

October, 14th, 1912.

Superintendent and Engineering	\$6500.00
Maintenance of Roads	5000.00
Roads South of Marquette	10000.00
Roads West of Ishpeming	20000.00
Contingent Fund	2000.00
Repair of other stretches of main county road other than portions to be rebuilt	<u>3500.00</u>
	\$47000.00

Yours respectfully,

W.H. Johnston

M.M. Duncan

J.E. Sherman.

Board of County Road Commissioners.

Marquette, Mich, Oct. 14th, 1912.

Hon. Supervisors,
Marquette, Mich.
Gentlemen:-

The good will farm in the past five years has taken care of about forty children from this county. For which the county would have been compelled to pay the State institution. We therefore feel that the county ought to do something for these unfortunate orphans. we are now caring for four from this county. We earnestly solicit your good will, and, any amount you feel the county can pay to this insitution for the care of and support of the homeless little ones.

Respectfully,

Mrs. J. McEachern.

Statement of rejected Taxes, compiled from the report of the Auditor General for the year ending June 30, 1912.

Name Township or City	Due State	Due County	Due Co. road	Total
Champion	20.60	19.14	.26	40.00
Chocelay	5.66	7.32	2.02	15.00
Ely	13.65	10.42	6.04	30.11
Fersyth	3.17	2.86	.66	6.69
Humboldt	6.88	1.16	.98	9.02
Ishpeming Township	5.94	11.31	3.27	20.52
Michigamme	4.67	2.26	.44	7.37
Marquette Township	1.11	2.11	.51	3.73
Negaunee "	6.82	4.02	.24	11.08
Powell	10.18	7.59	1.88	19.65
Richmond	11.83	3.82	1.17	16.82
Republic	49.69	21.86	.52	72.07
Sands	4.12	6.60	1.89	12.61
Skandia	1.60	.75	.21	2.56
Turin	.82	1.56	.38	2.76
Tilden	1.40	2.65		4.05
Wells	10.03	1.40	.80	12.23
West Branch	1.94	.47		2.41
Ishpeming City	5.32	10.13	2.44	17.89
Marquette "	30.76	17.47	13.80	62.03
Negaunee "	4.60	3.85	.97	9.42
	<u>\$200.79</u>	<u>138.75</u>	<u>38.48</u>	<u>\$378.02</u>

Marquette Mich

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Thomas Gribble County Treasurer.

Upper Peninsula Development Bureau of Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1922.

Hon. Board of Supervisors of Marquette County,
Marquette, Mich.

Gentlemen: The Upper Peninsula Development Bureau of Michigan respectfully solicits a renewal of your subscription of \$1000.00 for 1912 for the work of the Development Bureau in 1913.

For your information I am enclosing herewith a brief statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Bureau for the past year. Should you care to have us go into more detail regarding any of the items I should be very glad to supply the information. The contributions of other County Boards to the work included:

Bentonagon County	\$1000.00
Baraga County	700.00
Schoolcraft	300.00
Alger	500.00
Delta	11000.00
Iron	500.00
Houghton	1000.00
Menominee	1051.00
Chippewa	500.00
Dickinson	1000.00
Gegebic	500.00

From the reports which I receive from other Counties we expect all these subscriptions to be renewed for 1913.

Marquette County has received its full share of the benefits of the Bureau's work since its inception. It may be said that no new settlers can be credited directly to the Bureau. Of course it is not to be expected that direct results in the way of land sales are to be shown during the first few years of the life of an organization of this sort. Our first duty has been to exploit the resources of the Upper Peninsula and to offset throughout the country at large the fallacy that the Upper Peninsula is a land of snow and ice, not suitable for agriculture. We believe that we have succeeded in a large degree. Inquiries and letters from all over the country indicate that our advertising campaign is bearing fruit. The people of the country are beginning to realize that the agricultural possibilities of the Upper Peninsula have been practically unknown and untouched. Our first problem was to educate our own people and to show them what can be done and ought to be done in the Upper Peninsula. In this work we have certainly been successful.

The lack of evidence of new settlers during the past 18 months is very largely due to the lack of proper facilities and organization in the offices of the land owners for following up the work of the Bureau. No land Company to my knowledge has definite plans for meeting the inquiries of land seekers from outside of the State. The Bureau has been successful in stirring up interest among the agriculturalists of the Middle West, and we find the land owners are not ready to meet the work where the Bureau must necessarily leave off and to follow up inquiries with definite offers of land for the purpose for which it is sought. The Bureau expects to begin some development work along this line immediately. At the November meeting of the Executive Committee of the Bureau representatives of large and small land owners will be asked to be present. Our Manager, Colonel Mott, has definite plans for a land selling campaign which he will offer at this meeting and it is hoped that closer co-operation between the Bureau and its own subscribers will result in a more satisfactory handling of the work.

