventer, medicines for poor 1 15 1 15
383 W. D. Kean, med. attend'ee 6 50 6 50
384 Marquette City Hospital, services for W. C. Connell 17 14 17 14

385 Marquette City Hospital, services for J. Norgood 61 71 61 41
386 Marquette City Hospital, services for John Dennis 35 54 35 54
387 Otto Lurdein, services as watchman in diph. case 48 00 48 00
388 Samuel Benkla, same 44 00 44 00
389 Muck & Thomas, groceries for typhoid fever pat. 5 00 reject'd
390 John Chapman, fumigating typhoid fever house 2 50 2 50
391 Stafford Drug Co. supplies for court house and jail 9 00 9 00
392 J. Lafourte, hauling ash 2 00 2 00
393 H. P. Adolph, livery, etc. 5 00 referred
394 J. P. Sandquist, do 1 50 1 50
395 Freeman Bros. do 6 00 6 00
396 do do 1 00 1 00

396 1/2 Tofield & Johnson, burial supplies 12 50 9 00
397 J. P. Zierdon, digging grave 4 00 4 00
398 L. M. Spencer, sup. for jail 4 20 4 20
399 J. E. Trethewey, labor c h 4 70 4 70
400 J. E. Trethewey, labor and material on hall 112 76 112 76

401 Void.
402 Seeman & Dump, repairs on Court house 38 35 38 35
403 Manhard-Jolping-Co. supplies for co. ho. and jail 23 50 23 50
404 Watson & Palmer, supplies for jail 13 00 13 00
405 L. P. Crary, drawing jury 2 00 2 00
406 do justice fees 3 35 3 35
407 do do 14 45 14 45
408 do do 4 25 4 25
409 do coroner's fees 5 50 5 50
410 Thos Meads, justice fees 3 25 3 25
411 J. H. Primeau, do 3 25 3 25
412 Charles Roberts, do 3 25 3 25
413 Cornelius Kennedy, do 11 80 11 80
413 1/2 Timothy Donahoe, do 6 85 6 85
414 J. S. Beatty, do 7 20 7 20
415 do do 7 95 7 95
416 J. Broad, board of pris'rs 280 00 285 00
417 do sheriff's fees 37 80 37 80
418 do do 10 13 10 13
419 S. Bennett, dep. sher. fees 2 75 2 75
420 do do 15 60 15 60
421 do do 18 00 18 00
422 do do 22 50 22 50
423 Jas. Jamerson, do 25 00 25 00
424 Jacob Dolf, constable fees 3 55 3 55
425 do do 4 75 4 75
426 do do 22 75 22 75
427 A. T. Emons, do 30 20 30 20
428 do do 1 66 1 66
429 do do 1 75 1 75
430 John Huttala, do 3 95 3 95
431 John Rough, do 1 00 1 00
432 J. Carlson, dep. sher. fees 3 25 3 25
433 J. C. Downing, do 5 05 4 05
434 do do 3 85 3 85
435 do do 7 90 7 90
436 do do 6 50 6 50
437 do do 5 00 5 00
438 do do 5 00 5 00
439 John Westgren, con. fees 1 00 1 00
440 do do 7 30 7 30
441 do do 4 75 4 75
442 do do 10 20 10 20
443 do do 1 95 1 95
444 Jos. Claimant, do 11 80 11 80

445 Chas Gustafson, searching for Mat Milliaki 9 00 3 00
446 Jos. Claimant, con. fees 15 00 reject'd
447 Thomas Bellisio, searching for Mat Milliaki 15 00 " 4 00
448 E. S. Rowland, con. fees 4 00 4 00
449 do do 11 15 11 15
450 Louis Beuese, assisting officer with insane 7 00 7 00
451 Thomas Tucker, same 1 50 1 50
452 Martin Suneson, same 1 50 1 50
453 D. Lavigne, dep. sher. fees 5 00 5 00
454 do do 18 95 18 95
455 do do 21 17 21 17
456 do do 24 42 21 42
457 P. J. Suits, constable fees 6 25 6 25
458 F. Richie, board prisoners 5 25 3 00
459 A. Anderson, guard. pris. 6 25 6 25
460 do do 18 50 16 00
461 C. Peterson, witness fees 1 70 1 70
462 Mrs. F. Bergeron, do 1 70 1 70
463 W. J. Clendenning, do 2 45 2 45
464 J. Labresson, do 2 45 2 45
465 John Connors, do 2 45 2 45
466 A. K. Thiell, do 3 40 3 40
467 Chas Anderson, do 3 40 3 40
468 Alex Frazer, do 3 40 3 40
469 Wm Bushnell, do 3 40 3 40
470 Frank Thomas, do 2 35 2 35
471 Archie Abbott, do 1 20 1 20
472 James Cameron, do 1 70 1 70
473 Richard Sparling, do 48 48
474 John Berg, do 48 48
475 Josiah Broad, Jr. do 48 48
476 A. C. Nolan, fees as juror 75 75
477 Kirby Bailey, do 75 75
478 John Frelhenny, do 75 75
479 H. D. Lyon, do 75 75
480 James Jamerson, do 75 75
481 James Freeman, do 75 75
482 Eric Anderson, carpenter work on court house 71 89 71 89
483 Chas Backum, work on ch 4 50 4 50
484 E. J. Sirk, do 14 08 14 08
485 C. T. Kruse, supervis. fees 24 00 24 00
486 A. J. Libby, do 14 04 14 04
487 E. A. Gourdeau, med. serv. 15 00 15 00
488 B. J. Goodman, typhoid fever case 8 60 8 60
489 Kirkwood & O'Domoghue, medicine furnished for typhoid fever case 6 35 6 35
490 M. Woolner, ser. as sup'r. 22 80 22 80
491 Mrs. A. C. MacKenzie, medical attendance 60 50 19 50

And your committee ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the said claims and accounts.

W. A. ROSS,
PHILIP CHASE,
JOSEPH FAY,
T. H. ROBERTS,
M. WOLLNER,
MARK ELLIOTT,
S. M. BILLINGS,
JOSEPH SCOBEL,
THOMAS PEARCE.

Marquette, Mich., December 19, 1896.

The following reports of the superintendents of the poor were read, accepted and ordered placed on file:

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 8th, 1896.

I have the honor to report transactions of the Poor Board during the month of Nov. 1896, as follows:

ORDERS DRAWN TO POOR HOUSE ACCT. \$428 46

TEMPORARY RELIEF 1ST DISTRICT.

Marquette city \$330 38
Marquette township 5 00
Chocolay " 36 00
Scandia " 25 00
West Branch " 10 00

Turin Total 406 38

TEMPORARY RELIEF 2D DISTRICT.

Ishpeming city 1894 70
Negaunee city 943 75
Ishpeming township 8 00
Negaunee township 58 00
Forsyth " 58 00
Richmond " 58 00
Sands " 508 00

Tilden Total 3412 45

TEMPORARY RELIEF 3RD DISTRICT.

Michigan township 154 50
Republic " 421 21
Champion " 479 81
Humboldt " 60 50
Ely " 30 54

Total, 1146 06

Grand Total, 1593 35

C. D. BLANCHARD,

Sec'y Poor Board

FIRST DISTRICT.

Mrs. Joe Beaupre, 205 Hampton \$ 9 00
Bridget Smith, 241 Rock street 3 00
D. Murphy, 235 Ohio street 5 00
Kate Sullivan, 113 Sixth street 10 00
Ovid Paris, 321 Washington street 5 00
Merture, 234 Mather street 9 00

Antoine Beaupre, Chocolay 5 00

Frank Perault, Chocolay 5 00

Mrs. McCarthy, 231 Superior street 10 00

Labeine, 524 Washington street 7 00

R. Dubcek, 324 Jackson street 5 00

Mrs. Holmes, Scandia 10 00

B. Buckley, 411 Genesee street 5 00

T. Smith, Lake street 10 00

F. Gurno, 337 Fisher street 10 00

Brindle, 419 High street 5 00

Campbell Furnace street 3 00

John King, 327 Washington street 5 00

T. Mitchell, 544 Harrison street 5 00

W. Gray, Chocolay 5 00

C Hansen, West Branch 10 00

D. Mongoose, Chocolay 10 00

D. McDonald, 414 Craig street 10 00

E. Dushawn, 723 Third street 4 00

Jack LaPete, Presque Isle 5 00

Mrs. LaBranch, 247 Mather street 5 00

Joe Crochle, Furnace street 3 00

Mrs. A. Smith, 524 Superior street 5 00

" J. Petree, 316 Seventh street 5 00

Mrs. P. Anderson, 413 Hogan street 5 00

Barney Kirby, Sixth & Rock 4 00

Mrs. J. Ralph, Furnace street 10 00

F. Miller, Washington street 5 00

J. DeLee, 509 Front street 5 00

F. Gagnon, 545 Bluff street 5 00

Gilling, Penn street 5 00

Bleus, Fourth & Hewitt 5 00

D. Muesiult, 116 Sixth street 5 00</p

ELY TOWNSHIP.	
" Mrs. D Collard	5 00
" P Hebbard	7 00
" Joseph Carns	13 04
" Peter Broka	10 00
JOHN MILROY, Supt. 3d Dist. The following official bonds of county officers were presented and duly approved:	
Adam Kangas, County Treasurer, in the sum of \$150,000.	
John Carlson, Sheriff, in the sum of \$10,000.	
William A. Ross, County Clerk, in the sum of \$2,000.	
William A. Ross, Register in Chancery, in the sum of \$10,000.	
Joseph H. Primean, Register of Deeds, in the sum of \$3,000.	
Waldo T. Potter, Circuit Court Commissioner, in the sum of \$5,000.	
George P. Brown, Circuit Court Commissioner, in the sum of \$3,000.	
Leonard P. Crary, Coroner, in the sum of \$10,000.	
William Prin, Coroner, in the sum of \$10,000.	
Charles L. Sporley, Superintendent of Poor, in the sum of \$1,000.	
On motion the board adjourned to Wednes- day, January 27, 1897, at 11 o'clock a.m.	
<i>a. J. Johnston Spurum</i>	
RICHMOND TOWNSHIP.	
H W Haskell	20 00
Mrs Outia	12 00
Mrs Erickson	8 00
John Welch	6 00
Joseph Stangway	3 00
Richard Rice	7 00
W H Nicholls	2 00
W. J. ALLEN, Supt.	
THIRD DISTRICT—REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP.	
Mrs McDonald	9 95
" S Wilkins,	8 00
" Thomas,	11 65
" Demain,	5 00
" J Taylor,	26 00
" G Neilson,	5 05
" H Wixtrom,	5 00
" E Weiser,	11 65
" J Peterson,	11 65
" A Anderson,	8 65
" Sarah Anderson,	9 65
" Gust Peterson,	11 65
" R Glasson,	11 65
" Goodmear,	11 65
" Mertens,	8 49
" A Labau,	5 00
" Tronson,	8 60
" C T Dolberg,	5 00
" K Taylor,	9 65
" C Harstrom,	6 00
" W Knotwell,	11 65
" C Olson,	8 65
" Lind,	9 65
" Jonkins,	9 65
" August Peterson,	8 00
" King,	7 33
" P Benson,	21 65
" G Beauchamp,	5 00
" Goggin,	6 00
" B Danielson,	8 65
" Johnson,	5 00
Abram Carlson,	5 00
Mrs. Hoagland,	8 65
" Magnuson,	6 00
" G Olson,	11 65
" Menhenett,	5 00
" Deebie,	5 60
Oscar Carlson,	8 65
Mrs. Massa Olein,	5 00
" J Sevnant,	5 00
" Ben Duquett,	10 00
" C Headman,	5 00
" Christofferson,	9 65
" Grannis,	11 65
" Tucker,	5 00
E E Lamb,	25 00
Mrs. Everson,	3 65
" Munroe,	3 55
" Runquist,	3 65
CHAMPION TOWNSHIP.	
Mrs. T Murphy,	17 00
" J Hanson,	14 00
" M Murray,	13 00
" B Dolphie,	25 30
" J Tredrae,	10 00
" Donnelly,	8 00
" Erickson,	34 76
" Johnson,	8 00
" Rachon,	10 00
" E Powers,	16 00
" J Kardie,	16 00
" Eade,	5 00
" N Dishnoue,	8 00
" Arcanau,	12 60
" Harrington,	5 00
" A Ritter,	3 00
" E Parri,	5 00
" E Thompson,	14 00
" Geraux,	18 00
" Cole,	16 00
" J Arcanau,	14 00
" Freeman,	3 00
" Lind,	5 00
" G Anderson,	5 00
" J Rich,	6 00
" Stevens,	16 00
" J Villanau,	16 00
" Warglund,	12 00
" Reed,	5 00
" H Yulgren,	17 00
" A Connolly,	4 00
" Joe Thomas,	5 00
" Bell,	12 00
" M Ryan	5 00
" A Octova,	6 00
" J Kelly,	5 00
" Beauchamp,	5 00
" A Palm,	5 00
" Klypel,	5 00
" Trevarthen,	6 75
G D Beech, M. D.	50 00
MICHIGAMME TOWNSHIP.	
Mrs. Etue	14 00
" Molway	5 00
" Kingstrom,	11 25
" Vulcan	12 50
" C Berg	3 50
" Hackinson	8 25
" J P Sundberg	13 25
" Swanson	11 25
" A Olson	14 50
" Benson	14 50
" Sholberg	12 50
" O Halagova	5 00
" H H Loveland, M. D.	12 50
HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP.	
Joseph Bray	5 00
Mrs Lenton	10 00
" James Rolston	10 00
" Richard Bray	4 00
" Matti Artigo	6 00
" Joseph Bresslan	8 00
" G D Beech M. D.	12 50
Hugh Vianto, West Division street	
Mrs. A Kingstadt, 173 Cliff street	10 00
Andrew Anderson, 208 High street	4 00
August Anderson, 608 n Main st	6 00
Chas Hugland, 734 Morris st	5 00
J W Carlson, Ishpeming street	8 00
R Shippard Greenwood street	8 00
John Isaacson, Ishpeming st	6 00
Wm Malvey, 215 s Lake st	7 00
Clancy, cor Division and Lake sts.	10 00
Lizzie Carhue, 462 Asper st	8 00
Anna Peteeson, 119 Murray street	4 00
Eman'l Eldi (boy) goes to Republic school	5 50
Eli Harris, Ishpeming	12 00
Robert Uren, transportation	15 00

January 27th 1897

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the court house in the City of Marquette on Wednesday January 27th A.D. 1897. at 11.00 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman A.G. Johnston of Michigamme.

Roll was called as per. roll book with the following Supervisors present. Viz Blenhuber, Blight, Bustam, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Powell, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Tregoning, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & the Chairman.

Absent; Viz. Supervisors Argall & Kruse. Luoren present.

The credentials of Supervisors Dr. Powell and W.J. O'Meara to fill the unexpired terms of ex Supervisors Smillings & Walker were read and upon motion they were given seats, and were assigned by the chairman to the same committees formerly occupied by their predecessors. The reading of the minutes of the preceding was had and same was ordered approved.

The communication from Wm Passbender, a surety upon the bond of one Thomas E. Cook. was read, praying for a refund of monies paid into the treasury. upon the said Thomas E. Cook failing to appear at the Circuit Court. was read, and referred to a special committee composed of Supervisors Neidhart, Powell & Fay.

A communication from Mother M. Deela of St Mary's Hospital relating to the care of the County's sick was read. and referred to Supervisors Gordon, Fitch & Neidhart. with instructions to inquire into all contracts now in force with hospitals throughout the county.

The report from the auditing committee was read, adopted and filed by the following Yea & Nay vote.

Yea - Blenhuber, Blight, Bustam, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Morgan, O'Meara, Neidhart, Pearce, Powell, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Tregoning, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & the Chairman, Nays - None.

The regular monthly reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, Commission of Schools, and Deputy Game Wardens were read and filed.

The apportionment of the Selenographer's Salary at \$885.⁰⁴ for the year 1897. by the Hon J.W. Stone Circuit Judge. was read & filed.

The report of the County Clerk upon duplicate receipts received from the County Treasurer was read & filed.

The special committee upon the proposed new road asked for and were granted further time.

Supervisors
Present

Absent

Supervisors
Powell
and
O'Meara

Wm Passbender
claim of
refund on
the E. Cook
bond.

County
Hospitals

audit
Report
filed in
January
Book #
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Bonds presented
made out
Jan 27/1897

drawing
of
Warrants
 County
Abstracts
 office for
Sup'd Poor
at Jolietting

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Neidhardt & carried unanimously.

Resolved - That the County clerk be, and is hereby authorized and instructed to draw the necessary warrants from time to time, in favor of such persons and for such amounts as are allowed by this Board, and be it, further.

Resolved, That the county clerk be and is hereby authorized and instructed to draw quarterly warrants in payment of the Office's Salary.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Gordon and carried unanimously.

Resolved - That the matter of preparation and care of the County Abstracts, be given to the Register of Deeds under the supervision of the regular committee on Supplies and Expenditures.

The following motion was offered and carried.

That the Supt of the Poor, of the 2nd district be instructed to procure a suitable office in the City of Jolietting where he may be found on Monday's and Thursday's of each week.

It was then moved and supported we do now adjourn until Wednesday March 17th 1897 an amendment was then offered that we do now adjourn until Wednesday Feb 17th 1897. the Yeas & Nays vote being called for the amendment was carried by the following vote

Yea - Blenkner, Blight, Boström, Chiabotti, Coad, Ewing, Finlay, Finlay, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Pearce, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Symmons, Swanson, Wasley, Wilson & Chairman total 23 votes.

Nays - Chase, Elliott, Fay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Morgan, Neidhardt, O'Meara, Powell, Read, Sink, Tregouning and Wovlin total 14 votes.

Thereupon the board adjourned to Wednesday February 17th 1897 at 11.00 a.m.

At Johnston Chairman.
William A. Rose,
Clark.

February 17th 1897.

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, City of Marquette in said County, on Wednesday February 17th A.D. 1897 at 11.0 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, A. G. Johnson of Michiganne.

Roll was called as per roll book with the following Supervisors Present.

Argall, Blenhuber, Blight, Bosstram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Powell, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & Chairman Absent, Supervisors Kruse, Morgan, & Regorning.

The minutes of the last meeting were read & approved.
A communication from M. J. Murphy of Regorning, relating to rent of Building occupied by a county charge, was upon motion referred to the Supt's of the Poor

The report from the auditing committee was read, adopted & ordered filed by the following Yea & Nay vote

Yea - Argall, Blenhuber, Blight, Bosstram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, ~~Libby~~, ~~Neidhart~~, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Powell, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & Chairman, Nays - None

The regular monthly reports from the Superintendents of the Poor were read and ordered filed.

The special committee appointed at the last meeting, to look into the contracts with County Hospitals, reported that same had expired, and it was usual to renew same. and recommended the appointment of a committee of three to be appointed by the chair, to make preparations for the letting of Contracts throughout the County for the care, medicines &c of Contagious diseases. Said contracts to not be in excess of amounts formerly paid, the chair then appointed the same committee Supervisors - Gordon, Fitch & Neidhart.

The special committee upon the request of Wm. M. Fassbender, of a part reimbursement of a forfeited bond, reported favorable & recommended a refund of \$300.00 upon same. which report was accepted, filed and adopted by the following Yea & Nay vote.

Yea. Argall, Blenhuber, Blight, Bosstram, Chase, Chiabotti, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Powell, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & Chairman. Nays - None.

Supervisors
Present.

Absent

Murphy's
Poor
Claim

Auditing
Committee
Report.

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County
Hospital
Committee

refused
of
J. E. Cook's
Bond to
Wm. M.
Fassbender.

Goose
Lake
Road.

The Special Committee upon the Goose Lake Road, reported their progress with the probable cost of right of way as follows.

To Peter Judell	\$ 175.00
" Seager Estate & L.S. Smith Etal	100.00
" " " " " for wood	20.00
" Iron Cliffs Co for wood.	<u>175.00</u>
Total	\$ 470.00

\$ 2500.00 as a probable cost of construction, the report was received and filed.

The Bi-annual report of Inspectors of Fairs, and the monthly reports of the Deputy Game & Fish Wardens were read & ordered filed.

The Report from the County Clerk of Duplicate receipts received from the County Treasurer, was read & filed.

The matter of the Goose Lake Road was then taken up, and it was moved, supported & carried, that the Special Committee upon said road be instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of the road and to report at some future meeting.

The being no further business before the meeting, the Board then adjourned until Wednesday March 3rd. A.D. 1897 at 11.00 P.M. A.M.

A. G. Johnston Chairman.

Wm A Rose
Clerk.

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authorizing
Bids for
Goose Lake
Road

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March 31st 1897.

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The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday March 31st A. D. 1897, at 11:00 O'clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by A. G. Johnston, chairman. Roll was called as per roll book with the following Supervisors present.

Augall, Blechuber, Blight, Bosström, Chase, Chiabotto, Coad Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Read, Reidy Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Tregouing, Wasley Wilson, Woolner and Chairman.

Absent - Supervisor Powell.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the Auditing committee, was read and upon motion was adopted and ordered filed by the following Yeas & Nays Vote.

Yea - Augall, Blechuber, Blight, Bosström, Chase, Chiabotto Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Pearce, Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Sink, Symmons, Swanson, Tregouing, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner, & Chairman.

Nays - None.

The monthly reports of the County Clerk, Sec'y of the Poor Board, the Superintendents of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd districts, and the Deputy Game wardens were read and ordered filed.

The special committee upon making contracts with the various Hospitals, made the following report, which upon motion was adopted and ordered filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Your committee on contracts with hospitals, beg to report that they have renewed contracts with Welch & Vandever of Ishpeming, and St. Mary's Hospital of Marquette, and Dr. J. H. Hudson of Negauee, all on the same terms and conditions as formerly.

Signed. Jno R. Gordon chairman.

The special committee upon the Goose Lake Road made the following report.

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan Gentlemen,

Your committee appointed to procure bids for building the Goose lake road, have had the same under consideratio-

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Hospital
Contracts

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Lake
Road

and beg leave to submit, the following bids, received by them after due advertisement therefor, each of said bids being accompanied by certified check as herewith set forth:

Stevens Bros, Constructing nitro Road bid	\$2450.00	Certified Check	\$25.00
Wilfred Bouck,	2670.00	" . .	133.50
L.O. Guard	2495.00	" . .	150.00
L.E. Chaussee	2519.40	" . .	126.00
O.J. Goodman	2300.00	" . .	115.00

And your committee would recommend that such contract be awarded to said O.J. Goodman, he being the lowest bidder for the sum of \$2,300.00 the amount of his bid.

Signed. Wm S. Wilson, W. S. Ewing
M. Woolner, F. W. Read.
Geo Haupt,

It was then moved and supported that the report be adopted, an amendment was offered that the report be accepted, filed and committee discharged. A. Yeas and Nay vote upon amendment being called for, it was lost by the following vote.

Yea — Elliott, Gay, Gitch, Gordon, Kruse, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Read, Sink, Tregouing, Chairman, total 13.
Nays — Argall, Blenhuber, Blight, Bostrom, Chase, Chiabotto, Coad, Ewing, Fidday, Fidday, Goodman, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob, Johnson, Johnson, Libby, Pearce, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Symmons, Swanson, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner — total 26.

The original motion was then put and carried.

The following resolution being offered:

On reading and filing the report of the committee on Goose Lake road, showing the cost of procuring the right of way therefor clause,

Resolved, That the prosecuting attorney be instructed to procure necessary deeds and contracts from the different owners, and that the Chairman and clerk be and are hereby empowered and instructed to draw orders in favor of such owners for the following purposes and amounts:

Pete Grudell, for building fence on both sides of the right of way, across his land	\$175.00
Ion Cliffs Co. for wood standing on right of way	175.00
Legay Estate, L.L. Smith agt for right of way and wood.	120.00
Total	\$470.00

As set forth in the report of such committee: and further clause 2

Resolved, that the prosecuting attorney file such deeds and contracts with the County Clerk as soon as the same are procured, and that hereupon the County Clerk shall sign and enter into a contract with the lowest bidder for such construction of such road

Goose

Lake

Road.

Resolution
as
adoptedResolution
clause
stricken
out.

Vote
on
modified
Resolution

according to the terms of such bid.

It was moved and supported that the resolution be adopted. An amendment was then offered that the resolution do lay upon the table, before same came to a vote it was agreed to strike the second clause from said resolution, which being done the amendment was withdrawn, and the resolution as modified, was adopted by the following Yea & Nay vote:

Yea — Argall, Blenkner, Bliggs, Bosström, Chase,
Chiabotto, Coad, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Finlay,
Fitch, Goodman, Gordon, Gorman, Haupt, Jacob Johnson,
Johnson, Kruse, Libby, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Mara, Pearce
Read, Reidy, Roberts, Scoble, Swick, Symmons, Swanson,
Tregowning, Wasley, Wilson, Woolner & Channing, Nays. None.

There being no further business before the board, it whereupon adjourned without day.

A. G. Johnston, chairman.
W. A. Ross, Clerk.

May 5th, 1897

A meeting of the County Board of Supervisors of Marquette County was held, pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, in said county, on Wednesday the fifth day of May A.D. 1897.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk, William A. Ross at 11 O'clock A.M., when the following call for the meeting was duly read.

(State of Michigan }
County of Marquette }
} ss

W. A. Ross Esq. Clerk of Marquette County.

Dear Sir:

You are requested to call a meeting of the Supervisors of said county, at the Court House in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the 5th day of May A.D. 1897 at 11 O'clock A.M. for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may properly come before such meeting.

Respectfully Yours.

W. Fitch
C. J. Fairbairn
Geo B. Sedgwick
W. B. Soutloff

A. A. Hirwas
August Beerling
Jos. Tregoning
Cas J. Kruse

Joseph Fay
J. F. Neidhart ^{Dr}
J. H. Harris

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present.

Beerling,
Blehmeyer,
Blight,
Chiabotto,
Chase,
Elliott
Ewing
Fay
Finlay
Fairbairn

Fitch
Gorman
Gordon
Goodman
Harris
Haupf
Hirwas
Johnson J. L.
Johnston W. H.
Johnston A. G.

Johnson C. P.
Johnson Martin
Kruse
Keupper
Lind
Morgan
Neidhart
O'Meara
Powell
Roberts
Read

Sink
Suess
Swanson
Sedgwick
Symmons
Gullhoff
Tregoning
Wilson

The name of A. G. Johnston was offered for temporary chairman, and upon being put to a vote same was duly carried unanimously.

It was then moved & supported & carried that a special committee of five be appointed to audit all claims. The chair thereupon

named as such committee Supervisors Elliott, Fay, Harris Chase and W. H. Johnston.

Supervisor Fitch then moved that A. G. Johnston be elected chairman for the ensuing year by acclamation, the same being properly supported. The clerk put the motion and it was carried without a dissenting vote.

*Adopted 1896
Rules for 1897*
{ Supervisor Fay offered a motion, that the rules of the board as used in 1896, be adopted for the government of this board for 1897 - same was duly seconded & carried.

A motion to adjourn until 1.30 P.M. was then made & carried.

Board was called to order at 1.30 P.M. by the chairman. A. G. Johnston. And upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present.

Berling, Blenkuber, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Faibairn, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Harris, Johnson J. S., Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sikk, Suess, Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons Tolleff, Tregoning, Wilson & Chairman.

Supplies for Register of Deeds.
{ A communication from Jas H. Primeau, relating to supplies & improvements in the office of the Register of Deeds, was upon motion referred to the Committee upon Supplies & Expenditures.

Montgomery Bond approval
{ A Petition from the citizens throughout the County, praying for the repairing of the highway between Marquette & Ishpeming was read and upon motion was laid over to be taken up under the head of unfinished business.

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{ The official Bond of JB Montgomery as County Commissioner of Schools was read and approved.

George Justice Book A
{ The Report from the auditing committee appointed specially was received and read and ordered filed, and duly approved by the following Yes & Nay vote.

Berling, Blenkuber, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Faibairn, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Harris, Johnson J. S., Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan

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Affairs
monthly
Reports

Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess,
Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Tregoming, Wilson,
and Channing; Nays None.

The monthly reports from the Sup'ts of the Poor, Secy of the Poor
board, County Clerk & Game Warden Dolf were read and
ordered filed

Goose
Lake
Road
Resolution

The following motion was offered to wit.

"That a committee consisting of following - Jos Suess,
F.W. Read, Mark Elliott, John R. Gordon, Geo Haupt, be
appointed with authority to proceed to the construction of
the Goose Lake Road. Building same on contract at an
expense not to exceed \$2500."

W. Fitch.

Vote
on
above

And was carried unanimously by the following Yea vote.
Berling, Blewhuber, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing
Fay, Finlay, Fairbairn, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman,
Harris, Haupt, Harris, Johnson J. L. Johnston W.H. Johnson
C.P. Johnson Martin, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, Neidhart
O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess, Swanson,
Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Tregoming, Wilson & Channing.

Bicycle
Highway
between
Marquette
&
Houghtaling

The matter of the improvement on the highway between Marquette
and Ishpeming, being now before the board, it was moved,
Supported & carried that the chair appoint a special committee
of five members, to investigate fully the proposed improvements
and report at the next meeting. The chair then appointed as
such committee, Supervisors, Haupt, Harris, Sedgwick, Powell & O'Meara.

There being no further business before the board, upon motion,
it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday June 23rd A.D.
1897 at 11 o'clock A.M.

A. G. Johnston Chairman
W.A. Rose
Clark

June 23rd 1897.

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The board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the 23rd day of June A.D. 1897. at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Chairman A.G. Johnston

Roll was called by the Clerk and the following Supervisors were found to be present.

Berling, Blenhuber, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Ewing, Fay, Faibairn, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Hinwas, Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin, Kruse, Kupper, Lind, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Smit, Suess, Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Fegominy, Wilson and Channing.

Absent, Supervisors, Elliott, Finlay, Fitch and Johnson J.L.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Several claims having been referred to the full board, the same were taken up and added to the regular report of the auditing committee. It was moved and supported that no claim of \$5.00 for a county directory for the Clerk's office be allowed and that the other two claims be rejected - carried -

The report of the auditing committee was read, adopted and ordered filed by the following Yeas & Nays Vote
Yea - Berling, Blenhuber, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Ewing, Fay, Faibairn, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Hinwas, Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin, Kruse, Kupper, Lind, Morgan Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Smit, Suess, Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Fegominy, Wilson & Channing, Nays - None.

The report of the special committee upon the County Road was read and was, upon motion, laid upon the Table

The regular monthly reports from the Game Warden, Supts of the poor, County Com of Schools and Secy of Poor board, were read and ordered filed.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor W.H. Johnston and was duly carried.

"That all supplies for the different county offices shall hereafter be purchased through the Committee on supplies and expenditures. and that

the County Clerk be instructed to notify the different County offices of this fact.

County
Board
of
Prisoners

Supervisor Neidhart moved that the county board pay for the board of all county prisoners the sum of 40 cents per day for each prisoner. An amendment was offered by Supervisor Powell that the sum be 50 cents per day, which amendment prevailed.

It was then moved that the board take a recess until 1.30 p.m. which motion was carried.

On reassembling at 1.30 o'clock the board was called to order, and on call of the roll the following supervisors were found to be present.

Berling, Blenkhus, Blight, Chiabotto, Chase, Ewing, Fay, Faubau, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Herivas, Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin, Kline, Kuepper, Lind, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Smit, Guess, Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Goulloff, Negamee Wilson and Channing.

A communication from Mr. Hon Judge Pascoe relating to the purchase of a County Directory for his office was read & filed.

A recess of ten minutes was then taken, after which it was moved, supported and carried, that the report of the special committee on the county road be taken from the table. Said committee, by leave of the board, then submitted the following amended report.

County
Road
between
Negamee
and

To the Honorable Chairman & Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Michigan

Gentlemen, Your Committee appointed to ascertain the approximate cost of repairing the road between Negamee and Marquette, and the amounts which can be raised from all sources for such purpose, beg leave to report as follows.

(1)

We have gone over the entire road with a surveyor and, in our judgment based upon our own observation and the report of the surveyor which we attach hereto, it will cost about twenty five hundred dollars to repair the road so as to make it fairly serviceable for both bicycle and team use

(2)

me are furnished that if this board will appropriate fifty
hundred dollars to be used in such repair work the
balance can be raised as follows.

A- The Cyclists will contribute	\$300.00
B- Marquette Township will appropriate in Cash or its equivalent in labor or team work.	500.00
C- Negauine Township will appropriate in Cash or its equivalent in labor	150.00
	<u> </u>
Amounts in all to-	\$950.00
D. The City of Negauine has agreed to take care of the repairs on the road within its own limits.	
E. Lwynmin and others have agreed to do team work on the road free of charge, to some amount, though your com- mittee cannot state the exact amount of the same.	

(3)

Your committee would therefore recommend that this board
appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, to be
divided as follows, to wit:

One Thousand dollars to be expended in Marquette Township,
Five hundred dollars to be expended in Negauine Township,
out of any monies in the County treasury not otherwise
appropriated, that the money thus appropriated be expended
by and under the supervision and according to the direction
of a Committee of five (5), two of whom shall be the
Supervisors of the respective Townships, the other three
members to be appointed by the Chairman of this board
and that the chairman and clerk be and are hereby
authorized and directed to draw endus payable to said
Committee for the respective amounts, all expenses of such
committee to be paid out of such appropriation.

Geo Haupt,
Dw Powell,
J H Harris,
W J O'Meara.
G B Sedgwick } Committee

A motion to lay the report upon the table was offered and supported
A. Yea & Nay vote being called for, the motion to table was lost
by the following vote.

Yea - Chabot, Chase, Ewing, Johnston W.H., Johnson C.P., Kruse, Morgan,
Negauine as chairman - Total 9.

Nays - Bentley, Blechaber, Blight, Fay, Fairbairn, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman,
Harris, Haupt, Hinnes, Johnson Martin, Keppler, Lind, Neidhart,
O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sank, Snell, Swanson, Sedgwick,
Symmons, Soule & Wilson - Total - 26.

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County Board

Report
Court
Room

The report was then adopted by the following Yeas & Nays
Voti.

Yea. Beulay, Blechuber, Blight, Fay, Faubaine, Gorman,
Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Huius, Johnson W.H.,
Kuse, Leupper, Lind, Neidhart, O'Mara, Powell,
Robots, Read, Smit, Suess, Swanson, Sedgwick,
Symmons, Toulloff, Wilson and Chamin - Total 28.
Nays. Chabotte, Chase, Ewing, Johnson C.P., Johnson Martin,
Morgan and Ferguson Total 7.

Committee
appointed
by chair

The Chair then appointed as the remaining members of the
special committee provided for in the report Supervisors
Powell, Harris and Sedgwick.

adjourned

There being no further business before the board, an ad-
journment was thenupon taken to Wednesday Aug 18th
A.D. 1897 at the hour of 10.30 O'clock A.M.

Attest
Johnston Chamin
W.A. Ross
Clerk.

August 18th 1897

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The honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday August 18th A. D. 1897, at 10.30 O'clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, W. G. Johnston.

Roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be Present — Blehmhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Hinves, W. H. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sunk, Guess, Sennons, Gregoring, Wilson and chairman.
Absent, Beering, Blight, Fairbairn, Haupt, J. L. Johnson, Neidhardt, Sedgwick and Souttaff.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supervisor, W. Wilson, of Forsyth Township, brought up a matter relating to the amount of money expended in his township for the month of May, by the Supt of the Poor of that district, which matter was upon motion, referred to the committee on Superintendent of the poor.

The report from the auditing committee was received and read and ordered approved and filed by the following yeas & nays Vot
Yea - Blehmhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Hinves, W. H. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sunk, Guess, Sennons, Gregoring, Wilson and chairman — Nays - none.

The monthly reports from the County Clerk, Game Wardens, Superintendents of the 1st 2nd & 3rd poor districts, the Secretary of the Poor Board and the Semi Annual report of the County Sheriff were received & ordered filed.

The present attorney announced that he had the three deeds covering the right of way for the Goose Lake Road also the Bonds of the Contractor Owen J. Goodman, guaranteeing the fulfillment of the contract, and the payment of all labor claims thereunder, The Clerk was thereupon instructed to have the deeds recorded, and then to file same with the bonds in his office. The Special Committee upon the Marquette County Road, reported verbally that the improvements on that road are progressing and that they would make a final report at the next meeting. The Special Committee upon the Goose Lake road, reported that the contract had been let to Owen J. Goodman & that work on the road was under way. The being no further business before the board, it thereupon adjourned without day.

W. G. Johnston - chairman
W. A. Ross - clerk

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Marquette
County
Road
and
Goose
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October 11th A. D. 1897.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County. held at the Court House in the city of Marquette, in said county, on Monday October 11th A.D. 1897. The following proceedings were had.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on roll call by the clerk. The following Supervisors were found to be present.

Roll Call
 Blehmhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Haupt, Horwitz, J.L. Johnson, W.H. Johnston, C.P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Leupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts Read, Smit, Suess, Swanson, Sedgwick, Simmons, Tontloff, Zegorunig, Wilson & chairman.
 Absent Supervisors Beerling, Blight, Faubain, Harris & Neidhart.

filling of Vacancies
 The credentials of Messrs August Swanson and George W. Hayden. who were elected in place of Messrs Beerling and Faubain resigned. and of Mr John Trebilcock elected in place of Uriah Blight. resigned. were read. and filed and upon motion were given seats upon the board and assigned to the same committees occupied (formerly) by their predecessors.

State Tax
 A communication from the Honorable Roscoe D. Dix A.G. showing the various amounts apportioned to the County of Marquette under various acts of the Legislature. and aggregating Thirty Eight Thousand Seven hundred Sixty four and $\frac{21}{100}$ dollars (\$38,764.21) was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

relating to taxation and civic philanthropic conference
 The communications from the auditor general relating to taxation and one from the secretary of the Civic-Philanthropic conference were read and upon motion and second ordered filed.

Detroit House of Correction
 A communication from the Detroit House of Correction relating to the expiring of the County's contract with said institution was read and it was moved, supported and carried that the Clerk and Treasurer renew said contract on behalf of the County.

A report from C.D. Blanchard Secretary of the Solidus Relief

soldiers
Relief
Commission

commission showing that said commission had expended \$28.55 during the fiscal; leaving a balance on hand of \$482.45 and further, requesting the board to levy the tax of $\frac{1}{10}$ of a mill as provided in Act 235 P.A of 1895. was duly read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Com of
G.J. Northup

A communication from George J. Northup requesting the appointment of Supt of the poor for the first district was read and upon motion ordered filed.

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The usual monthly report from the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following yeas & nays vote:

Yea, Supervisors Blechuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Hought, Hirivas, Hayden, J. L. Johnson, W. H. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess, Nick Swanson, August Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Tregoming Trebilcock, Wilson & Channing, Nays. none.

The regular monthly reports from the county offices, viz., Secy of Poor Board, Deputy game wardens, and County Clerk, were read and ordered filed.

final
report on
Goose
Lake
Road.

The report of the special committee upon the goose lake improvement, relating to the letting of contract, to Owen J. Goodman for (\$2,300.00) and the final completion of said improvement, together with a recommendation that the contractor be allowed an additional sum of (\$100.00) for extra work was read, adopted and filed.

Secretary
of the
Poor
Board
Annual

The annual report of the inspectors of jails was read and ordered filed.

The annual report of the secretary of the poor board was read and ordered filed, the report is as follows.

Orders drawn on County Treasurers favor of County Poor House \$5,496.25

" " " " " J. R. First District 4,309.71

" " " " " Secord .. 30,964.77

" " " " " Third .. 10,568.49

By Cash paid County Treasurer	\$43.00
Balance	<u>51,296.32</u>
	<u>\$51,339.22</u>
	<u>\$51,339.22</u>

The annual report of the County Treasurer, as follows
was read and ordered filed.

Receipts

Oct 1/96 Cash on hand	\$79,731.58
Delinquent Taxes	36,016.12
State of Michigan	2,800.11
Jury fee etc	74.00
Costs Circuit Court	77.00
State & County taxes	127,023.68
Retain fees from W.A. Ross	12.50
" " Sheriff	7.00
Poor fund	43.00
Retain by V.P. Hospital	143.46
Dee License	25.00
Abstracts	58.25
Kitchen Fund	27.90
Teachers Institute Fund	126.25
Tax Sales	139.00
Liquor Tax	12.941.18
Primary School Fund.	48.685.06
	15.770.98

Disbursements

Paid Township Primary School fund	\$15,770.98
" " Library fund.	1,407.25
" " Delinquent & Legion taxes	88,506.36
" Account Teachers Institute	153.45
" School for deaf & Dumb	143.35
" " " Blind	117.98
" Home " feeble minded	9.24
" Telephones	153.45
" Hospitals for insane patients	3,221.19
" Circuit Court orders	220.00
" Insurance	607.50
" State of Michigan	56,895.20
" General fund warrants	49,386.11
" Soldier's relief fund	545.55
" Poor fund warrants	51,547.93
" Jurors Certificates	2,152.80
" Witnesses Certificates	494.50
Totals	\$324,844.07
Balance Cash on hand	271,332.84
	53,511.23
	<u>324,844.07</u>

Division of Cash on hand.