Marquette County has received several visits from Col. Mott, the Manager, and he has done excellent service in furnishing inspiration and help for our local organization

In the advertising which the Bureau has sent out Marquette County has received its full share of attention. In the forth coming booklet, to be issued by the St. Paul R.R. on the possibilities of the Upper Peninsula, a special article is to be devoted to Marquette County. Within the next six weeks the Editor of the Evening Wisconsin will visit Marquette Co. for the purpose of writing up the County as a summer resort country and as an objective point for automobile tourists. Our pride in our County

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Road system welcome investigation by the automobile owner. Marquette County was well represented in the exhibit of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau at the Detroit Fair, so we feel that we are holding our own with other Counties.

The efficiency of the Bureau has been greatly increased by the employment of Col. C.W. Mott as Manager. Col. Mott was for 17 years immigration agent for the Northern Pacific R.R. and no man in the country is better equipped for this work than he.

If you again favor us with a subscription of \$1000.00 we can assure you that through Col. Mott and his organization the money will be well spent.

Yours respectfully,

Alton T. Roberts,

Member Executive Committee for Marquette Co.

Marquette, Mich, October 8th, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich.

Gentlemen: We have the honor herewith, to submit our Annual Report of receipts and disbursements, also other matters of interest, pertaining to transactions of this Board during the year ending September 30, 1912.

Amount of appropriation	\$45,000.00
Cash paid County Treasurer First District	701.31
Paid County Treas. Blanchard Estate part of Hytenen fund	300.00
Paid County Treas. Sherkey fund	300.00
Over drawn on County Treasurer	<u>8,850.83</u>
	\$55,152.14
Disbursements.	
Orders drawn on Co. Treas. in favor of Peer House	\$10,451.18
" " " " " 1st District	5,667.58
" " " " " 2nd District	27,176.34
" " " " " 3rd District	7,992.71
Hilma Hytenen	430.00
Hazel Sherkey	300.00
Hospitals and Doctors bills First District	<u>3,134.33</u>
	\$55,152.14

Thirty-six hundred and nine Dollars (\$3609), of the Disbursements was for Hospitals & Doctors bills paid out of the Peer fund.

One hundred and five persons have been inmates of the County House, at different times during the year, and over Thirteen hundred and fifty persons have been aided outside the County House, and from the fact that we have to over draw on the County Treasurer for the year, Eighty-eight hundred and fifty Dollars and eighty-three cents (\$8850.83), we should suggest that you draw that amount from the general fund in order to balance the peer fund with the County Treasurer for the past year, and appropriate Fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000.00), for the current year.

We think with this amount, we will be able to take care of the indigent poor of the County, also the Hospital and Doctors bills, and therefore, would respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of Fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000.00) as a fund for the relief of the Poor of Marquette County for the current year.

We note the following supplies on hand at the County Farm (Estimated) Viz:

1,000 Cords of 16 inch wood, 7 tons Hay, 6 tons cornstalks, 3 tons oat-straw, 500 bus. Potatoes, 500 Heads Cabbage, 15 bus. Turnips, 25 Bus. beets, 75 bus. carrots, and 200 heads of Celery.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H.F. Handford,

Secy Peer Board.

Office Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 1st, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen: In compliance with the provisions of Sec. 5 of Act. 253 of the Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements during the year ending Sept. 30th, 1912.

Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1911	\$539.08
Appropriation	<u>1000.00</u>
	\$1539.08

Disbursements.

Orders drawn on County Treasurer Nos. 904 to 1007, both incl.	<u>1171.86</u>
Bal. on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 367.22

During the past year the demands on this fund for the relief of old veterans and the widows of veterans has been larger than for some years previous, which leaves a smaller balance compared with last year of \$539.08, with \$367.22 of this year. And we have reason to believe that the demand this year will be fully as large, if not larger, than last year. Every request for relief has been fully investigated and this money has been used as the law intended it should be.

Therefore, we feel it our duty to respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200.00) as a fund for the relief of the old veterans and their widows during the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Certland E. Moore,
Sec'y Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Ed. C. Anthony,
Chairman Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Morgan Heights Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

To the Chairman & members of the Sanitarium Committee.