October 1st 1897. Balance

\$53,511.23

Library fund	\$ 49.00
Sister Fund	100.00
State of Michigan	2.057.55
Teachers Institute fund	75.55
Soldier's Relief fund	483.45
Townships	7.845.40
Estate Etc.	397.95
Interest	1.517.47
Collection fees	956.59
General fund	<u>39.829.27</u>
	<u>53.511.23</u>

The following annual report from the County Clerk was received read and ordered filed.

Delinquent taxes received during fiscal year.

Total tax and interest	\$ 35.056.69
" Collection fees	<u>959.43</u>
Grand Total	<u>\$ 36.016.12</u>

Summary of Orders drawn.

General warrants	\$ 44.403.14
Juror's certificates	2.218.20
Witnesses	<u>430.20</u>
	<u>\$ 47.051.54</u>

Summary of Poor Report.

Amount expended during fiscal year.	\$ 51.339.22
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Summary of monies Paid County Treasurer.

from Jan 1 st 1897 to Oct 1 st 1897. Total	\$ 519.25
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A detailed report giving the number, name, nature of claim and amount of all warrants, drawn by the county clerk from General Fund, for General fund warrants, Juror's Certificates and witnesses certificates of the circuit court, were read and ordered filed.

A detailed report from the mine inspector showing the death of 17 persons by accidents during the fiscal year was read and ordered filed.

The matter of the additional bounty of \$2.00 on wolves hunting ordered by this board having come up for consideration, was upon motion offered increased to \$5.00 A substitute motion was offered that it be referred to the committee upon finance, which substitute motion prevailed

Wolf
Bounty.

School
Examiner

The election of a School examiner for two years, in place of A. E. Sterne whose time had expired. Coming before the meeting, it was moved, supported and carried that A. E. Sterne be elected to succeed himself. The motion prevailed and A. E. Sterne was duly declared elected school examiner.

Nominations
for
Poor Dept.
1st Dist.

In the matter of an election of a Superintendent of the poor for the first district, the names of C. D. Blanchard and G. J. Northup were presented, but before proceeding to vote, it was moved, supported and carried that the election be laid over until the afternoon session.

The board then took a recess until 2 o'clock P.M.

Afternoon
Roll
Call

At 2 o'clock the meeting was called to order, and the following supervisors answered to roll call. Present, Supervisors Blenkner, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Haupt, Hirwas, Hayden, J. L. Johnson, W. H. Johnson, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Knupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess, Nick Swanson, August Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Tregouet, Trebilcot, Wilson and chairman, Absent. Supervisors Harris & Neidhart.

Committee
upon
County
accounts

The committee upon County offices accounts reported that they had examined all accounts, vouchers &c of the county offices and found same correct, said report was upon motion received and filed.

Highway
Improvement
in

The special committee upon the highway improvements between Negance and Ishpeming, reported the completion of the work that all Bills, papers &c pertaining to the receipt and cost of the improvement were on file in the clerks office. That in Marquette Township the Total Cash & Subscribers labor was \$1,709.59

Amount Subscribers in labor ..	\$ 222.00
Cash spent in Construction ..	<u>1487.59</u>
Total Receipts in Cash ..	<u>\$ 1,709.59</u>
Cash spent for Labor & Team work ..	\$ 1,487.59
" " Supplies, hays & feed ..	<u>189.41</u>
	<u>\$ 1,677.00</u>
	<u>\$ 1,677.00</u>

Marquette
Township

That the improvement in Negaukee township under the
special supervision of Supervisor F. W. Read, for the completion
of the road in said township, the total cost was \$1,357.17
That the amount subscribed & appropriated was .800.00
leaving a deficit of \$457.17
and the committee further recommended an appropriation
of \$200.00 to aid Negaukee township in pay this deficit.
Said recommendation was accepted and adopted by the
following yeas & nays Vot. I.

Yea, Supervisors, Blenhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing,
Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Haupt,
Hirvas, Hayden, J. S. Johnson, W~~W~~ Johnston, C. P. Johnson,
Martin Johnson, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, Morgan, O'Meara,
Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess, Will Swanson, Aug
Swanson, Sidgwick, Symmons, Youlloff, Zegoning, Trebilcock,
Wilson & Channing, Nays - none.

The following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted:

Resolved: That, in view of the recent improvements put upon
the county-road between Marquette & Negawee, at a considerable
cost to the tax-payers of this county, the clerk of this board
be instructed to communicate with the officials of the American
Express Company, and respectfully request them "on behalf of the
county-board of Supervisors" to use a wide tired wheel upon
their pony express, as we find the ones they are now using
very injurious to the highway.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor G. W. Hayden and adopted.

Resolved: That the descriptions of property in the roll of the City of Ishpeming set forth below, be changed to conform to the corrected descriptions of such property stated below in order to make said descriptions conform to the requirements of law, viz.
In "Robert Nelson's addition" page 28

W. Lerand. Part "A" of lot # 169 to read East for 44 ft of North 90 feet.
Christ Presthus. " " B " " " " West 44 ft off East 88 ft of North 90 feet.
Christ Johnson " C " " " " West 44 ft of East 132 ft of north 90 feet
Nels Thompson " D & E " " " " West 88 ft of North 90 feet.
James George " F " " " " South 50 ft of North 150 ft of West 100 ft.
Carl Tellefson Lot 169 except parts A, B, C, D, E & F to read South 70 ft and North 60 feet
of South 130 ft of East 120 ft

Cleveland Iron Mining Cos Baucraft Location, Page 31. to read
Mildon's addition to City of Ishpeming. And Strike out

Heading on page 42 viz. "Cleveland Iron Mining Co's North Location (so called)" and that the proper officer be instructed to insert such changes as directed.

The Committee upon equalization made the following report which upon motion was adopted.

	Personal property as assessed	Real estate as assessed	Total valuation as assessed	Amount added	Amount deducted	Equalized valuation
Marguerre City	\$ 341. 425	\$ 3,092, 450	\$ 3,433, 875		\$ 433, 875	\$ 3,000, 000
Islepinning "	413. 532	3,147, 504	3,561, 036		561, 036	3,000, 000
Reganee "	92, 850	1,285, 315	1,378, 165	\$ 121, 835		1,500, 000
Chocolate Town.	.500	54, 831	55, 331		15, 331	40, 000
Turin "	—	104, 625	104, 625		29, 625	75, 000
Forsyth "	2. 400	185, 915	188, 315		58, 315	130, 000
Richmond "	4. 700	203, 980	208, 680		48, 680	160, 000
Gilden "	8. 500	245, 065	253, 565		53, 565	200, 000
Ely "	.200	127, 787	127, 987		37, 987	90, 000
Humboldt "	1. 155	98, 975	100, 130		25, 130	75, 000
Champion "	27. 200	494, 790	521, 990		1, 990	520, 000
Michiganne "	9. 730	268, 104	277, 834		52, 834	225, 000
Republic "	121, 300	384, 210	505, 510	44, 490		550, 000
Islepinning "	7. 500	242, 545	250, 045		125, 045	125, 000
Reganee "	6. 000	76, 900	82, 900		27, 900	55, 000
Marguerre "	1. 150	143, 501	144, 651		59, 651	85, 000
Skandia "	—	75, 855	75, 855		15, 855	60, 000
West Branch "	.350	36, 055	36, 405		6, 405	30, 000
Sands "	—	44, 140	44, 140		14, 140	30, 000
Totals	\$ 1,038, 492	\$ 9,312, 547	\$ 10,351, 039	\$ 166, 325	\$ 1,567, 364	\$ 8,950, 000

In the election of a superintendent of the poor. It was moved and supported that we proceed to take an informal ballot. Carried.

The Chair then appointed Supervisors Read & Sedgwick tellers, with the result as follows, 33 votes cast of which, C. D. Blanchard received 21 votes and G. J. Northup received 12 votes, it was then moved, supported and carried that the informal ballot be declared formal, which motion passed, and C. D. Blanchard was duly declared elected Superintendent of the poor of the first district for three years.

The committee upon finance and taxation announced that the supervisors from Turin and Sands townships had failed to make a proper return of taxes to be raised, and suggested that their statements be referred to the Prosecuting attorney, which was done.

The Prosecuting attorney then presented to the board his

Election
of
Poor
Sup.
1st
District

Relating to
taxes in
Turin
&
Sands

Presenting
Attorneys
Report
on Same.

written report thereon one each for Turin and Sands Townships and in which the Clerk of this board was instructed not to issue his certificate of appointment to said Townships, until the Township Clerk of each Township had filed in his office all Votes and resolutions pertaining to the raising of certain taxes in their respective Townships. The report upon motion was received and ordered placed on file.

Probate
clerk
\$2.00 per day

The matter of compensation for the Probate Clerk having been brought up, it was moved, supported and carried that the Probate Clerk be paid \$2.00 per day, until the vacancy in the office of probate judge was filled.

The board then adjourned until 7 O'clock P.M.

Roll
Call
J.P.Y.

The meeting was called to order at 7 O'clock P.M. when the following Supervisors were found to be present: Viz. Blenkster, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Hay, Finlay, Hirvas, Hayden, J. L. Johnson, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kruse, Keupper, Lind, O'meara, Powell, Roberts, Smit, Suess, Nick Swanson, Aug Swanson, Sjummons, Youllaff, ~~Tegoniq~~, Leibcorn, Wilson and Charron Total 27.

Absent Supervisors Tiett, Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, W.H. Johnston, Morgan, Neidhart, Read, Sedgwick, Tegoniq Total 12.
Turemen present.

The following reports from the Committee upon Finance and Taxation were read and upon motion accepted, adopted and ordered filed.

Rejected Tax.

Ishpeming City	\$ 109.89	forwards	\$ 563.4
Marquette "	12.70	Republi Inv.	17.6
Negaunee "	286.85	Richmond "	.75
Champion Inv	66.55	Sands "	5.69
Ely "	5.29	Turin "	28.25
Forsyth "	25.63	W. Branch "	1.14
Ishpeming "	11.50		
Marquette "	1.03		
Michiganne "	41.89		
Negaunee "	2.11		
	<u>\$ 563.44</u>		<u>\$ 616.88</u>

Apportionment of Taxes.
Amount to be raised.

State Tax

County Tax "Gen'l Fund"
Poor Fund.

\$38,764.21
60,000.00
35,000.00

	State Tax	County Tax
Marquette City	\$8,662.39	\$21,229.05
Ishpeming "	12,993.59	31,843.57
Negaunee "	6,496.80	15,921.79
Chocolay Township	173.25	424.58
Turin "	324.84	796.09
Gorsyth "	563.05	1,379.89
Richmond "	692.99	1,698.32
Tilden "	866.24	2,122.91
Ely "	389.81	955.31
Humboldt "	324.84	796.09
Champion "	2,252.22	5,519.55
Mishigamme "	974.52	2,388.27
Republic "	2,382.16	5,837.99
Ishpeming "	541.40	1,326.81
Negaunee "	238.21	583.80
Marquette "	368.15	902.23
Skandia "	259.87	636.87
West Branch "	129.94	318.44
Sands "	129.94	318.44
Totals	\$38,764.21	\$95,000.00
		\$133,764.21

Amount and tax to be raised in each City and
Township

Marquette City

State Tax	\$8,662.39
County "	21,229.05
One mill "	2,433.87

Ishpeming City

State Tax	12,993.59
County "	31,843.57
Contingent "	15,000.00
Street "	8,000.00
Tre Fund Tax	5,000.00
Delinquent Sewr Assn fund	7,133.22
Police District No 1	46,000.00
One mill Tax	3,561.04

<u>Negaunee City</u>		\$
State Tax	6496.80	6500.00
County Tax	15921.79	253.56
City Tax for Genl purposes	4134.49	389.81
Streets & Highway Highway	2756.33	955.31
Fire Department	2067.24	150.00
Special Tax	2067.24	500.00
Library Tax	250.00	1600.00
School Dis #1	19000.00	127.99
One Mill Tax	1378.16	
<u>Chocolay Township</u>		
State Tax	173.25	324.81
County Tax	424.58	796.09
Township Contingent Tax	550.00	900.00
Highway Tax	276.65	580.00
School Tax	1850.00	900.00
One mill tax	55.33	100.11
<u>Furn Township</u>		
State Tax	324.84	2252.22
County Tax	796.09	5519.55
Township Contingent Tax	500.00	8000.00
Highway Labor Tax 3-44-23 3-44-24	268.55	521.99
Highway Money Tax Euline Township	523.13	
School Dis #1	1313.86	
One mill tax	104.62	
<u>Horsyth Township</u>		
State Tax	563.05	974.52
County Tax	1379.89	2388.27
Township Con-Tax	700.00	1000.00
Highway Tax	931.58	4200.00
School Dis. Single	1800.00	277.83
One mill Tax	186.31	
<u>Richmond Township.</u>		
State Tax	692.99	2387.16
County Tax	1698.37	5837.99
Township Con-Tax	500.00	750.00
Highway Tax	200.00	250.00
School Dis. Tax	1000.00	250.00
One Mill Tax	208.68	7500.00
<u>Gilden Township</u>		
State Tax	866.24	505.51
County Tax	2122.91	
Township Con-Tax	1000.00	
Highway Tax	1000.00	
<u>Ely Township.</u>		
school dis #1		
One mill tax		
<u>Humboldt Township</u>		
State Tax		
County Tax		
Township Con-Tax		
Highway Tax		
School Dis #1		
One mill tax		
<u>Champion Township</u>		
State Tax		
County Tax		
School District #1		
one mill tax		
<u>Michiganne Township.</u>		
State Tax		
County Tax		
Township Con-Tax		
School Dis #1		
One Mill Tax		
<u>Republie Township</u>		
State Tax		
County Tax		
Township Con-Tax		
Highway Tax 3-46-30		
" " J.-47-30		
School Dis #1		
One mill tax		
<u>Spencij Township.</u>		
State Tax		
County Tax		
Township Con-Tax		
Highway Tax		
School Dis #1		
One Mill Tax		
<u>Negaunee Township</u>		
State Tax		

County Tax	\$ 583.80	Highway Money Tax	\$ 378.82
Township Con Tax	450.00	One mill tax	75.85
Highway Tax	450.00	<u>West Branch Township.</u>	
School Dis #1	550.00	State Tax	129.94
One mill Tax	82.90	County Tax	318.44
<u>Marguerette Township</u>		Township Con Tax	500.00
State Tax	368.15	Highway Tax	250.00
County Tax	902.23	School Tax	1309.21
Township Con Tax	400.00	One mill Tax	36.41
Highway Tax	600.00	<u>Sands Township.</u>	
School Dis #1	200.00	State Tax	129.94
One mill Tax	144.65	County Tax	318.44
<u>Skandia Township</u>		Township Con Tax	400.00
State Tax	259.87	Highway Tax	220.70
County Tax	636.87	School Library	50.00
Township Con Tax	500.00	School Dis #1	700.00
Highway Labor Tax	757.64	One Mill Tax	44.14
School Dis #1	1000.00		

There being no further business before the board
it adjourned until Wednesday November 17th A.D.
1897. at the hour of 10.30 o'clock A.M.

A. G. Johnston Chairman
W. A. Bass Clerk.

Record of warrants and inventories, record of final accounts and calendars No 1 & 2, should be written up to comply with law and that Miss Maud Blackwood be employed to perform the work of writing up said records and calendars under the direction and supervision of the Judge of Probate at a compensation of \$1⁵⁰ per day.

There being no further business before the meeting, it therefore adjourned until
Wednesday January 12th 1898 A H Johnston chairman W G Rose clerk

November 17th, 1897.

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The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the Seventeenth day of November A.D. 1897. at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman A.G. Johnston. Roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present: Blenhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finley, Fitch, Gorman, Harris, Haupt, Kivars, J.L. Johnson, P.F. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Neidhart, O'Meara, Penell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Sues, Mill Swanson, Aug Swanson, Symmons, Tregowning, Trepilcock, Wilson and Channing, total 32.

Absent, Gordon, Goodman, Hayden, W.H. Johnston, Kruse, Sedgwick and Tollog - total 7 Excused Present.

Coroner
Prins
Communication A communication from Coroner Wm. Prin, relating to fees as coroner was read, and upon motion was referred to the acting Prosecuting attorney, to adjust the matter in question.

Report of
Auditing
Committee
four in
June
book
A
at Page
179 The report of the auditing committee was read and upon motion same was adopted by the following yeas & nays vote:

Yea, Blenhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finley, Fitch, Gorman, Harris, Haupt, Kivars, J.L. Johnson, C.P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Neidhart, O'Meara, Penell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Sues, Mill Swanson, Aug Swanson, Symmons, Tregowning, Trepilcock, Wilson & Channing - total 32 Nays - None.

The regular monthly reports from the Sup'ts of the Poor, Soc'y of Poor Board, and county game wardens were read and same ordered filed.

Resolu
an
Writt up
Books
for Probate The following resolution was offered, and upon motion was referred to a special committee of three appointed by the chair. The chair then appointed Supervisors Read, Fitch and Elliott as such committee. Whereas: it appears that the records required to be kept in the office of Probate Judge have not been kept as required by law, therefore be it Resolved, That the records of petitions for the appointment of administrator, the (see opposite page.)

January 12th 1898

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the court house, in the city of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the 12th day of January A. D. 1898. at 11.00 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, A. G. Johnston, and upon roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present.

Supervisors. Blehmhuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Goodman, Harris, Herivas, Hayden, J. L. Johnson, W. S. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Kline, Knupper, Lind, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Roberts, Read, Sink, Suess, Nick Swanson, Aug Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Toulloff, Zegonning, Lebilcock, Wilson & Chaim. Total 37
Absent. Supervisors Gordon & Hough - Total 2.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and ordered approved.

It was moved, supported and carried that the regular order of business be dispensed with, and the board proceed to elect a mine inspector.

The resignation of mine inspector was then read, accepted and order filed.

The Clerk then read the list of applicants, whose names were as follows.

W^m Sellwood, Josiah Broad, Joseph Zegonning, W^m C. Kline, Harry Wills, Henry Whitburn, Capt John Walus, W^m Argall, James Mathews, Joseph Cornish, John A. Flack, John A. Carmichael, Alex Leshuk, August Beurling, Joseph Gregory and Jacob Harper.

After the reading of the applications, it was moved supported and carried, that the board proceed to take an informal ballot for mine Inspector.

The Clerk then appointed Supervisors Goodman and Ewing as tellers. The result of the informal ballot being as follows.

Joseph Zegonning	19 Votes	August Beurling	6 votes
John Sink	2 "	Henry Whitburn	2 "
Joseph Gregory	1 "	James Mathews	1 "
Jacob Harper	2 "	George Mitchell	1 "
John Q. Flack	2 "	Total	36 Votes

Election
of
Mine
Inspector

It was then moved and supported that the informal vote be declared formal, same being carried. The chair announced that Joseph Gregorius was duly elected Mine Inspector to fill vacancy, vice James H. Rough, resigning.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that the board proceed with the regular order of business.

Resignation
of
County School
Commissioner
J.B. Montgomery

The resignation of J.B. Montgomery as County Commissioner of Schools was read and upon motion was accepted and ordered filed.

J.H. Hudson's
Claims
of
Various
Deserts

The matter of the rejection by the Auditing Committee of the claims of Dr. J. H. Hudson, as not being in form, came before the meeting, whereupon a motion was offered that the bills in question be referred to Dr. Hudson, and that his contract with the County be complied with - carried.

Auditing
Report
found
in
Journal
Book
at Page
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The report of the auditing committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote
Yea's - Supervisors. Blenske, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Gorman, Goodman, Harris, Hoyden, Hincks, J.L. Johnson, W.H. Johnston, C.P. Johnson, Mark-Johnson, Kruse, Kuepper, Luid, Morgan, Neidhart, O-Meara, Pernell, Roberts, Read, Trusk, Guess, Will Swanson, Amy Swanson, Sedgwick, Symons, Tolloff, Gregorius, Lebileck, Wilson ad. Chancery — Nays. None.

The monthly reports from the Secy of the Poor Board, Superintendents of the Poor, Game warden, and County Clerk were read and ordered filed.