Herewith hand you an itemized estimate of the estimated cost of running the sanitarium for the ensuing year.

Operating expenses account of patients.			
1. Total Salaries		\$4,000	
2 Provisions		2,500	
3 Coal		575	
4 Light & Power & Telephones		175	
5 Drugs & medical supplies		500	
6 Feed for stock		350	
7 10 per cent		<u>810</u>	
	Total	\$8,910	\$8,910
Extension to Plant & Ground.			
1. Furniture & furnishings		500	
2. Farm Labor		500	
3. Feed for horses		350	
4. 10 per cent		<u>135</u>	
	Total	\$1,485	<u>\$1,485</u> \$10,395

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	Brot.ford.	\$10,395
Maintenance.		
1. Maintenance & repairs		
building and grounds.	\$1,000	
2. 10 per cent	<u>100</u>	
Total	\$1,100	<u>1,100</u>
Total operating expenses.		\$11,495
Interest on Bonds	675	675
Appropriation for new cottage	3,000	<u>3,000</u>
Grand Total.		\$15,170
Less Fram Produce from Sanitarium gardens	\$500	
Estimated Collections from Patients paid to county	700	<u>1,200</u>
		\$13,970

W.H. Farrell.

The following communication was read and referred to the County Road Commission. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan. Gentlemen: At the request of the number of tax-payers of Turin township I respectfully petition this honorable body to urge the county road commission to build the road between Helena and McFarland.

The township has done considerable work on this line and they understand eventually that the county road will complete this, but we would like to urge upon them to place this in their budget for the year of 1913.

Respectfully,

John Fosterling.

The following communication was read and upon motion duly made, seconded and carried was referred to the Committee on Highways & Bridges.

October 12, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan. Gentlemen: The undersigned, supervisor of Turin township respectfully petition your honorable body for aid in erecting a bridge over Deer Creek, between sections 2 and 3, Town range 43 23 W. This is in order to make a passable road from Carlshend to McFarland. This road having never been opened up and the township has already cleared this of timber, and will see that a good road is completed. We ask no aid in the construction of this road which will put the township to a considerable expense, but we do think that this board should aid us in the construction of this bridge.

Yours respectfully,

John Fosterling.

The following communication was read and referred to the Committee on Salaries. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette county, Michigan. Gentlemen: The undersigned, your petitioner would respectfully ask for an increase of salary and respectfully suggests that the committee on salaries be duly instructed to confer with him relative to his salary and make report to your Honorable body. And your petitioner will ever pray & etc. Dated, Marquette, Mich., October 14, A.D. 1912.

Joseph H. Primeau.

The following application was read and Mr. H.F. Handford was unanimously elected to the office of the Superintendent of the Poor of the 1st District, for the ensuing three year.

Petitioners, Turin Twp.

Petitioner's salary by order of Board.

H.F. Handford appointed Super. Poor

Marquette, Michigan, Oct. 12, 1912.

To the Honorable Chairman & Board of Supervisors of Marquette Co.

Gentlemen: I hereby apply for the position of Superintendent of the Pool for the 1st District if elected I will discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability and for the best interest of the county.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Yours very truly,

H.F. Handford.

The following application was read and Thomas W. Clemo was unanimously elected to the office of School Examiner for the ensuing two years.

Sept. 25th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette county, Michigan.

Gentlemen: I wish, hereby, to apply for re-appointment to the office of School Examiner for the county of Marquette. I desire, also, to thank the Board for many favors accorded me.

Respectfully,

Thomas W. Clemo.

Moved, supported and carried that recess be taken until 2 o'clock this P.M.

Upon reconvening at 2:00 o'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the Chairman.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wssley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, and Powell-37.

Absent- Arnold-1.

The committee on equalization made the following report, which was adopted by the following yeas and nays vote: And preferred to the committee on Finance and Taxation.

Yeas- Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonksoky, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays- none.

Whereas, the board of supervisors have 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.

Whereas, in their judgement 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 or city such sums as in our judgement will produce relatively and 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 6th and 7th columns thereof, respectively, opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of taxable real and personal property of each township and city in said county, as determined and equalized by us, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the sum of such township or city.

A.J. Yungbluth.

Chairman Equalization Committee.

Table showing Real and Personal Property as Assessed and Total Valuation as Equalized.

Thomas W. Clemo
elected School Examiner

Equalization Report.

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Table showing Real and Personal Property as assessed and Total Valuation as Equalized.