Election
of
7.D.
Arie
County
School
Commissioner

The following report of the election of a successor to J.B. Montgomery as county school commissioner, was read adopted and ordered filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen,

Upon the receipt of the resignation of the Hon. J.B. Montgomery of the office of County School Commissioner and in compliance with Sec 137 of the General School laws I called the chairmen of the various Township school boards to meet at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Saturday Dec 18th 1897, at the hour of 2.00 o'clock P.M.

Electing
of
T.D.
Davis
as
County
School
Commissioner

at the appointed hour I called the meeting to order and fully explained its duties, whereupon Mr. F. W. Read was elected chairman, four informal ballots were taken resulting as follows.

H.B. Krognun	4	4	3	2
F.D. Davis	6	5	7	7
A.E. Stein	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>
Total	16	16	16	16

Whereupon Mr H.B. Krognun withdrew his name from consideration. It was then moved, supported and carried that a formal vote be taken, which resulted as follows. T.D. Davis 9 votes A.E. Stein 7 Votes = Total 16 Votes. The chair then announced the election of T.D. Davis as County School Commissioner to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of J.B. Montgomery, an adjourned Sess. Dis Respefully

W.A. Ross Clark.

The following report of the election of a school examiner vice T.D. Davis resigned - was read adopted & ordered filed.

To Wm A Ross
County Clerk

Margate Co Minn. Jan 4/98

At a meeting of the Judge of Probate and County Board of Examiners held this day at the office of the Judge of Probate, Herman B. Krognun was elected to the office of School Examiner to succeed T.D. Davis who was recently elected to the office of County Commissioner of Schools.

Charles Kelsey
Chairman

T.D. Davis. Secretary.

Special
Committee

The bond of Sheriff John Carlson was presented and same accepted and orders filed.

upon
Hospital
Contracts.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Field and carried.
Resolved - A special committee of three be appointed, to submit to this board at its next meeting contracts for the care of indigent persons afflicted with contagious diseases and that the proper County Court officers be allowed to make temporary arrangements for their care pending approval of such contracts by this board.

The chair then as provided in said resolution appointed as

such committee, Supervisors, Fitch, Hayden & O'Meara.

There being no further business before the Board, it was adjourned until Wednesday February 16th, at the hour of 11 o'clock A.M.

A. G. Johnston Chamin.
W. A. Ross
Clerk.

February 16th. 1898

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court house, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the sixteenth day of February A.D. 1898 at 11. o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, A. G. Johnston, and upon roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Blechuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, ~~Fitz~~, Gorman, ~~Gordon~~, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Hincks, ~~Hayden~~, J. L. Johnson, W. H. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Keupper, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara Powell, Roberts, Reav, Sink, Suess, Nick Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Tschibilk, Wilson and chairman - Total 31. Absent Supervisor Fitch, Gordon, Hayden, Kruse, Lind, Aug Swanson, Youtlaff & Legorming total 8.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & ordered approved.

^{Humboldt}
^{Supervisor}
Pelmeir The Credentials of W. W. Pelmeir elected to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Joseph Legorming Supervisor of Humboldt Township, were read, accepted & filed; and Supervisor Pelmeir given a seat and was assigned to the same committee formerly occupied by Supervisor Legorming.

^{audit report found in}
^{Govt Book A}
^{Page 226} The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote - Yeas. Blechuber, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Gorman, Goodman, Harris, Haupt, Hincks, J. L. Johnson, W. H. Johnston, C. P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Keupper, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Meara Powell, Pelmeir, Roberts, Reav, Sink, Suess, Nick Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Tschibilk, Wilson. Chairman Total 32 - Nays None

The following usual reports of the County offices, comprising the

Motion
sustaining
Action of
Auditing Board
in
fighting
Diphtheria
Cases

report of the City of the Poor Board, Superintendents of the Poor, Game warden Duly and Inspectors of jails, were received read and ordered filed.

Mr. Mark Elliott, chairman of the Auditing Committee informed the board that several of the claimants whose bills were rejected at the last meeting, had commenced suits against the County; and that the Auditing board had concluded and so ordered the prosecuting attorney to defend the same, it was then moved and supported and carried that the action of the Auditing Committee be concurred in.

There being no further business before the meeting it adjourned until Wednesday the thirtieth day of March at the hour of 11:00 O'clock A.M.

David J. Morgan Chairman
W. A. Ross
Clerk

March 30th, 1898

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment at the court house, in the city of Marquette, in said county, on wednesday the thirtieth day of March A. D. 1898. at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman A. G. Johnston. and upon roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present. Blenkner, Chiabotto, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Gay, Finlay, Gorman, Goodman, Harris, Haapt, Hirwas, Hayden, Johnson J. C. Johnston W. H. Johnson C. P., Johnson Martin, Morgan, Neidhart, O'Mara, Powell, Belmear, Roberts, Sank, Suess, Nick Swanson, Aug Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Lebilecock, Wilson and Chairman — — — — — Total 31

Absent. Litch, Gordon, Hooper, Kruse, Kupper, Lind, Read and Toulloff — — — — — Total 8

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the auditing committee was read. and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote

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Yea - Supervisors, Blechbauer, Chabot, Chase, Elliott, Ewing,
Fay, Findlay, Gorman, Goodman, Harris, Harris, Hayden,
J.L. Johnson, W.H. Johnston, C.P. Johnson, Martin Johnson, Morgan
Neidhart, O'Meara, Powell, Pelnear, Roberts, Sank, Suess
Swanson Nick, Swanson Aug, Sedgwick, Symmons, Trebilcock
Wilson & Chairman voted 31

The special committee upon hospitals announced that they
would be able to make their report at the afternoon session.

The regular monthly reports from the Secy of the poor board,
Superintendents of the poor, and County game wardens were
read and ordered filed

The following resolution was offered & carried unanimously.
In view of the closing of the present year of the life of the
board of Supervisors of Marquette County, we are led in re-
spect to consider the conduct of its official head, The Chairman
and we cannot close the year without an expression of our
good will towards him and appreciation of his services.
Resolved, To him is due our sincere thanks for his uniform
kindness, fairness and the evident sense of full appreciation
of his responsibility which he has at all times manifested
in his treatment of the board.

The bond of Joseph Gregorius as mine Inspector was
present and approved.

The Board thereupon adjourned until 1.30 O'clock P.M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment at 1.30 O'clock
P.M. The following Supervisors being present.
Blechbauer, Chabot, Chase, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay,
Gorman, Gordon, Goodman, Harris, Harris, Hayden,
J.L. Johnson, W.H. Johnston, Martin Johnson, Morgan, Neidhart,
O'Meara, Powell, Pelnear, Roberts, Sank, Suess, Nick
Swanson, Aug Swanson, Sedgwick, Symmons, Trebilcock, Wilson
and Chairman voted 31.

Absent. Fitch, Haupt, C.P. Johnson, Kruse, Kupper, Lind
Read and Youlloff voted 8.

The Special Committee upon Hospitals contracts made
the following report.
To the chairman and Board of Supervisors.

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Hospital

your special committee appointed to effect contracts
with the - proper hospitals and physicians & care for
patients whose care are under medical attendance would
become a county - charge. beg leave to report that we
have made contracts with - Hotel & Vanderwerf &c &c
Schoening hospital, St Mary's Hospital of Marquette, and
Doctors Youngquist of Marquette and Hudson of Neenah
substantially on the same terms as those previously
agreed upon concerning the same matters, which the Committee
beg to present to the board for proper execution by the
Chairman.

make an effort to effect contracts with proper physicians
and with
Dr. J. A.
Anderson
for
the care of patients infected with contagious diseases,
similar to that made by your committee with Doctor Anderson
and the Board of Health of Niagara.
Dated March 3rd 1898.

made an effort to effect contracts with proper physicians
in Marguille and Lessprey. in connection with the
Health-officers and boards of Health of the respective cities,
for the care of patients infected with contagious diseases,
similar to that made by your committee with Doctor Hudson
on the board of health of Negauen.
Dated March 3rd 1898.

Geo Snyder
William J. O'Mara.

Your motion and report was received and adopted.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that the same
committee be authorized to make contracts with a physician
in Marquette - own Leopold, similar to the one he will
have at Marquette - and Dr. J. H. Hudson or his
successor, in Marquette - own Leopold, for the care of Conley who
diseases, not exceeding the time made with Dr. J. H. Hudson.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor John Hebilcock.

Whereas, it has been made to appear to the board, that valuations placed upon property
for taxation in the Township of Selden for the year 1896, were of very questionable validity and
evidently unfair; That an injustice thereby has been perpetrated upon four of the large
tax payers of the Township, owning large properties therein, that said tax payers have brought
suit to recover the taxes paid on their property for that year, based on the invalidity of
such valuations, and it further appears that the Township has already settled with said
tax payers for the Township taxes involved in such complaints, admitting the injustice and
irregularity of the valuations; upon the basis of allowing and requiring to said complainants
tax payers all the taxes paid by them less 70% of the flat tax. Resolved that the amount of forty
four thousand dollars be paid by the Lake Superior Iron Company, the Iron Cliffs Company, the Pittsburg and Lake Angelus Iron Company and
the Michigan Land & Iron Company (United), over and above 70% of the flat tax of that year 1896 in Selden Township,
be repaid or remitted to said companies respectively and the County Treasurer be hereby directed to make settlements as per
agreement accordingly. It was moved & passed that the resolution be laid upon the table, an amendment was then
offered that the resolution be referred to the following Monday to report at the first meeting of the new board, said amendment
was put over carried, whereupon the board adjourned sine die.

April 27th, 1898.

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday April 27th 1898 at 11 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the clerk, when the following call was duly read:

Marquette Mich April 6/1898.

State of Michigan
County of Marquette } S.S.

William A. Ross Esq. Clerk of Marquette County.

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You are requested to call a meeting of the Supervisors of said county, at the Court House in the city of Marquette on Wednesday the 27th day of April A.D. 1898 at the hour of 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may properly come before such meeting. Respectfully yours, W. Fitch, P.P. Chase, J.E. Suess, David J. Morgan, Wm H. Johnston, Chas T. Kruse, Mark Elliott, Felix Chiabotto, Jos Fay, D.W. Powell, Thomas Harris & W.J. O'Meara.

Upon the roll being called, the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggan, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hinves, Holly, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Keupper, Lyons, Morgan, Madin, O'Meara, Powell, Pelman, Roberts Thos, Victor Roberts, Read, Ryan, Snik, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Schadly, Lebilcock, Wagner, and Wilson - Total 38. Absent Supervisor Kruse.

The name of David J. Morgan, was offered as temporary chairman and carried unanimously.

It was then moved supported & carried, that a special auditing committee of five be appointed. The chair then appointed as such special committee, Supervisors Elliott, Fay, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston and W.J. O'Meara.

Supervisor A.G. Johnston moved that the temporary chairman be made permanent chairman, and upon same being put to vote, it was carried unanimously.

The rules of order which governed the board during 1897 were:

upon motion, duly adopted as the rules for 1898.

It was then moved and supported that the board adjourn until 2 O'clock P.M. - (carried).

The Board was called to order by chairman Morgan at 2 O'clock P.M. and the following suspensions were found to be present:
 Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Ewing, Elliott, Eggen, Fay,
 Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hincks, Holley,
 W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kuepper, Lyons, Martin, McLean,
 Powell, Belmeur, Thos Roberts, Richd Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink,
 Sues, Sedgwick, Scoble, Schadt, Trebilcot, Wagner, Wilson, & Chairman
 Total 38 Absent Suspension Keuse.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

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The report of the special audit committee was read and adopted by the following Yeas and Nays. Vote: Yeas Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hincks, Holley, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kuepper, Lyons, Martin, McLean, Powell, Belmeur, Thos Roberts, Richd Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Sues, Sedgwick, Scoble, Schadt, Trebilcot, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman Nays none.

The monthly reports from the Secy of the Poor Board, the Superintendant of the Poor, Game wardens and County Clerk, were read and ordered filed.

*Resolved
Wm. H. S.
July 6
Tilden
Township*

The following resolution was, upon motion, referred to the prosecuting attorney. Whereas, it has been made to appear to the board that valuations placed upon property for taxation in the Township of Tilden for the year 1896, were of very questionable validity and evidently unfair. That an injustice thereby has been perpetrated upon one of the large tax payers of the township, owning large properties therein. That said taxpayer has brought suit to recover the taxes paid on their property for that year, based on the invalidity of such valuations, and it further appears that the township has already settled with said taxpayer for the township tax involved in such complaints, admitting the injustice and irregularity of the valuations upon the basis of allowing and repaying to said complaining taxpayer all the taxes paid by them less 70% of the flat tax.

Resolved: That the amount of County tax paid by the Winthrop Iron Co. over and above 70% of the flat tax of that year - 1896, in Tilden Township be repaid or remitted to said company, and the County

Treasurer he hereby directed to make settlement and give
acquittance accordingly

Geo B Sedgwick.

Hospital Committee { Upon motion the chair appointed the same committee up-
on County Hospitals. Viz - W. Fitch, Geo Hayden, Wm J. O'Meara
to complete the work begun in the life of the 1897 board.

After discussing pro & con on the county commissioners table
the matter was, upon motion, laid over until next
meeting. There being no further business before the board
it thereupon adjourned until June 8th 1898 at the hour
of 11 o'clock A.M.

David T. Morgan, chairman
W.A. Rose, clerk

"June 8th 1898."

The honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County,
met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court house, in the
City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the
Eightth day of June A.D. 1898, at 11.00 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, D.
T. Morgan, and upon roll being called, the following
Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto
Colmors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman
Gill, Hayden, Holley, Johnston W.H., Johnston A.G., June, Kruse
Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Peltmar, H. Roberts, Richard
Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sank, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Schadt,
Tubilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 36.
Absent, Supervisor Harris, Harris and O'Mara - Total 3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and
adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote;

Yea's = Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Colmors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen
Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, ~~Harris~~, Hayden, Holley,
Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kruse, Keupper, Lyons,
Martin, Powell, Peltmar, H. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read,
Ryan, Sank, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Schadt, Tre-
bilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 36.

Nays - None

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The regular monthly reports from the Secretary of the Poor Board, the Superintendents of the poor, and game warden Jacob Dolf were read and ordered filed.

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report on
Tilden Sup.
tax payers
re-imbursement</sup> The report of Prosecuting Attorney, Frank A. Bell, upon the matter of a reimbursement to certain tax payers of Tilden Township of excessive taxes levied and paid, was read and upon motion filed. Whereupon ~~the resolution~~ Supervisor Hayden offered the following resolution.

<sup>Resolving
Granting
Companies
in
Tilden
Township
reimbursement
of
Penalty
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Interest
paid
on
1896
taxes</sup> Whereas: It appears that the Pittsburgh and Lake Angelus Iron Company, the Lake Superior Iron Company, the Michigan Land and Iron Company (limited) and the Iron Cliffs Company, are willing to accept the penalty and interest paid or collectable on the taxes of 1896 in Tilden Township and waive the 30% of the County taxes respectively paid by them or collectable from them; all as recited in the resolution heretofore offered for the settlement with these companies taxes in Tilden Township Resolved: That the settlement with said tax payers proposed in the resolution heretofore offered, be and the same is hereby accepted and agreed to, on the basis herein before proposed, the 30% of the County tax paid, heretofore asked for being waived.

And that the County Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and directed to repay to or allow to said companies on settlement, the amount of the penalty and interest respectively paid by each or collectable from them and give acquittance accordingly, provided that said suits against said Township are discontinued, or taxes not yet paid be paid within thirty days from this date.

<sup>Votes
thereon.</sup> The above resolution was then carried by the following Yeas & Nays - vot^e -
Yea^s - Chiabotto, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Hayden, Holley, W.H. Johnston, Al. Johnson, June, Kruse, Kueffer, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmear, H. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Snell, Suese, Sedgwick, Schadt, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing Total 29.

Nays. Ayotte, Connors, Finlay, Ryan, Scoble = total 5.

<sup>Resolution
on
Davis'
expenses
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Commission
first</sup> The following resolution was offered by Supervisor B. J. Goodman, Resolved: That the sum of two hundred dollars be allowed County Commissioner of Schools F. D. Davis, to defray his expenses for the current year, same being in addition to his present salary.

The said resolution was lost by the following Yeas & Nays. vot^e
Yea^s - Chase, Chiabotto, Ewing, Eggan, Goodman, Gill,

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Resolution

{ Hayden, W.H. Johnston, June, Keupper, Martin, Powell, Richard
Roberts, Ryan, Schadt, and Wilson Total 16
Absent: Ayotte, Connors, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Holley, A.G.
Johnston, Kruse, Lyons, Pelmeir, Hoss Roberts, Read,
Smit, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner and
Chamian — Total 19.

There being no further business before the board, it
hereupon adjourned until Wednesday July 27th 1898
at the hour of 11 o'clock A.M.

Dazil T. Morgan Chairman.
W.A. Rose
Clerk.

July 27th, 1898

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County
met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the
City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the 27th
day of July A.D. 1898 at 11:00 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, D.J.
Morgan, and upon roll being called the following
Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chi-
botto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Fitch, Gil-
Harris, Hayden, Herwas, Holley, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston,
June, Kruse, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmeir,
Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Smit, Suess, Sedgwick,
Scoble, Lebilcock, Wilson and Chamian — total 33.
Absent = Finlay, Goodman, O'Meara, Hoss Roberts, Schadt
Wagner — Total 6.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Goose
Lake
Road
Improvement

A petition signed by numerous tax-payers of Negaupee City,
Richmond and Sands Townships, praying for the County Board
to authorize certain repairs upon the Goose Lake Road, was
read and was upon motion, seconded & carried, duly tabled.

Mrs M.A.
Wills
asking
aid.

A communication from Mrs M.A. Wills was read, asking
further county aid and was upon motion, seconded and
carried, referred to Charles L. Sporley, Superintendent of
Poor for the 2nd district.

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The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following Yea & Nay Vote.

Yea- Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Fitch, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hivias, Holley, J.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, Junc, Kruse, Kuepper, Lyons, Maitin, Powell, Pelmeair, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Suiss, Sedgwick, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wilson and Chauvin = Total 33. Nays - None -

The monthly reports from the County Clerk, Supervisor of Poor, Secretary of Poor Board, Game Wardens, and Sheriffs ~~and~~ annual report were read & ordered filed.

There being no further business before the board, it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday the 7th day of September A.D. 1898, at the hour of 11:00 O'clock A.M.

David T. Morgan Chairman
 W.C. Rose
 Clerk.

"Sept 7th, 1898."

~~The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the Seventh day of September A.D. 1898 at 11 O'clock A.M.~~

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Chairman David T. Morgan. And upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, Present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Holley, O.G. Johnston, Junc, Kruse, Kuepper, Lyons, Maitin, Powell, Pelmeair, Goo Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan Sink, Suiss, Sedgwick, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wilson & Chauvin - Total 34. Absent, Hivias, W.H. Johnston, O'Meara, Schmidt & Wagner - Total 5

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. And upon motion, ordered approved.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and

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adopted by the following Yea & Nay Vote:
 Yea - Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing,
 Eggen, Gay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris,
 Hayden, Holley, W. G. Johnston, Junc, Kruse, Keupper, Lyons,
 Martin, Powell, Pelmeier, H. S. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read,
 Ryan, Slink, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Trebilcot, Wilson
 and Channing = Total 34. Nays = None.

The following report was received and read, from the Committee upon "Superintendents of the Poor":

Ist Session Min Sept 1st 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.
 Gentlemen.

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Expedition.

Your committee upon "Superintendents of the Poor", beg leave to report as follows: - to wit.

That upon July 27-1898, your committee made an inspection of the County poor farm and found that the affairs of said institution were conducted in an able and efficient manner by its Super. Mr. Samuel Barney. We would recommend, however, that steps be taken by your honorable board or by the different superintendents of the poor, to resingle the roof of the new part and to lay a new floor in the sitting room and halls on both floors, both repairs being greatly needed all of which is respectfully submitted.

Gen. B. Sedgwick - Chair.

Joseph Scoble, F. C. Keupper,
 Felix Chiabotto, T. F. Gill,
 Jos. E. Suess, W. W. Pelmeier

It was moved, supported and carried, that the report be accepted and filed, and the recommendations of the committee be concurred in, said motion was carried by the following Yea & Nay Vote = Yea. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Gay, Finley, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Holley, W. G. Johnston, Junc, Kruse, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmeier, H. S. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Slink, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Trebilcot, Wilson and Channing Total 34, Nays None.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that the work recommended to be done by the above report be placed in the hands of the Committee upon "Supplies & Expeditions" who have done in accordance with the above vote and recommendation.

The Monthly reports of the Deputy Game Warden and

The Superintendents of the poor were read, and same ordered filed.

The following resolution from the audit committee was read.
Whereas: This county has paid many bills for services and medicines in caring for persons sick with contagious diseases during the past year, as appears by the following list: (Original list on file, with original bond proceedings, even date) aggregating (\$178.45) And.

Whereas, it appears that many of the persons for whom the same was furnished are able and willing to remunerate the County for such expenditures.

Therefore, Resolved: That all the bills above mentioned be referred to the prosecuting attorney with instructions to take whatever steps are found necessary for their collection whenever the parties responsible for their payment are financially able to pay the same.

Mark Elliott.

Chair Audit Committee

On upon motion of Supervisor Hayden, the following was added to said resolution, to wit, "and that the audit committee further investigate the items upon the above list and ascertain whether any of the same have been paid, contrary to the contracts then existing with the different boards of health of the several cities" And the whole of said resolution as above amended was duly adopted.

Supervisor Fitch, Chairman of the special committee to make contracts for the care of contagious diseases, and of the care of the indigent poor, reported that they had made contracts with physicians in the several cities for the care of contagious diseases, and with the several hospitals throughout the county for the care of the indigent poor, and that all said contracts were now on file in the clerk's office; whereupon it was moved, supported and carried, that said report be accepted and the committee be discharged.

There being no further business before the meeting, it whereupon adjourned without day.

David P. Morgan, Chairman

W. A. Rose

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relating
to the
Collection
of Money's
Paid
for
Contagious
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Amended
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County
Has Made
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Care of
Indigent
Poor.

"October 10th, 1898"

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, in annual session, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Monday the tenth day of October. A.D. 1898.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, David J. Morgan at 11 o'clock A.M.

Roll Call
The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present, Ayotte, Chase, Chabot, Cormier, Elliott, Ewing, Eggar, Fay, Lindsay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hinman, Holley, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kruse, Kuupper, Lyons, Martin, Pernell, Pelmeau, G.W. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Snik, Suess, Scoble, Schadt, Treadwell, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 37.

Absent Supervisors, O'Meara and Sedgwick - Total 2.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

State Tax.
A communication from the Hon. Roscoe L. Dix, Auditor General showing the various amounts apportioned as a state tax to the county of Marquette, under various acts of the State legislature, and aggregating Thirty-five Thousand one hundred and sixty two dollars and thirty one cents (\$35,162.31) was read and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

The report of the County Treasurer relating to taxes to be charged back, was read and referred to the Committee upon finance and taxation.

Marquette County Agricultural Society.
The following communication from the President of the Marquette County Agricultural Society, was read and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee, with the recommendation that the pray of the petitioner be granted.

Marquette Mich Oct 3rd 1898

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:

As the Marquette County Agricultural Society has this year incurred the expense of a three days fair, your petitioners in behalf of said society request that in compliance with the law permitting your body to do so, you will levy a tax upon the assessable property of the County for the year 1898 for the use of the society.

Respectfully,

Edward B. Palmer
President

Attest W.E. Adair

Secretary.

The following communication from the Secretary of the Soldiers Relief Commission, was read and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

Office Soldiers Relief Commission.

Margaretta Mich Oct 1st 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette Mich.
Gentlemen:

In compliance with the provisions of Sec 5, Act 253, Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of disbursements for the year ending September 30th 1898.

Balance on hand Oct 1st 1897

\$482.45

Amount expended during year

\$400.05

Balance on hand to commence the new year

87.40

\$482.45 482.45

Owing to the small amount on hand (\$482.40) we would respectfully urge upon your honorable body the necessity of levying the one-tenth of one mill tax as provided in said act 253.

All of which is respectfully submitted

C D Blanchard

Secy Soldiers Relief Commission.

A communication from the Executive Committee of the "State Association of the Supervisors of Michigan" containing the report of the committee upon organization and order of business, and urging the Board to appoint delegates to the Bi-annual meeting which convenes at Lansing on the second Monday of January 1899, was read, accepted and filed.

The following communication was received, read & ordered filed.

Michigan Oct 10th 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors. Marquette County Mich.

I hereby apply for re-election for the office of Superintendent of the poor for the third district

John Milroy.

The usual report from the Auditing Committee, was read and the same adopted by the following yeas & nays vote.

Yea - Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Elliott, Ewing, Eggan, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hinnes, Holly, W H Johnston, Al Johnston, June, Kline, Lepper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelnear, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sank, Suess, Scoble, Schatz, Tibilock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing - Total 37.

Nays - None.

committee upon County Officer accounts reported that they had examined all accounts, vouchers &c of the County Officers and found same correct, that the Treasurer's books shows a cash balance of Fifty-Six Thousand Five hundred fourteen and $\frac{47}{100}$ dollars (\$56,214.47). said report was received & filed.

The monthly reports of the Secretary of the Poor Board and the Superintendents of the poor were received and orders filed.

The annual report of the Secy of the poor board was received and filed. said report being as follows.
Orders drawn on the County Treasurer.

In favor of the Poor Home	\$ 5406.46
" " " J. R. 1 st District	4818.74
" " " 2 nd "	21509.36
" " " 3 rd "	8288.18
By Cash paid Co. Treas. 1 st Dist	\$ 66.95
Balance	<u>39960.79</u>
	<u>40022.74</u>
	40022.74

said report recommended the raising of fifty thousand dollars for the maintenance of the poor for the current year. said recommendation was referred to the Committee upon Finance and Taxation.

The monthly reports of the Deputy Game wardens and the annual report of the inspectors of jails were received and filed.

The Annual report of the County Treasurer was received Read and order filed, it is as follows.

Receipts:

Cash on hand Oct 1 st 1897	\$ 53,511.23
State & County Taxes 1897	111,940.45
Liquor taxes	48,979.26
Delinquent taxes	35,570.96
Primary School Fund	16,952.40
State of Michigan	8,412.57
Tax Sales y Co Treas	8,811.77
Cir Court & Justice fines	980.40
Hauler's Licenses	496.25
Abstracts	168.50
Circus Court Costs	147.65
Stenographers fees	48.00
Jury fees	27.00
Emby fees	<u>130.00</u>
	<u>forward \$ 286,176.44</u>

Amount brought forward	\$ 286,176.44
Refund from Wolverine Co	13.00
" " U.P. Hospital	8.80
Poor Fund Check No 1	61.95
Teachers Institute Fund	115.50
Refund by Marquette City	24.87
Swed gas Fixtures	1.00

Disbursements.

Paid Genl Fund Warrants.	\$ 40,172.12
" Poor Fund "	40,586.35
" Liquor Taxes	48,118.14
" State of Michigan	43,963.00
" Delinquent Taxes Cities & Towns.	37,865.02
" Primary School Fund	16,941.58
" Jury Certificates	1,563.00
" Miners "	109.00
" Soldiers Relief	390.05
" Telephones	225.00
" Teachers Institute	137.50
" Hospital of Insane	4,200.01
" Kitchen Fund	100.00
" Cir. Court Orders	49.00
" Registration of Deaths	30.00
" Insurance	187.50
" Water	71.00
" Library Fund City & Towns.	370.00
" Canceled Tax Sale Cert.	61.47
" Refund of Order Board of Supervisors	47.35
Cash on hand Oct 1 st 1898	- 56,214.47
	<u>\$ 286,401.56</u>
	<u>\$ 286,401.56</u>

Cash belongs to following funds.

General fund	\$ 46,303.00
Due Townships & Cities	8,520.17
Library Fund	647.40
Estates of deceased persons	597.95
Soldiers Relief Fund	921.40
Teachers Institute Fund	53.55
	<u>56,214.47</u>

	Trial Balance.	Dr.	Cr.
Delinquent Taxes	\$ 57,771.12		
Cash	56,214.47		
General Fund Warrants	40,172.12		
Poor Fund "Over drawn"	7,029.33		
Jury Certificates	<u>1,563.00</u>		
	formal	<u>\$ 162,750.04</u>	

	Dr	Cr
Amount brought forward.	\$162,750.04	
Jurors Certificates	109.00	
Townships	47.19	
General fund account	\$149,862.67	
Townships & Cities	8,520.17	
Interest	1,614.11	
Collection fees	1,337.90	
Library Fund	647.40	
Estate of deceased persons	597.95	
Delinquent taxes	180.08	
Soldiers Relief Fund	92.40	
Teachers Indebtate fund	53.55	
	<u>\$162,906.23</u>	<u>\$162,906.23</u>

The Annual report of the County Clerk was received and an order filed. The sum of which shows as follows.

<u>Delinquent Taxes received during fiscal year.</u>	
Taxes tax and interest.	\$34546.68
" Collection fees.	1023.90
Grand Total	<u>35570.58</u>

<u>Orders drawn</u>	
General Warrants.	\$39,943.00
Jurors Certificates	1511.80
Milnes "	94.30

<u>Poor Report.</u>	
Amount expended during fiscal year.	\$40,022.74
<u>Sum of money paid County Treasurer.</u> from Oct 1 st 1897 to Sept 30 th 1898, both inclusive.	\$2,231.05

The annual report of the Mine Inspector was read & filed.

*upt poor
3rd
district* It was then moved, supported and carried unanimously that John Milroy be elected to succeed himself as Superintendent of the poor for the third district.

The names of Fummore, J Sherman and W H Hood were then presented to succeed themselves as the Board of County Canvassers, it was then moved, supported and carried that action thereon be deferred until the afternoon session.

The following special Committee upon Salaries was

then appointed. Supervisors Fitch, Powell & W.H. Johnston.

The Board then adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

afternoon Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at the afternoon session. Of the chairman and the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Egan, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Huwas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kuse, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmeir, Goss Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sirk, Suess, Scoble, Schadt, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 36.

Absent. Supervisors, Haller, O'Meara and Sedgwick.

The following report from the Special Committee was received and Read.

Salaries of County Officers

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of fixing the salaries of County Officers. report that they be fixed as follows.

Sheriff	\$1000.00	Min Inspector	\$1800.00
Clerk	1800.00	Commissioner of Schools	1500.00
Treasurer	2000.00	Supt Poor 3 rd dist	750.00
Post Offt	1500.00	Abstract Clerk	\$50.00 per month

And your committee asks to be discharged from further consideration of same.

Vote thereon.

W. Fitch = W.H. Johnston = D.W. Powell = Committee.

Said report upon motion was adopted by the following Yeas and Nay Vote. Yeas, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Egan, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Huwas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kuse, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmeir, Thomas, Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sirk, Suess, Scoble, Schadt, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman - Total 36 Nays None.

Board of County Canvassers and their Compensation.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that the Board proceed to the election of a Board of County Canvassers. The names of F.M. Moore, J. Sherman and J.E. Suess were placed in nomination. An amendment was offered that the old board be reelected. A rising vote being called for said amendment was duly carried. 19 voted therefore and 17 against. Benjamin Messis, F.M. Moore, J. Sherman, and W.H. Rod were duly declared elected a Board of County Canvassers. It was then M.S. and C that the compensation of said Board be the same as before viz \$4.00 per day.

school examiner { The name of H. B. Stogman was then placed in nomination to succeed himself as school examiner, said election resulting unanimously, and H. B. Stogman was duly declared elected school examiner.

The following resolution was offered and read.

Whereas, It appears that the proceedings of this board have previously been published exclusively in the Iron Age at Ishpeming and.

Whereas, There are a number of ten pages in the above city who are not readers of the above mentioned publication but who are readers of the Peninsula Record of the same City. Be it.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this board be published in both the Iron Age and the Peninsula Record and that the compensation be equally divided.

Sigis M. J. Eggan, Thos A. Roberts, Joseph Scoble, T. F. Gill, Chas Wilson, Oliver Ayotte.

It was then moved supported & carried that same be adopted. An amendment was offered duly supported, that it be laid upon the table, which amendment prevailed.

The Board then adjourned until tomorrow Tuesday October 11th 1898, at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

W. A. Ross clerk.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors, convened in an adjourned session on Tuesday morning October 11th A.D. 1898 at 11 O'clock A.M. The meeting being called to order by the chairman. The following supervisors were found to be present Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Elliott, Ewing, Eggenay, Hay, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hinman, W. H. Johnston, Al Johnson, June, Kuse, Knupper, Lyons, Malin, Powell, Peltier, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Smith, Snell, Scoble, Schmidt, Trebilcot, Wagner, Wilson & Channing. Total 35
Absent. Supervisors Gilley, Holly, O'Mara, and Sedgwick - Total 4

The Committee upon Equalization made the following report which upon motion was adopted and referred to the Committee upon Finance & Taxation.

Roll call Oct 11th 1898 11= a.m.

City or Township	Real Estate as assessed	Personal Property as assessed	Total Valuation as assessed	Amount Added	Amount Deducted	Total Valuation as Equalized
Marquette City	2,096,655	815,265	2,411,920		411,920	2,000,000
Ishpeming City	3,146,416	408,624	3,555,040		555,040	3,000,000
Negaunee City	1,258,100	90,440	1,348,540	151,460		1,500,000
Chocolay Twp	55,925	500	56,425		425	56,000
Twin "	117,180		117,180		180	117,000
Gogebic "	205,795	2,950	208,145	19,855		228,000
Richland "	122,095	2,500	124,595	405		125,000
Tilden "	243,478	8,500	251,678		21,678	230,000
Ely "	141,160		141,160		160	141,000
Hancock "	102,775	1,055	103,830	170		104,000
Chapman "	401,679	25,550	427,229	77,771		505,000
Wahgaunie "	278,425	9,430	287,855	145		288,000
Republic "	388,010	121,200	509,210	75,790		585,000
Ishpeming "	237,775	6,100	243,875	125		244,000
Negaunee "	76,850	6,000	82,850		27,850	55,000
Marquette "	145,645	1,050	146,695	305		147,000
Skandia "	100,020		100,020		20	100,000
West Bank "	35,800	250	36,050		50	36,000
Sands "	45,210		45,210		210	45,000
	9,188,693	998,814	10,197,507	326,026	1,017,533	9,506,000

Also the following resolution from the same Committee which was upon motion was accepted and adopted.

Whereas = It is the opinion of this committee that no reductions of valuations on the assessment rolls of the several cities and townships from year to year should be allowed unless the same shall be accompanied by a separate statement and certificate made by the assessors and supervisors showing in detail such reductions and the reasons therefor.

This committee recommends that this plan be adopted for the guidance of future committees on Equalization to the end that continual and persistent reductions of valuations made by the different assessors should not be conceded unless valid reasons are furnished and the committee put in possession of a ready means of passing on the merits of each claim.

The meeting then adjourned until 2 o'clock P.M.

At 2 O'clock P.M. Oct 11/98 the meeting was called to order by the chairman and the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chidatto, Comers, Elliott, Ewing, Eggaw, Gay, Fitch, Gil, Harris, W.H. Johnson,

A. G. Johnston, Ave. Kruse, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, Powell,
 Palmer, Ilos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Suck,
 Suess, Scoble, Schadt, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman
 Tolue ~~J.~~ = Absent. Supervisors. Finlay, Goodman, Hayden,
 Huwas, Holley, Cimera, and Sedgwick = Total ~~J.~~

The following reports from the Committee on "Finance
 and taxation" were read, accepted and adopted.

Rejected Tax.

	State Tax	County Tax	Total
Marquette City	1.48	1.69	3.17
Ishpeming "	12.68	28.18	40.86
Negaunee "	650.18	1168.77	1818.95
Chicaley Twp	.59	1.99	2.58
Turi "	13.29	12.92	26.21
Forsyth "	1.92	4.57	6.49
Richmond "	4.97	7.67	12.64
Gilden "	3.83	6.64	10.47
Ely "	.10	.30	.40
Humboldt "	1.85	3.34	5.19
Champion "	18.77	45.89	64.66
Mishigamae "	17.23	50.87	68.05
Republic "	15.36	33.71	49.07
Ishpeming "	16.59	32.87	49.46
Marquette "	.55	1.88	2.43
Skandia "	.94	3.15	4.09
West Branch "	1.07	.94	2.01
Sands "	1.96	.96	2.92
General Fund.	2.73		2.73
	\$ 766.09	\$ 1406.29	\$ 2172.38

Amount of Taxes to be Raised.

• 2169.65

State Tax	\$ 35.162.31
County Tax "General Fund	45.000.00
Poor Fund.	35.000.00
Marquette County Agricultural Society	950.60
Soldiers Relief.	400.00

Appurized as follows.

Marquette City	7397.92	17.115.63
Ishpeming City	11096.88	25.673.45
Negaunee City	5548.44	12.836.73
Chicaley Twp.	207.14	479.24
Turi "	432.78	1001.26
Forsyth "	843.36	1951.18
forward.	25,576.57	59,057.49
		\$ 116,517.91

	State Tax	County Tax	Total Genl Tax
Ait Brook former	\$ 25, 526. 52	\$ 59, 057. 49	\$ 116, 512. 91
Richmond Twp.	462. 37	1, 069. 73	
Tilden "	850. 76	1, 968. 30	
Ely "	521. 55	1, 206. 65	
Humboldt "	384. 69	890. 01	
Champlain "	1, 867. 97	4, 321. 70	
Mohicanne "	1, 065. 30	2, 464. 65	
Republic "	2, 163. 89	5, 006. 32	
Sherman "	902. 55	2, 088. 11	
Negaunee "	203. 44	470. 68	
Mangusella "	543. 75	1, 258. 00	
Maudie "	369. 90	855. 78	
West Branch "	138. 16	308. 08	
Perkins "	166. 46	385. 10	
<u>Totals.</u>	<u>\$ 35, 162. 31</u>	<u>\$ 81, 350. 60</u>	<u>\$ 116, 512. 91</u>

Amount of Taxes to be raised in the Same Cities & Twp's.

Mangusella City.

State Tax	\$ 7, 397. 92	State Tax	\$ 850. 76
County Tax	17, 115. 63	County Tax	1, 968. 30
General Tax	15, 450. 00	Township Contingent Tax	10, 000. 00
School Tax "Includg 1 Mill Tax"	31, 911. 92	Highway Tax	1, 000. 00
Library Tax	2, 411. 92	School Dist No 1 Tax	7, 000. 00
Special Assessment Tax "City Purpse"	737. 89	One Mill Tax	251. 68

Negaunee City.

State Tax	\$ 3548. 44	State Tax	\$ 384. 69
County Tax	12, 836. 73	County Tax	890. 01
City Tax	33, 71. 35	Township Contingent Tax	900. 00
Street & Highway Tax	2697. 08	Highway Tax	380. 00
Fire Department Tax	20, 22. 81	School Dist No 1 Tax	900. 00
Specie Tax	20, 22. 81	One Mill Tax	103. 83
Library Tax	250. 00		
School Dist No 1 Tax	18, 000. 00	State Tax	\$ 133. 16
One Mill Tax	13, 48. 54	County Tax	308. 08

Sherman City

State Tax	\$ 11, 096. 88	State Tax	\$ 1065. 30
County Tax	25, 673. 45	County Tax	24, 646. 65
Contingent Tax	10, 000. 00	Township Contingent Tax	10, 000. 00
Highway Tax	10, 000. 00	Highway Tax	358. 00
Fire Fund Tax	6, 000. 00	One Mill Tax	36. 05
Delinquent Sew Assessments	21, 30. 69		
Sidewalks	40. 30	State Tax	
School Dist No 1 Tax	46, 000. 00	County Tax	
One Mill Tax	3, 555. 04	Township Contingent Tax	

Tilden Township

State Tax	\$ 850. 76
County Tax	1, 968. 30
Township Contingent Tax	10, 000. 00
Highway Tax	1, 000. 00
School Dist No 1 Tax	7, 000. 00
One Mill Tax	251. 68

Humboldt Township

State Tax	\$ 384. 69
County Tax	890. 01
Township Contingent Tax	900. 00
Highway Tax	380. 00
School Dist No 1 Tax	900. 00
One Mill Tax	103. 83

West Branch Township

State Tax	\$ 133. 16
County Tax	308. 08
Township Contingent Tax	800. 00
Highway Tax	250. 00
School Tax "for all purposes"	14, 000. 00
Library Tax	71. 60
Labon Tax	358. 00
One Mill Tax	36. 05

Mohicanne Township

State Tax	\$ 1065. 30
County Tax	24, 646. 65
Township Contingent Tax	10, 000. 00

School Dist No 1 Tax	\$ 4500.00	Ely Township.	
One mill Tax	287.86	Slot Tax	\$ 521.55
Ishpeming Township.		County Tax	1206.65
State Tax	\$ 902.55	Township Contingent Tax	100.00
County Tax	2088.11	Highway Tax	450.00
Township Contingent Tax	600.00	School District No 1 Tax	2500.00
Highway Tax	900.00	one mill Tax	141.16
School Dist No 1 Tax	2700.00	Richmond Township.	
One mill Tax	243.88	State Tax	\$ 462.37
Marguerite Township.		County Tax	1069.73
Slot Tax	\$ 543.75	Township Contingent Tax	500.00
County Tax	1258.00	Highway Tax	250.00
Township Contingent Tax	400.00	Township School Tax	1000.00
Highway Tax	700.00	one mill Tax	124.60
School Dist Tax	200.00	Kingsley Township.	
One mill Tax	146.70	State Tax	\$ 843.36
Republican Township		County Tax	1951.18
State Tax	\$ 2,163.89	Township Contingent Tax	500.00
County Tax	5,006.32	Highway Tax	1028.98
Township Contingent Tax	750.00	School District Tax	1700.00
Highway Tax I 46 R 30 W	250.00	one mill Tax	208.15
" " " 47 " "	250.00	Negaunee Township.	
School Dist No 1 Tax	7,500.00	Slot Tax	\$ 203.44
One mill Tax	509.21	County Tax	470.68
Skandia Township		Township Contingent Tax	450.00
Slot Tax	\$ 369.90	Highway Tax	450.00
County Tax	855.78	Special Bridge Tax	250.00
Township Contingent Tax	500.00	School Dist No 1 Tax	550.00
Highway Tax	487.60	one mill Tax	82.85
Highway Labor Tax	975.20	Chocolay Township.	
School Tax	1500.00	State Tax	\$ 207.14
one mill Tax	100.02	County Tax	479.24
Champion Township		Township Contingent Tax	650.00
State Tax	\$ 1,867.97	Highway Tax	282.12
County Tax	4,321.70	School District Tax	2150.00
School District Tax	5,000.00	One mill Tax	56.42
One mill Tax	427.23	Sands Township.	
Guri Township.		State Tax	\$ 166.46
State Tax	\$ 432.78	County Tax	385.10
County Tax	1001.26	Township Contingent Tax	250.00
Township Contingent Tax	600.00	Highway Tax	226.05
Highway Tax I 44 NR 23824 W	302.35	School Library	50.00
School Dist Tax "for all purposes"	700.00	School Dist No 1 Tax	250.00
Highway Labor Tax	604.70	One mill Tax	45.21
One mill Tax	1171.18		

The following resolution was then offered, and it was moved, seconded and carried that same be accepted & adopted.

Whereas: The Peninsula Record of Leppenij circulates largely among the tax payers of this County; And,

Whereas: Believing that such tax payers should fully know the doings of this August body, therefore be it

Resolved: That the Peninsula record be included in the list of papers in this County to publish the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette.

Resolved: That the compensation for publishing the official proceedings be equally divided among the four County papers, thus eliminating any additional expense to the tax payers of the County.

Signed: M. J. Eggan.

There being no further business before the meeting, it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday November 23rd 1898, at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

Daniel T. Morgan, Chairman,
W. A. Rose
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"November 23rd 1898"

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 23rd day of November A.D. 1898, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman David J. Morgan.

Pull being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Comors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Giel, Harris, Hayden, Huvas, Holley, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Martin, Belmeor, Thomas Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Smith, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Tschelcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channing - total 34.
Absent, Kuse, Keupper, Cimara, Powell & Dectadt - total 5.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read & approved.

Auditing Rep'r
The report from the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following Yea & Nay. Vote:

Yea, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Comors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Giel, Harris, Hayden, Huvas, Holley, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Martin, Belmeor, Thomas Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Smith, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Tschelcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channing, ~~Total 34.~~ Nays None.

The monthly reports from the Secy of the Poor Board, the superintendents of the Poor, and the same warden were read and ordered filed.

*Resolution
relating to
Supplying
poor
of 2nd
District.*
The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Hayden, which upon motion was accepted and adopted.

Resolved, That the Superintendents of the poor of the 1st and 2nd districts be requested to embody in their monthly reports a classification of the relief granted in the Cities by wards, thus enabling the Supervisors of the respective wards to know fully who are receiving aid in their district.

There being no further business before the board it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday December 28th at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

Louis J. Morgan Chairman
W.C. Ross
Clark

"December 28th, 1898"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the twenty-eighth day of December A.D. 1898. at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman David J. Morgan.

Roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Eggar, Fay, Finlay, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hayden, Hinweis, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, Jones, Kruel, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Belmeare, Los Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Suess, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Totals 33

Absent. Supervisor Fitch, Holley, Keupper, O'Meara, Sedgwick, and Schadt - Total 6

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

The following communication was read and upon motion tabled.

To the Board of Supervisors, and the Superintendents of the poor for the County of Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

We. The undertakers of Marquette County Michigan, beg leave to inform you. That from and after the first day of January A.D. 1899. we shall furnish a rough box, and coffin properly trimmed for the burial of any corpse at the expense of the said County for the sum of fifteen dollars. The price of the grave and the hearse to be an additional charge.

Yours Sincerely.

Columbia Furniture Co. Ishpeming Mich.

Swanson Warbey & Co. " "

Leonard and Tislow " "

Whitford and Gill " "

Maurice Wollner Negaunee Mich

Zonella & Johnson Marquette Mich.

Hager Bros Co Limited " "

R.R. Thomas Champion Mich

Munson and Peterson Republic "

The usual report from the Auditing Committee was

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read and adopted by the following Yeas & Nay Vote.
 Yeas = Supervisors, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors,
 Elliott, Ewing, Eggen, Fay, Finley, Goodman,
 Gill, Harris, Hayden, Huivas, W. H. Johnston, A. G.
 Johnston, June, Kruse, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Palmer,
 Hos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Suesse, Scoble,
 Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing. Total 33. Nay None.

The monthly reports of the Secretary of the Poor Board, the Superintendents of the Poor, and Game Wardens, were read and ordered filed.

Motion
for
Bids
for
Burial of
Paupers

The following motion was offered by Supervisor A. G. Johnston and carried unanimously.

"That the Secretary of the poor board be instructed to advertise for bids, for the furnishing of all supplies, labor &c. necessary for the proper burial of all paupers, ~~same~~

Bonds
of
County
Offices

The bonds of the following County Officers Elect. were read and ordered approved.

John Carlson. Sheriff,	in the sum of	\$10,000	dollars.
William A. Ross. County Clerk	" " "	2,000	"
" " " Register in County	" " "	10,000	"
Joseph H. Prineau. Register of Deeds.	" " "	3,000	"
Leonard P. Craig. Coroner.	" " "	10,000	"
Maurice Waller.	" " "	10,000	"

The Board whereupon adjourned until 2 O'clock P.M.

Afternoon
Roll
Call

At 2 O'Clock P.M. The Board was called to order by the Chairman, with the following Supervisors present, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Eggen, Fay, Finley, ~~Harris~~^{Harris}, Hayden, Huivas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kruse, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Palmer, Hos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Suesse, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing = total 30 Absent Supervisors. Fitch, Gooding, Gill, Ewing, Holly, Kenyon, O'Meara, Sedgwick and School = total 9.

Board
County
Treasurer

The Bond of the County Treasurer Elect. Adam Kangas in the sum of \$150,000 dollars, was read, and same upon motion was ordered approved.

The following Resolution was offered by Supervisor Geo Hayden

Whereas: the representation on the board of Supervisors of this County, now thirty nine, is much greater than in other counties of the State of like population and more than three times greater than in Houghton County where with a population and wealth much greater than ours, twelve supervisors constitute the entire board and transact the business of that County satisfactorily. Therefore. Resolved.

That it is the sense of this board that the representation on the board should be reduced by appropriate legislation at the coming session of the Legislature and that in the Cities of Ishpeming, Negaunee and Marquette, the number of wards should be reduced to at most six in Ishpeming, three in Negaunee, and five in Marquette: That the townships of Sands, Skandia and West Branch should be consolidated in one township or attached to adjoining towns; that Ely be attached to Ishpeming township and Humboldt be attached to Republic township: That Negaunee and Marquette townships should be made one or attached to adjoining territory and that if in other towns the resident population is found small enough such other towns also, should be if possible consolidated.

That this action is to the end that unnecessary taxation, may be in future avoided, as all unnecessary taxation is unfair and unjust to the people.

Resolved: That this resolution be spread on the records and certified copies be furnished by the clerk to all interested municipalities of the County; and to the clerk of the House of Representatives of the State Legislature. That the three cities mentioned are urged to take immediate action looking to a re-apportionment of wards, followed by the request of each to be preferred to the legislature supplementing and supporting this resolution.

It was then moved and supported that the resolution as offered be adopted, the Yeas and Nays vote being called for with the following result

Yea = Elliott, Eggan, Fay, Finlay, Harris, Hayden, W. A. Johnston, W. S. Johnston, Kruse, Martin, Powell, Read, Snell, Guess, Trebilcot and Channing = Total 16

Nays = Agotti, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Gill, Harris, June, Lyons, Palmer, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Scoble, Wagner and Wilson = Total 15

Whereupon the chair announced the adoption of the resolution as read.

The board therupon adjourned until Wednesday February fifteenth A.D. 1899. at the hour of 11 O'Clock A.M.

David T. Morgan. Chairman
W. A. Rose.
Clerk

"January 20th 1899"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Friday the twentieth day of January A.D. 1899. at 11.00 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, when the following call was duly read.

Lansing Mich Dec 30th 1898.

To William A. Rose Esq.

County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette. State of Michigan.

Dear Sir.

You are hereby requested, in accordance with Section 482 of Howells annotated Statutes of Michigan to call a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan to be held at the Circuit Court room in the court house in the city of Marquette in said County of Marquette on Friday the twentieth day of January A.D. 1899 for the purpose of reconsidering and rescinding the resolutions offered by Supervisor George Hayden at a meeting of said Board of Supervisors which was held on the 28th day of December A.D. 1898. in reference to curtailing the representation on said Board by reducing the number of wards in the cities of Lansing, Houghtaling and Marquette and by consolidating the various Township in said county and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Yours Respectfully,
W. W. Palmer,
Alvin Ayotte,
Geo. H. Roberts,
Felix Chiabotto,
J. W. Harris,

John Cormier
Dennis Ryan
A. G. Johnston
B. J. Gordon
Philo P. Chase

Call
for
Special
Meeting

upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Elliott, Ervin, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Gile, Harris, Harris, W. H. Johnson, A. G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Martin, Powell, Pelmeir, T. S. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Snik, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Lubiecock, Wilson and Channing = Total 31. Absent Supervisors Eggen, Hayden, Holley, Kuse, Keupper, O'Neora, Scott, and Wagner, = Total 8.

The following credential was then read and upon motion Mr D. F. Wadsworth was given a seat.

Ishpeming Mich Jan 18th 1899

To the Board of Supervisors
Marquette County.

Gentlemen,

We hereby certify that Mr Daniel F. Wadsworth, is the senior alderman from fifth ward, City of Ishpeming and according to the provisions of the charter of the City of Ishpeming page 28, chapter 14 Sec 1. The said D. F. Wadsworth is entitled to represent the fifth Ward during the absence of Supervisor M. J. Eggen.
Very Respectfully yours.

P. F. Small, recorder,
Wm Andrews, Mayor.

*Motion
to
reconsider*
Supervisor A. G. Johnston moved that the resolution of the so called "Hayden Resolution" which was adopted at the session of this board at its meeting December 28th 1898 be reconsidered. Before action was taken and upon a point of order, it was moved, supported and carried, that the regular order of business be suspended.

*Amendment to
Resolution
Received*
The former motion being properly seconded, was then put before the board. When an amendment was offered that the former resolution and adoption be rescinded, the amendment being seconded and the yea & nay vote thereon being called, the same was duly declared carried by the following vote.

Yea's = Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Cormier, Ervin, Finlay, Goodman, Gile, Harris, Harris, A. G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Pelmeir, T. S. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Scoble Lubiecock, Wadsworth, Wilson Total 21 = Nays, Elliott, Fay, Fitch, W. H. Johnson, Martin, Powell, Read, Snik, Suess, Sedgwick and Channing Total 11

The following Resolution was then Read.

Whereas: The Resolution that was passed by this board at its last

resolution
for
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meeting, does not meet with the approval of a great number of the citizens of this county; Therefore: be it resolved, that a special committee of nine supervisors be appointed by the chair. The committee to consist of 2 from each City and 3 from the Townships. The said committee to confer with the councils of the 3 Cities and the supervisors of the several Townships, as to the advisability of reducing the number of Supervisors from the Cities and Townships, and be it further resolved, that the said committee act in conjunction with the councils of said cities and supervisors of said townships and make such changes as shall be deemed necessary, if any there be.

John Gibelwick.

It was then moved, supported and carried that the resolution be laid upon the table.

The following resolution was then read:

Towards the close of the last meeting of this board, held on the 28th day of December A.D. 1898, a resolution was offered by Supervisor George Hayden, looking to a reduction of the membership on this board by consolidating the different townships in the County and by reducing the number of wards in the Cities of Ishpeming, Houghtaling & Marquette, and was immediately put to a vote without any opportunity being given to members of this board to consult their constituents. And whereas, since that time the matter has been made known and discussed by the people of the municipalities and townships within the county and a vast majority have expressed their disapproval of the changes contemplated by the said resolution offered by George Hayden and desire that no change be made in the present ward or township boundaries, and.

Whereas the promoters of the said resolution offered by George Hayden appear to lose sight of the fact that Marquette County is the largest county in the state, comprising, approximately, sixty-seven (67) surveyed townships, and four times as large as the ordinary sized county in the Lower Peninsula; That Marquette County is gradually becoming settled by actual farmers and that it will not be long before new townships will need to be organized in order to give the people all the rights and privileges to which they are entitled, and. Whereas on account of the peculiar situation of affairs existing in this County, should the scheme of the promoters of the changes contemplated by the said resolution of George Hayden

Resolution
Chase

be carried out and the legislature of this State be misled into passing any law in conformity or compliance therewith. The taxing power and the control of County, municipal and township affairs would be concentrated in the hands of a few. To the injustice, wrong, and injury of the people at large, therefore, be it.

Resolved, That the board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, State of Michigan, do hereby rescind and repudiate the action of this board on the resolution offered by George Hayden at the meeting held by this board on December 28th 1898, relative to reducing the representation on this board, and be it further,

Resolved, That the Legislature of this state, if desirous of complying with the wishes of the people of this county, will refrain from enacting any law in compliance with the said resolution offered by said George Hayden or attorney at the present time, the boundaries of the existing townships in this county, or reducing the number of the wards in our municipality. The People of Marquette County are perfectly satisfied under the present arrangement and all they desire from the legislature of this state is to be let alone and they will live in peace and reach out for the good things of this world.

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon our records, and certified copies thereof be furnished by the County Clerk to the Governor of this state, to the representatives in the Legislature from this County and district and to the clerk of the Senate and house of Representatives of the State Legislature

Philo P. Chase.

It was then moved and supported that the resolution as read be adopted, an amendment was offered, that it be laid upon the table. The Yea & Nay vote being called for, the amendment was declared lost. The following vote: Yeas = Elliott, Gay, Fitch, W H Johnston, Martin, Powell, Read, Snik, Suess, Sedgwick, Tuckercoll, Wadsworth and Channing - Total 13 = Nays = Ayotte, Chase, Chiavetta, Connors, Ewing, Finlay, Goodman, Gile, Harris, Hinman A. G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Pelnear, Hos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan Scoble, and Wilson = Total 19.

Before a vote upon the resolution was had, an additional amendment was offered, that so much of the resolution as referred to the clerk notifying the State Assembly of the action of the board in rescinding its former action, be concurred in. The same

being seconded on the Yeas & Nays vote being called for -
 said amendment was declared lost by the following vote - Yeas.
 Elliott, Gay, Giel, Pomell, Suess, Trebilcock, Wadsworth
 and Wilson - Total 8. Nays - Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors,
 Ewing, Gilroy, Fitch, Goodman, Harris, Harris, W.H.
 Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Martin, Pelmeor, Hos Roberts,
 Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sink, Sedgwick, Scoble & Channing = total 24.

It was then moved as suggested that the body adjourn - the
 Yeas & Nays vote being called for. The same was declared
 lost by the following vote. Yeas - Elliott, Gay, Fitch,
 W.H. Johnston, Martin, Pomell, Read, Sink, Suess, Sedg-
 wick, Trebilcock, Wadsworth and Channing = total 13.

Nays - Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Ewing, Gilroy,
 Goodman, Giel, Harris, Harris, A.G. Johnston, June,
 Lyons, Pelmeor, Hos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Scoble,
 and Wilson = Total 19.

{ He then announced the vote to be taken upon the
 original (Chase) resolution. The yeas & nays vote being called
 for. The said resolution was declared adopted by
 the following vote. Yeas. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto,
 Connors, Ewing, Gilroy, Goodman, Giel, Harris,
 Harris, A.G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Pelmeor, Hos
 Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Scoble, Wilson and Channing
 Total 20. Nays. Elliott, Gay, Fitch, W.H. Johnston,
 Martin, Pomell, Read, Sink, Suess, Sedgwick, Trebilcock,
 Wadsworth Total 12

The house then adjourned.

David T. Morgan, Secy.

W.A. Ross
Clerk.

"February 15th 99"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on wednesday the fifteenth day of February A.D. 1899, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, David J. Morgan.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Friday, Goodman, Giel, Harris, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Lyons, Martin, Palmer, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Smit, Suess, Scoble, Ticebideck, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 28. Absent. Supervisors Fitch, Hayden, Hinman, Holley, Kuse, Lepper, O'Mara, Powell, Sedgwick, Shadt and Wadsworth, Total 11.

The minutes of the regular meeting of December 28-1898 and of the special meeting of January 20-1899, were read & approved.

A communication from the common council of the City of Ishpeming relating to the revision of the Townships and cities was read and upon motion placed on file.

The following Petition was read, and upon motion to adopt same; which was subsequently amended to lay same upon the table until the next meeting; the amendment prevailed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors for the County of Marquette:
Gentlemen:

We the undersigned undertakers of the County of Marquette respectfully petition your honorable body to take proper action in regard to the burial of those persons who are to be buried at the expense of the County, on and after this date, this 15th day of February - 1899.

That this honorable body adopt a resolution directing each one of the poor masters, in his respective district, that at any time when the said poor master shall have a body to be buried at the expense of the County, the said poor master shall before issuing his order for a coffin to any one of the said undertakers of Marquette County, consult the friends or relatives of the person so dying, as to what undertaker they most favor to take charge of the body of the deceased, and whether they have any choice as to what undertaker shall attend to the burial of said body, and that the said Poor Masters shall carry out the desire of the friends or relatives of the deceased, as

for as it is practicable, and proper.

Yours very Respectfully.

J. F. Gill, Leraund & Lislor, William Allen, Swanson Wamberg
& Company, Tonella & Johnson.

The following communication was received and upon motion was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors for the County of Marquette.

A number of years ago Wm J. Adams, my husband, now deceased, was sheriff of this county for four years. I understand he was never a defaulter to the County, or to any person, firm or corporation. He, some years ago, presented a bill for fees legally owing to him from the County, amounting to \$583.10, for receiving and discharging prisoners. For some reason unknown the bill was not allowed. The sheriffs for many years before and ever since have been paid for such services and the statute fixes the fees charged by him in the bill so presented, and that the same shall be paid by the County.

I ask the payment of this bill as a matter of justice between man & man. You can refer to the bill presented, to the jail records, and to the records of the courts from which the persons named in the bill were sentenced, to verify the account.

No notice of the rejection of the bill was ever given.

Yours & etc - Catherine J. Adams

The following communication was received and placed on file
Marquette Miss January 3-1899

I have apportioned to the several counties below named, comprising the Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit of Michigan. The salary of the official Stenographer being, according to the number of cases commenced during the year 1898 in said counties respectively, to wit:

Marquette County, No of Cases 212	appallment,	\$732.32
Menominee " " " 100	"	345.44
Gates " " " 118	"	407.60
Luce " " " 95	"	328.16
Iron " " " <u>54</u>	"	<u>186.54</u>
	<u>579 Total</u>	<u>\$2000.06</u>

J.W. Stone

Clerk Judge.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read & adopted by the following Yes & Nay Vote. Yes, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabolla, Connors, Elliott, Erving, Fay & Finlay, Gordon, Gill, Harris, W.H. Johnston, A. G. Johnston, June, Lyons & Martin, Palmer, Hes Roberts, Richard Roberts, Rev. Ryan, Sicc. Justice, Scoble, Schubert, Wagner, Wilson & Channing - Total 28. Nays None.

Sheriff Adams Clausing
of Marquette

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The reports of the County Clerk, Secy of the Poor Board, Game Wardens and the superintendents of the poor were read & ordered filed.

There being no further business before the board it whereupon adjourned until wednesday March 29th - 1899 at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

Lazin, D. Morgan, Chairman.
W.H. Ross

Clerk.

"March 29th, 1899"

The honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on wednesday the twenty-ninth day of March A.D. 1899. at 11 O'clock A.M.

Johnston
temporary
Chairman The meeting was called to order by the clerk, owing to the absence of the chairman David J. Morgan. And upon motion W.H. Johnston was unanimously elected temporary chairman

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Finlay, Fitch, Goodman, Harris, Hiwas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Kruse, Kuupper, Lyons, Martin, O'Meara, Powell, Belmar, Hes Roberts, Richards Roberts, Read, Ryan Snik, Suess, Sedgwick, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wadsworth, Wilson total 33

Absent, Supervisors Gill, Hayden, Holley, Schadt, Wagner and Channing, total 6.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

Burial
of
Soldiers
Sailors
and
Marines A communication from Chas H. Towne Post. No 8. G.A.R. relating to the purchase of a cemetery lot for the burial of deceased soldiers, sailors & marines and the appointment of some one to look after same, all as laid down in Act #33 P.A of 1887 and Act #170, ¹⁸⁸⁵ was upon motion and proper second placed on file.

One of
John
Hundene A communication from numerous tax payers, relating to the care of one John Hundene, a helpless invalid over 74 years old, was read and upon motion referred to the Supr of the Poor of the 2nd district.

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The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yeas & nays vote.

Yea: Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Envig, Fay, Finlay, Fletch, Goodman, Harris, Hirvas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Knuess, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, O'Meara, Powell, Pelmeor, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sank, Sasse, Sedgwick, Scoble, Tchibicoff. Wadsworth and Wilson = total 33 Nays None

The usual reports from the Superintendents of the Poor, Inspectors of jail, Secretary of the poor board and County game wardens were read and ordered placed on file.

Proceedings
atting up
on
Mrs C. Adams
claim.

The special report of Prosecuting Attorney Waldo J. Poller, on the claim of Mrs Catharine Adams widow of Ex sheriff William J. Adams. Setting forth that no legal liability upon the County exists to pay the claim, The statute of limitation having expired, was read and upon motion was placed on file.

allowance
of
Mrs Adams
claim
and
Vote
thereon

Supervisor Walter Filich then moved that the claim of the estate of William J. Adams of \$583.10 for locks and unlockes while the said William J. Adams deceased, was Sheriff of this County, be allowed and same paid to a properly appointed administrator of said estate. Said motion being properly seconded, it was duly carried by the following Yeas & Nays vote.

Yea, Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Envig, Fay, Finlay, Fletch, Goodman, Harris, Hirvas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June Knuess, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, O'Meara, Powell, Pelmeor, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sank, Sasse, Sedgwick, Scoble Tchibicoff, Wilson and Wadsworth = Total 33 Nays None.

Renewal
of
Hospital
Contract
for

It was then moved and supported that the contracts now existing between the County and certain Hospitals be renewed for another year at the same price and upon the same terms as the now existing contracts; and that Supervisor W.H. Johnston and Walter Filich be appointed a special committee to carry out the wishes of this board relating to the said matter. Said motion was adopted by the following Yeas and Nays vote. Yea: Ayotte, Chase, Chiabotto, Connors, Elliott, Envig, Fay, Finlay, Fletch, Goodman, Harris, Hirvas, W.H. Johnston, A.G. Johnston, June, Knuess, Keupper, Lyons, Martin, O'Meara, Powell, Pelmeor, Thos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Sank, Sasse, Sedgwick, Scoble, Tchibicoff, Wilson and Wadsworth Total 33 - Nays None.

There being no further business before the board, it thereupon adjourned sine die

W.H. Johnston Chairman Pro Tem
W.L. Ross Clerk

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"May 11th, 1899."

The honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Thursday the Eleventh day of May, A. D., 1899. At 11. O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk, when the following call was Read:

State of Michigan } ss.
County of Marquette }

W. A. Ross Clerk of Marquette County.

Dear Sir: You are requested to call a meeting of the Supervisors of said County, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Thursday the Eleventh day of May 1899, at 11-O'clock A.M., for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may properly come before such meeting.

Rushly yours

W. Fitch, D. J. Morgan, W. H. Johnston, John Lebilcock, Elvof Hallgren, J. F. Gill, Philo P. Chase, Joseph Scoble, Patrick Lyons, Peter McGuire, B. J. Goodman, Herman Magnusen, T. H. Harris, Joseph E. Suess, E. J. Snick, D. W. Powell, Joseph Fay.

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Brissette, Chase, Comore, Dalton, Elliott, Evengj, Fay, Forsberg, Goodman, Gill, Guigoss, Harris, Hallgren, Holley, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kupper, Lyons, Morgan, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Roberts, Thomas, Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Rivers, Rosewall, Snick, Suess, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner and Wilson - Total 37.
Absent Supervisors Fitch and Read - Total 2

The names of David J. Morgan and T. H. Harris were placed in nomination for temporary chairman.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that an informal ballot be taken, and upon motion the Clerk appointed Supervisors Lebilcock and Comore Tellers, the result of the ballot was then announced as follows. David J. Morgan 21 votes, T. H. Harris 15 votes, Blank 1 vote - Total 37 votes. It was then moved supported and carried that the informal vote be not counted.

Temporary
Chairman

Special
Auditing
Committee

Upon motion the temporary Chairman appointed a special auditing committee composed of Supervisors Elliott, Fay, Evengj, Chase & W. H. Johnston.

*Permanent
Organization* It was then moved by Supervisor J. H. Harris, that the temporary organization be made permanent, which was carried unanimously. It was then moved, supported and carried that the rules governing the board for the preceding year, be adopted as the rules of this board.

The board then took a recess until 1.30 O'clock P.M.

At 1.30 O'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the chairman D. Y. Morgan, with the following Supervisors present. Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Goodman, Gee, Guigues, Harris, Hallgren, Holley, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Manni, Magnusen, Murray, Maria Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rweis, Rovennall, Smith, Suess, Scoble, Tuckercle, Wagner, Wilson, & Chauvin = total 37. Absent - Supervisor Flick and Powell - total 2.

*Petition
for
Improvement
of the
Old State Road
in
Chocolay
and
Sands
Twp.* The following petition was received and read, and referred to the following special committee. Ewing, Porrell, Read, Elliott and Johnston, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, Gentlemen:

The undersigned citizens of the Township of Chocolay, in said County, respectfully call attention to the fact that the highway known as the "Old State Road" running south from the City of Marquette through Sands and Chocolay Townships, having been laid out as a state road by the State of Michigan, is a proper subject of improvement by said board.

That the best interests of a large portion of the population of the County require that said highway be improved in a substantial and enduring manner, a result of which would be an increase in the assessable value of the property tributary to such road. That the Township of Chocolay has now a rock-crusher, but will not be able alone to improve said highway in the substantial manner the public interests require. We therefore respectfully petition your honorable body to appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to aid in the improvement of said highway.

Signed W. A. Ewing and sixteen others.

The above petition being endorsed by similar petitions from Marquette City, Sands, Skandia and West Branch Townships and very extensively signed, by the citizens of the several places.

The regular monthly reports from the Secretary of the Poor board, County game warden Dolf, and the Superintendents of the poor were read and ordered filed.

*Auditing by
four at
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The report of the special auditing committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote:
 Yea - Brissette, Chase, Commons, Dalton, Elliott, Evans, Fay, Forsburg, Goodman, Gil, Harris, Hallgren, Holley, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Keupper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Thomas Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rivers, Rosenthal, Smit, Suess, Scoble, Tuckercott, Wagner, Wilson as chairman - Total 37 = Nays None -

*Removal
of
Hospital
Contracts,
will
Miscellaneous
Papers.*

The special committee appointed by the last board of Supervisors to renew contracts with the several hospitals and doctors for the care of the indigent poor, report that they have succeeded in renewing all existing contracts for another year, at the same terms and with the same persons. whereupon the report was accepted and the committee discharged.

*Pauper
Funerals*

It was moved supported and carried, that the superintendents of the poor be requested to inform the board of supervisors of what action they took in reference to the advertising and awarding of contracts with the undertakers for the burial of paupers, recently referred to them.

*Soldiers
Burial,
Act 170, 1885
Act 33, 1887*

The subject matter in the request of Charles H. Towne Post # 8 G.A.R. which was petitioned at the last board meeting & filed; was brought before the board; and it was moved, supported and carried, that the request of the Post be granted. and it was further moved and supported that the chair appoint a committee of three - one from each city - to confer with John Scott, Post Commander of Chas H. Towne Post # 8 G.A.R. who is designated in said petition as the proper person to have charge of the matter herein petitioned, said motion prevailed and the chair appointed as such committee. Supervisors Powell, Suess, and Johnston.

No further business appearing before the board it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday June 28, 1899 at 11. O Clock A.M.

S. F. Margand Chairman

W. M. Ross

Clark

"June 28th, 1899"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County
met pursuant to adjournment, at the court house, in the
City of Marquette, on Wednesday the twenty-eighth day
of June, A.D. 1899, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, David J. Morgan.

Present being called the following Supervisors were found to be
Present, Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing,
Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Gill, Gingras, Harris, Hallgren,
Johnson, June, Kemp, Kaafala, Kepper, Lyons, Manui,
Magnuson, Murray, Powell, Hos Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rivers,
Rosenthal, Sink, Scoble, Leibrock, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman, total 34
Absent. Supervisors, Goodman, Holley, Johnston, Richard Roberts & Guess, total 5

A petition signed by the lot-owners of Ely Township, praying
for an appropriation of \$250.00 to aid the said township in re-
building a bridge over Coup River and on the main road
which is a part of the original State road. Surveyed and
laid out through said township, was read and upon
motion was referred to Supervisors Fitch, Chase, W. H. Johnston
to investigate the prayer of the petitioners and report same at
the next meeting of the board.

The following communication was received, read & Orders filed.
To the Hon. Board of Supervisors. Marquette Mich. June 8th 1899

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Co Board of Examiners
and Judge of Probate, at the office of the Judge of Probate, held this
day, Supt O. R. Hardy was elected to fill the office of
Examiner made vacant by the Resignation of A. E. Stearn.
Charles Kelsay, Chairman.
F. D. Davis, Secretary.

A. Communication from the Citizens of Marquette, City, relating
to the board publishing the official proceedings in the Mar-
quette Mining Journal, was read and upon motion laid upon the table.

The following communication was received from the Socy of the
Pom Board, in response to the request of this board, same was
read and upon motion filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors

of Marquette County, Michigan

Marquette Mich June 6th 1899

Contract
with
Underwriters
Continued

Gentlemen:

In reply to your inquiry of May 11th, relative to the cost of buying the poor of Marquette County. I have to inform you as follows: Contract was let in the first District at the following rates:

O. Hospital Cases	\$7.00	\$8.50	\$13.00
Rough Boxes	1.00.	1.50	2.00 according w. size.

In the second district, there were several bids at the same rate as in the first district, and the superintendent of the second district decided, the better way would be to divide the business up between the several undertakers of that district, their prices being all the same.

In the third District, the contract was let at the following rates: for O Hospital Cases \$7.50 - \$10.00 & \$12.25. These rates include rough boxes.

Very Respectfully

C D Blanchard

Dey of the Poor.

Adoption
of
Auditing
Report
from
Finance
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The report from the Auditing Committee, was received, read and adopted by the following Yea & Nay vote: Yea: Bruselle, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Gill, Gingras, Harris, Hallgren, Johnson, Jane, Kemp, Koopala, Kupper, Lyons, Mamuy, Magnuson, Murray, Powell, Thos Roberts, Read, Ryan, Ruus, Rosewall, Sink, Scoble, Tebelscock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing total 34 — Nays none.

Appropriation
for
Chocolay
State
Road
&
Committee
of
Deputation

The report of the special committee, upon the petition for the improvement of the State Road through Chocolay Lps. setting forth the advisability of the rebuilding of said road, and recommending an appropriation of \$1000.00 to be expended under the supervision of a committee of three; was read, and upon motion, said committee report concerning the said appropriation was adopted by the following Yea & Nay vote: Yea: Bruselle, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Gill, Gingras, Harris, Hallgren, Johnson, Jane, Kemp, Koopala, Kupper, Lyons, Mamuy, Magnuson, Murray, Powell, Thos Roberts, Read, Ryan, Ruus, Rosewall, Sink, Scoble, Tebelscock, Wagner, Wilson & Channing - total 34 - Nays none. And upon said adoption: the chair appointed the same Committee Viz: Supervisor (Powell, Ewing,) Read, Elliott and W. H. Johnston, to carry out the provisions of said report.

The Special Committee, upon the petition, relating to the Chas A. Towne Post # 8 G.A.R. matter, asked for and were

granted further time.

The monthly reports from the Secretary of the Poor Board, the several Superintendents of the Poor, and the County game wardens were read and upon motion ordered filed.

*Resolving
to force
Collection
of taxes
upon
Grace Turner
Property
Marg. City*

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Wagner.
(Resolved; That the committee on Finance and Taxation is hereby authorized in behalf of the board to employ counsel and incur such expense as they deem advisable in proceedings by the Auditor General for the collection of delinquent taxes in cases where the sales therefor are deemed to be void.) And upon motion of Supervisor Wagner, Mr Geo. P. Brown, City Attorney of Marquette City was given the privilege of speaking upon said resolution, setting forth the facts of the case and the desirability of the City in joining in with the County to force the collection of about \$2000.00 of delinquent taxes upon the old Grace Turner Property in Marquette City; After discussing same pro & con. The said resolution was unanimously adopted.

There being no further business before the board, it whereupon adjourned until Wednesday July 26th 1899 at the hour of 11 O'Clock A.M.

D. T. Wagner, Chairman.
W. A. Ross
Clerk.

"July 26th, 1899."

The Honorable board of Supervisors, of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on wednesday the twenty-sixth day of July, A. D. 1899, at 11 O'clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, David J. Morgan.

The Roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hollgren, Johnson, Johnson, June, Kemp, Kaapala, Knupper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Thos. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Ruus, Rosewall, Smith, Suess, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channin. Total 36
Absent Supervisors, Gingras, Holley & Read = Total 3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read & approved.

Forsyth
and
Twin
Road
to
Little
Lake

A Petition from the residents of Forsyth and Twin Townships requesting County aid for the construction of a highway through said townships to Goose Lake, thus affording the respective townships outlet to the 3 principle County Cities by way of the Goose Lake Road and the Sands township road, was read and upon motion was referred to a special committee, composed of Supervisors Powell, Suess & Harris. And said committee now instructed to report all necessary information relating to the advisability of the construction of said road.

A communication from W^m Harrington, requesting the appointment as Deputy Game Warden, was received, read & ordered filed.

appropriation
of
\$6000
for the
Care & E.
of
Fred
Peterson
debt Poor.

A communication from C. D. Blanchard, Supt of the Poor, requesting an appropriation of (\$60⁰⁰) for the necessary Hospital care and cost of operation upon one "Fred Peterson" was read and same upon motion was adopted by the following Yeas and Noy vote, Yeas. Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hollgren, Johnson, Johnson, June, Kemp, Kaapala, Knupper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Thos. Roberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Ruus, Rosewall, Smith, Suess, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channin = Total 36 = Nays none.

The following report was recivd and read.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors. Marquette County

Your Committee

To which was referred the matter of repair or renewal of the bridge in Ely Township. Known as the "How Mile Carp River bridge" report: that it has examined this bridge and finds that it needs repairing, but your committee is of the opinion that it will probably be economical to replace it by a structure of some permanent character, but as to what this shall be your committee is not prepared at this time to say. It therefore proposes that further time be granted; and suggests the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved: That the committee be authorized to exercise its judgment in the form of construction to be adopted; and is hereby authorized to incur such expense as may be necessary.

W. Fitch. Chairman.

It was then moved and supported that said report and resolution be adopted. which was carried by the following Yea & Nay Vote. Yea. Brissette, Chase, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsburg, Fitch, Goodman, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Mamny, Murray, Powell, HosRoberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Ruiz, Rosewall, Smit, Suess, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channing - total 33. Nay, Connors, Gill & Magnusen - total 3.

The following Report from special committee was read.

Mongutte - Mif July 26-1899.

To the Honorable. The Board of Supervisors of Mongutte Co. Mif.

Gentlemen:

Your committee to whom was referred the communication from John Scott, Post Commander of Chas Towne Post, Ishpeming, relative to the purchase of a cemetery lot, would respectfully recommend that the request be granted, and that fifty dollars (\$50.00) be paid out of the general fund to John Scott, for the purchase of said lot; and that a like amount be ordered paid to God Smith, a comrade of Albert Jackson Post, for the purchase of a lot for said post in the Mongutte Cemetery.

Respectfully Submitted.

Committee, D.W. Powell, Jos. E. Suess, W.H. Johnson.

Said report and recommendation was adopted by the following Yea & Nay Vote. Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsburg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Mamny, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, HosRoberts, Richard Roberts, Ryan, Ruiz, Rosewall, Smit, Suess, Scoble, Lebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Channing. Total 36 = Nays None.

The Monthly reports of the Secy of the Poor Board, The superintendents of the Poor, County Game Warden Dolf, and the Annual report of the Sheriff.

were received and read and upon motion same ordered filed.

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The Report of the Auditing Committee was received. Read and adopted by the following Yea & Nay Vote = Yea, Brusette, Chase, Cormor, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsburg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopolo, Kuepper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Thos Roberts, Ritor Roberts, Read, Ryan, Ruis, Rosewall, Smit, Suess, Scottle, Trelcock, Wagner, Wilson & Chamin = Total 36 Nays None.

Compromis
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y
Grace
J. Urnace
Gates

The Committee upon Finance and taxation made the following report.

Your Committee beg leave to report as follows on the proposition of a compromise of the taxes on what is known as the Grace Urnace property, to wit: That said owners pay the taxes for the years 1897 & 1898 in full. And that all delinquent State taxes be paid in full and that the delinquent County taxes prior to 1897 be compromised on a basis of not less than 75¢ on the dollar, including all interest and penalties. The committee further recommends that the Chair appoint a committee of three with full power to act, in conjunction with the City of Marquette in compromising said taxes or if the same cannot be compromised at said figure then the committee are authorized to incur on behalf of this County the proportion of expense in collecting said taxes that the State & County taxes bears to the City and school taxes.

W.H. Johnston. Chairman.

It was then moved, supported and carried, that said report be adopted, by the following Yea & Nay Vote = Yea, Brusette, Chase, Cormor, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsburg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopolo, Kuepper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Thos Roberts, Ritor Roberts, Ryan, Ruis, Rosewall, Smit, Suess, Scottle, Wagner, Wilson & Chamin = Total 35 Nays Scottle = Total 1. The Chair Urnace appointed as such committee. Supervisors W.H. Johnston, Walter Fitch, and Dr. Powell.

There being no further business before the board, it therupon adjourned until Wednesday September 6th = 1899. at the hour of 11 O'Clock A.M.

D. G. Torgard, Chamin
W.A. Rose
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"September 6th 1899"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the sixth day of September A. D. 1899, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, David J. Morgan.

At the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Brisette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fosberg, Goodman, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Mamuy, Magnusen, Goss Roberts, Rulad Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rivers, Suck, Suess, Scoble, Lebilecock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman total 31. Absent Supervisors, Titch, Gill, Gingras, Hallgren, Holley, Murray, Powell and Rosewall - total 8.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following communication was read & upon motion filed.

Marquette Miss

Aug 17-1899

Electn
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Dwight
B.
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Examiner.

At a meeting of the board of examiners and Judge of Probate, held at the City building this day. Dwight B. Waldo was elected to fill the office of examiner in place of Q.R. Hardy who failed to qualify.

Charles Kelsey Chairman.
F.D. Davis, Secy.
H.B. Krugman.

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The report of the Auditing Committee was received and read and same adopted by the following yeas & nays vote; Yeas Busselli, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fosberg, Goodman, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Mamuy, Magnusen, Goss Roberts, Rulad Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rivers, Suck, Suess, Scoble, Lebilecock, Wagner, Wilson, and Chairman, total 31 - Nays none.

report
of
Committee
on
Twin
Township
Supervision

The following report from the special committee having such matter under consideration was read and upon motion same was accepted and adopted.

Marquette Miss Sept 6/1899

To the Honorable Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County State of Michigan: Gentlemen:

Your Committee

Lurin
Township
Impassable

to whom was referred the communication from Lurin Township, asking an appropriation to aid said township in the construction of a public highway from Helena to Little Lake, a distance of about six(6) miles, would respectfully report, that having gone over the route of the proposed road, and viewed the situation; we believe there is great necessity for said road, but owing to the several swamps it will have to cross, it will necessarily be costly, and your committee would therefore recommend, that the said township be requested to employ at its own expense, a competent engineer to survey and make profile of said road together with the estimates of cost for building same, also, that the right of way be procured before any further action is taken in the matter by this board.

June July. D.W. Powell, J.H. Harris, Jr. E. Suss, Committee

The Monthly reports of the Secretary of the poor board, the superintendents of the poor, Game Warden Dolf and Gustafson, and County Clerk Ross were read and upon motion carried filed.

There being no further business before the board it whereupon adjourned without day.

D. T. Tracy, Chairman.
W. A. Ross
clerk.

"October 9th, 1899"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met in annual session, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Monday the ninth day of October A.D. 1899.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman David J. Morgan at 11 o'clock A.M.

Roll
Call

In the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Brusick, Chase, Corkins, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuiper, Lyons, Manning, Magnuson, Murray, Powell, Hos. Roberts, Richon Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rives, Rosencell, Smit, Suess, Scoble, Tebelcork, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman, Tolat 36.
Absent. Supervisors, Gingras, Hallgren & Holley - Tolat 3.

The following communication was read and upon motion Mr. Henry Hassen ger was given a seat.

October 7th 1899.

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County,
Gentlemen:

The Beorer, Mr. Henry Hassen ger is the senior alderman from the fifth ward in the City of Ishpeming. In the absence of Olaf Hallgren the supervisor from the fifth ward. Mr. Hassen ger is entitled to a seat on the board and perform all the duties of Supervisor. See Sec 1 Chapter 4 of the City Charter.

Very Respectfully yours.

P. J. Small
City Recorder



W. Anderson
Mayor.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Amount
of
State
tax

A communication from Mr. How Roscoe D. Dix, Auditor General, showing the various amounts apportioned as a State tax to the County of Marquette, under various acts of the State Legislature, and aggregating Sixty thousand, Six hundred and Eighty Six and ⁸⁴/₁₀₀ dollars, (\$60,686.84) was read and referred to the Committee on Finance and taxation.

The report of the County Treasurer relating to taxes to be charged back, was read and referred to the Committee

upon finance and taxation.

The following communications from the Marquette County Agricultural Society and the Soldiers Relief Commission were read and referred to the Committee upon Finance and taxation, to wit:

Marquette Mich Oct 3rd 1899

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen:

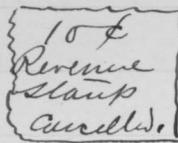
The Marquette County Agricultural Society are again promoting the agricultural interests of the County, by annually giving their County Fair. The Fair for the present year having been given on Sept 27-28 & 29 last. In order to aid us in our work we respectfully request your Honorable body to levy the $\frac{1}{10}$ of 1 mill tax in accordance with Act #177 of the Public Acts of 1891: and we the Chairman and Secretary of the said Society, do hereby certify that \$100.00 has been raised by said society for membership fees, for the promotion of the objects of said Society.

E.B. Palmer

President C.H. Call

Attest W. Ellsire

Secretary C.H. Call



Office Soldiers' Relief Commision

Marquette Mich. Oct 1. 1899,

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, Mich.
Gentlemen:

In compliance with the provisions of Sec 5 Act 253 Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements for the year ending September 30th 1899.

Balance on Hand Oct 1 st 1898	\$ 82.40
Amount of Appropriation	400. 00
Expended during year	\$ 418.77
Balance on Hand	63.63
	<u>\$ 482.40</u>
	<u>\$ 482.40</u>

We would respectfully recommend that your Honorable Board levy one tenth of one mill tax, as provided in said act 253, for the purpose of creating a Soldier's Relief Fund. Should your Honorable Body deem it unwise to make said levy, we sincerely hope you will appropriate not less than \$100.00 for such fund.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C.D. Blanchard.

Secy. Soldiers' Relief Commission

State
Supervisors
Board

A communication from the State Board of Supervisors and one from the Auditor General, relating to a meeting of the State organization of Supervisors, and the latter in reference to tax matters, was read and upon motion ordered filed.

Tax
Commission
County offices
fees

A communication from the Board of State Tax Commissioners relating to the payment of fees to the Register of Deeds and the County Treasurer was read and upon motion laid over to be taken up under the head of unfinished business.

Poor
Farm
sidewalk

A communication from R. R. French, street Commissioner of the City of Marquette, relating to the building of a sidewalk in front of the poor farm "Benton County property" was read and referred to the Committee upon Supplies and Expenditures.

McGredinick's
Communication

A communication from Mrs. McGredinick of Ishpeming 6th Ward in reference to the payment of \$5.00 for her son's burial, was upon motion referred to the Committee upon Superintendents of the poor after the matter had been discussed before the board by the Sept C. L. Spaulding and Supervisor T. F. Gill of 8th Ward Ishpeming.

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Applications from C. L. Spaulding, W. J. Whitford and Joseph Scoble for the position of Superintendent of the Poor for the 2nd district, was read and ordered filed.

County
offices
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on hand

The monthly report from the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following yeas & nays vote; Jas Brissette, Chase, Cormons, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fisher, Gordonau, Gill, Harris, Hossenger, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kimp, Koopala, Kuupper, Lyons, Martin, Moquesen, Muller, Powell, Thos Roberts, A. L. Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rivers, Rosewood, Suess, Sunk, Scoble, Lebelcock, Wagner, Wilson & Chamin - total 37 = Nays None.

Monthly
Reports

The Committee upon County offices accounts reported that they had examined all accounts, Vouchers &c. of the County Offices and found same correct, that the Treasurer's books shows a cash balance of Sixty Three Thousand Seven hundred Twenty two & $\frac{81}{100}$ dollars (\$63,722.81) said report was received, read and upon motion filed.

The Monthly reports from the Secretary of the poor Board and the Superintendents of the poor were read and upon motion same were ordered filed.

The following annual report from the Secy of the Poor Board was read, and upon motion referred to the Committee upon Finance and Taxation.

Marquette Mich Oct 1st 1899

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan
Greeting:

We have the honor to submit herewith our annual report for the year ending September 30th 1899.

Orders drawn on the County Treasurer

In favor of the Poor House	\$ 5236.59
" " " J.R. 1 st District	4494.85
" " " " 2 nd "	20210.57
" " " " 3 rd "	7549.73

By Cash Paid the County Treasurer of 1 st District = 1 st	\$ 30.00
By Balance	37460.74
	<u>\$ 37490.74</u>

Said report also shows the amount of supplies on hand. And recommends the levy of Thirty Five Thousand dollars (\$35000.00) for the maintenance of the poor for the year ending September 30th 1900. so much of said report as refers to the levy was upon motion referred to the Committee upon Finance & Taxation.

The Monthly reports of the County Game Wardens, The County Clerk and the Judge of Probate, the Annual report of the Inspectors of Jails and the following Annual report of the County Treasurer was read and ordered filed.

Treasurer's Report.

Receipts.

Cash on hand Oct 1 st 1898.	\$ 56,214.47
State & County Taxes 1898.	99,398.36
Primary School Fund	18,401.00
Delinquent taxes, Redemption, Interest &c.	39,888.59
Liquor taxes	55,228.09
Tax Sales May. 1899.	6,374.62
State of Michigan, Quarterly Acct.	3,487.39
Hauler's Licenses	525.00
Justice Fines	184.00
Entry Fees	104.00
Stenographer's Fees	42.00
Jury Fees	24.00
Circuit Court Costs	20.00
Abstracts	126.75
Poor Fund District No 1	30.00
Teachers Institute Fund	156.00
" " " Refunded	12.50

comes from \$ 280216.77

Receipts-

Amount Brought forward. \$280.216.77

Disbursements-

General Fund Warrants	\$38.740.75
Poor Fund	37.449.73
Juror Certificates	2.440.80
Taxes "	218.10
State of Michigan	37.788.83
Insane Asylums	4.075.14
Legion Taxes	51.342.40
Delinquent Taxes	24.324.23
Primary School Fund	18.072.00
Library Fund	617.71
Telephones	225.00
Soldiers Relief Fund.	428.77
Registrar of Deaths	84.50
Teachers Institute	144.55
Hunting Licenses to State	287.25
Insurance	204.20
Circuit Court Warrants,	50.00
Cash Balance on Hand Oct 1 st 1899	63.722.81
	\$280.216.77
	\$280.216.77

Cash belongs to following Funds.

General Fund	\$41.713.69
Townships & Cities	21.138.39
Estate of deceased persons	597.95
Soldiers Relief Fund	63.63
Library Fund	132.00
Teachers Institute	77.15
	\$63.722.81

Condensed Trial Balance	Dr.	Cr.
Cash.	\$ 63.722.81	
General Fund Warrants	38.740.75	
Juror Certificates	2.440.80	
Taxes "	218.10	
Poor Fund "Overdrawn"	9.449.06	
Delinquent County Taxes	57.887.05	
Cities, Townships & State.	12.899.10	
Collection Fees		1.538.14
Interest		1.227.61
General Fund		160.403.37
Soldiers Relief Fund		63.63
Teachers Institute Fund.		77.15
Library Fund.		132.00
Delinquent Taxes		180.08
Cities		597.95
Townships &c.		21.138.39
	\$185.358.27	\$185.358.27

Clerk's
Annual
Report

The annual report of the County Clerk, was received and read, and same ordered filed, the summary of which is as follows.

Orders Drawn

General Warrants,	\$37. 964.20
Jurors Certifications.	2. 409. 80
Witnesses	221. 30

Delinquent Taxes.

Total lot and interest	\$38. 612. 19
Collector fees	1. 271. 43
Total	<u>39. 883. 62</u>

Poor Report.

Amt Expended during fiscal year,	\$37. 490. 74
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Money's Paid County-Treasurer.

Oct 1 st /98 to Nov 30/99= both inclusive	\$1207.75
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The annual report of Joseph Tregounning, Mine Inspector, was read and same ordered filed.

The Board hereupon adjourned until 4 O'clock P.M.

"Afternoon Session"

The meeting was called to order at 4 O'clock P.M. by the Chairman. and the following supervisors were found to be present. Brissette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Gill, Harris, Hassenger, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Keupper, Lyons, Manning, Macqueen, Murray, Powell, Hos Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Ruhs, Rosewall, Smk, Suess, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Channing, Total 37 Absent-Supervisors Gingross & Holly-total 2.

The following report of the Committee upon Superintendents of the Poor was read and upon motion filed.

Your committee to whom was referred the matter of a difference of \$25⁰⁰ between accounts of Charles Sporley and Thomas Gill: would respectfully report, that having considered the same we find a mistake made, owing to it being charged to the wrong name. We find that Mr Gill's account is and that of Charles Sporley balance correctly.

Respectfully

D.W. Powell

Chairman.

Committee's
Report
on
Miscreant's
Communication

Motion
Thereon

It was then moved, supported and carried that the Clerk inform Mrs. Tiedemannick, that the charge to her of having received \$25⁰⁰ in payment of the funeral expenses of her deceased son, was a clerical error, her name having been used by mistake.

The following report from the Committee upon Finance and Taxation, was read, accepted and adopted.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.
Gentlemen:

Your Committee upon Finance and taxation having had under consideration the various taxes for 1897 and previous years charged back and rejected by the Auditor General, respectfully recommends that the same be charged up to the several townships and cities in which the lands lie, and that said taxes be assessed against the said lands where practicable and that the same be entered in a separate column on the respective assessment rolls, as "Rejected Taxes" as follows.

Marquette City.	\$ 63.40
Stephens "	37.44
Negaunee "	100 37.30
Chocolay Township	61.10
Turn " "	2.16
Forsyth "	5.98
Richmond "	6.24
Gilden "	39.16
Ely "	1.37
Humboldt "	1.36
Campion "	479.73
Michiganne	43.79
Republic "	27.23
Stephenn "	15.91
Negaunee "	43.15
Marquette "	1.43
Skandia "	18.18
West Branch "	18.35
Sands "	9.50
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	\$10915.78

W. H. Johnston
Chairman

It was then moved, supported and carried, the board proceed to the election of a superintendent of the poor for the

C. L.
Sponley,
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poor for the second district, the chair then appointed Supervisors Mark Elliott and Thomas H. Roberts as tellers. It was then moved, supported and carried that the board take an informal ballot; with the following result.

Total of 37 Votes cast, and given as follows,

C. L. Sponley received	24	Votes
W. J. Whitford	"	9 "
Joseph Scoble	"	3 "
Blank	"	1 "

37 "

It was then moved supported and carried that the informal vote be made formal, whereupon the chair duly declared Chas L. Sponley elected to the office of Supt of the Poor, for the 2nd district for 3 years.

School
Examiner
Dwight B.
Waldo
for 2 years

It was then moved, supported and carried that Dwight B. Waldo, be elected School examiner for 2 years by acclamation, same being done. and Dwight B. Waldo was duly declared elected to the office of School Examiner for 2 years.

Motion
charging
out

The following motion was then offered, and same adopted.

Motion:

That the amount of \$9449.06 standing to the debit of "Poor Fund Ac" on the Treasurer's ledger be charged out to the debit of "General Fund Ac"

W. H. Johnson. Chairman
Finance & Taxation Committee.

fees for
work of
Tax
Commission

The matter of compensation for the County Treasurer and Registrar of Deeds for furnishing the information desired by the State Tax Commission, as well as the matter pertaining to the County Game Wardens, was upon motion laid over until the next meeting.

The following report from the Committee upon Finance and Taxation, and from the Committee upon Equalization was read, accepted and adopted.

The Committee upon Equalization made the following report, which upon motion was adopted and referred to the Committee upon Finance and Taxation.

Whereas;

The Board of Supervisors has examined the assessment

rolls of the several townships and cities of the County, to ascertain whether the relative valuation of the real property in the respective townships and cities has been equally and uniformly estimated; and,

Whereas: In their judgment it has not been so uniformly and equally estimated. Therefore:

Resolved: That the valuation of the real property of said townships and cities be and the same is hereby equalized by adding to or deducting from the valuation of the taxable property of each township and City, such sums as in our judgment will produce relatively an equal and uniform valuation of the real property of the County, which sums so determined by us are entered in the following table in the fourth and fifth columns thereof, respectively opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of the taxable real and personal property of each township and City in said County, as determined by us be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the names of such townships or City.

City or Township	Real Estate as assessed	Personal Property as assessed	Total Valuation as assessed	Amount added	Amount deducted	Total Valuation as equalized
Marquette City	2,102,275	935,805	2,438,080		438.080	2,000.000
Ishpeming "	2,969,496	600.734	3,570,230		570.230	3,000.000
Negaunee "	1,684,456	252,675	1,937,131	162.869		1,500.000
Chocolay Twp.	54,865	500	55,365	635		56.000
Turin "	121,595	5,100	126,695	305		127.000
Forsyth "	207,670	3,000	210,670	17.330		228.000
Ridman "	124,214	2,500	126,714	286		127.000
Gilden "	214,508	8,450	222,958	7.042		230.000
Ely "	133,925		133,925	7.075		141.000
Humboldt "	98,990	1,320	100,310	3.690		104.000
Champion "	390,419	31,550	421,969	83.031		505.000
Mishigamme "	275,379	14,120	289,499		1.499	288.000
Republic "	382,735	123,800	506,535	78.465		585.000
Sapproning "	179,879		179,879	64.120		244.000
Negaunee "	69,570	3,500	73,070		70	73.000
Marquette "	131,737	1,100	132,837	163		133.000
Skandia "	82,050		82,050	7.950		90.000
West Branch "	35,825		35,825	175		36.000
Sands "	45,150		45,150		150	45.000
<u>Solots</u>	<u>8,704,738</u>	<u>1,384,154</u>	<u>10,088,892</u>	<u>433.137</u>	<u>1,010.029</u>	<u>9,582.000</u>

W. Fitch
Chairman

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:
Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Finance and Taxation,
having had the matter under consideration, would respectfully
recommend that these be raised by taxation the current year
as follows.

State Tax	\$ 60. 686. 84
County Tax "Gen Fund"	40. 000. 00
Poor Fund	30. 000. 00
Agricultural Society	951. 20
Soldiers Relief.	400. 00

Apportioned as follows

Cities and Townships	State Tax	County Tax.
Marquette City	\$ 12.760.06	15.002.35
Ishpeming "	19.140.09	22.503.53
Negaunee "	9.570.01	11.251.77
Chocolay Township	357.29	420.07
Turin	810.26	952.64
Forsyth	1.454.65	1.725.27
Richmond	810.26	952.64
Gilden	1.467.41	1.725.27
Ely	899.59	1.057.67
Humboldt	663.52	780.13
Champion	3.221.92	3.788.10
Michiganne	1.837.45	2.160.34
Republic	3.732.32	4.388.19
Ishpeming	1.556.73	1.830.29
Negaunee	465.75	547.59
Marquette	848.55	997.66
Skandia	574.20	675.11
West Branch	229.68	270.04
Sands	287.10	337.55
Total	\$ 60. 686. 84	\$ 71. 351. 20
		\$ 132. 038. 04

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W. H. Johnston
Chairman.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:
Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Finance and Taxation to whom was referred the matter of reporting on the several taxes to be raised in the Cities and Townships of said County for the current year; report as follows; and recommend that the amount of taxes set opposite the names of said Cities and Townships be authorized to be raised; as follows:

Marguette City:

State Tax,	12760.06
County Tax.	15002.35
School and One mill tax	30938.08
Library Tax	2438.08
Special Assessment Tax	725.55

Negaunee City:

State Tax	9,570.01
County Tax	11,251.77
City Tax fund. general purposes.	3,342.83
Streets and highways.	3,342.83
Fire Department.	2,005.70
Special Tax, for outstanding Indebtedness	2,674.76
Library Tax	250.00
School District No 1	20,000.00
One Mill Tax	1337.13
Sidewalk Repairs Tax	83.78

Stephenson City

State Tax	19,140.09
County Tax	22,503.53
Highway Tax	14,000.00
Sidewalk Tax	239.74
Fire Fund	5000.00
School District No 1.	46,000.00

Chocolay Township:

State Tax	357.29
County Tax	420.07
Township Contingent Tax	650.00
Highway Tax	276.00
Highway labor Tax	553.00
Special Highway "for tools & Machinery"	400.00
School Tax	2150.00
One Mill Tax	55.36

Turn Township:

State Tax	810.26
County Tax	952.64
Township Contingent Tax	500.00
Highway Tax Town 44-23 Av 44.24	348.67
Highway labor Tax " " " " "	697.35
School District No 1	600.00
Tax for erection of town Hall.	1000.00

Forsyth Township:

State Tax	1454.65
County Tax	1710.27

Township Contingent Tax	600.00
Highway Tax	1053.35
Bridge Tax	200.00
School District Single	1600.00

Richmond Township.

State Tax	810.26
County Tax	952.64
Township Contingent Tax	500.00
Highway Tax 47-26	200.00
" " 46-26	100.00
School District Tax.	2000.00

Gilden Township.

State Tax.	1467.41
County Tax.	1725.27
Township Contingent Tax	1000.00
Highway Tax	1000.00
School District No 1	7000.00

Ely Township

State Tax	899.59
County Tax	1057.67
Township Contingent Tax	600.00
Highway Tax	670.00
School District No 1	1700.00

Humboldt Township.

State Tax	663.52
County Tax	780.13
Township Contingent Tax	1000.00
Highway Tax	600.00
School District Tax	1200.00

Champion Township

State Tax	3221.92
County Tax	3788.10
School District No 1	6000.00

Muhgaine Township.

State Tax	1837.45
County Tax	2160.34
Township Contingent Tax	1000.00
School District Tax	4500.00

Republi Township.

State Tax	3732.32
County Tax	4388.19
Township Contingent Tax	1000.00
Highway Tax Town 47.30	250.00
" " 46.30	250.00
School District No 1	8500.00