City or Twp.	Real Estate assessed.	Personal property assessed.	Total as assessed	Amount added	Amount deducted	Total as equalized
Marquette City	7225250	1885125	9110375		2110375	7000000
Ishpeming "	12089180	1791196	13880376		2190376	11690000
Negaunee "	17295970	1172925	18468895		4468895	14000000
Champion Twp.	962450	118690	1081140		131140	950000
Chocolay "	142735	12625	155360	104640		260000
Ely "	688964	71022	759986	10014		770000
Forsyth "	2395405	518635	2914040		514040	2400000
Humboldt "	246813	38750	285563	214437		500000
Ishpeming "	474072	37950	512022		12022	500000
Michigamme "	384635	9400	394035	55965		450000
Marquette "	173160	26200	199360	100640		300000
Negaunee "	89390	0	89390	60610		150000
Republic "	1459490	247958	1707448		607448	1100000
Richmond "	322820	60259	383079	56921		440000
Sands "	85905	13160	99065	10935		110000
Skandia "	194120	11235	205355	44645		250000
Turin "	331535	3025	334560	195440		530000
Tilden "	2114060	46200	2160260		670260	1490000
W.Branch "	91165	0	91165	68835		160000
Wells "	231095	4715	235810	184190		420000
Powell "	667010	176100	843110		93110	750000
Total.	47665224.	6245170	53910394	1107272	1097666	44220000

The following reports from the committee on Finance and Taxation were received and are as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

Your committee on Finance and Taxation, having had the matter under consideration would respectfully recommend that there be raised by taxation the current year the following amount for the purpose herein next set forth.

State Tax		128682.10
County Tax		
	General Fund	80,000
	Poor fund	55,000
	Court House bonds	10,000
	Marquette Agricultural Society	2,500
	Soldiers relief fund	1,500
	Upper Peninsula Development bureau	<u>1,000</u>
		150,000
		150000.00
County Road Tax		<u>47000.00</u>
		325682.10

The same to be apportioned as follows.

	State Tax	County Tax	County Road Tax.
Marquette City	20370.30	23744.91	7440.07
Ishpeming City	34018.40	39654.00	12424.92
Negaunee City	40740.60	47489.82	14880.15
Champion Township	2764.58	3222.52	1009.73
Chocolay "	756.61	881.95	276.35
Ely "	2240.73	2611.93	818.41
Forsyth "	6984.10	8141.11	2550.88
Humboldt "	1455.02	1696.06	531.43
Ishpeming "	1455.02	1696.06	531.43
Michigamme "	1309.52	1526.46	478.29

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Marquette Township	873.01	1017.63	318.86
Negaunee "	436.51	508.82	159.43
Republic	3201.05	3731.33	1169.16
Richmond "	1280.42	1492.53	467.66
Sands "	320.10	373.13	116.92
Skandia "	727.51	848.03	265.71
Turin "	1542.32	1797.83	563.32
Tilden "	4335.96	5054.27	1583.67
West Branch "	465.60	542.73	170.06
Wells "	1222.21	1424.69	446.40
Powell "	2182.53	2544.19	797.15
Total	\$128682.10	\$150000.00	\$47000.00

Respectfully submitted,

G.R. Jackson,
Chairman.

Moved and supported that the report of the Finance and Taxation committee be adopted, and that the taxes therein mentioned be levied and apportioned according to said report.

The report was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas- Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J. Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stiekney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays- none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- Your committee on Finance and Taxation, having had under consideration the various taxes of 1910 and prior 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 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".

Statement of rejected taxes for the year ending June 30th, 1912 made by the Auditor General, and chargeable to cities and townships as follows:

Ishpeming City	17.89
Negaunee City	9.42
Marquette City	62.03
Champion Township	40.00
Chocolay "	15.00
Ely "	30.11
Forsyth "	6.69
Humboldt "	9.02
Ishpeming "	20.52
Michiganme "	7.37
Marquette "	3.73
Negaunee "	11.08
Powell "	19.65
Republic "	72.07
Richmond "	16.82
Sands "	12.61
Skandia "	2.56
Turin "	2.76
Tilden "	4.05
West Branch "	2.41
Wells "	12.23
Grand Total.	\$378.02

Respectfully submitted,

G.R. Jackson,
Chairman, Finance & Taxation Committee.

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Moved and supported that the report be adopted as read:

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stiekney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell.-37.

Nays- none.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nay vote:

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stiekney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays- none.

The following reports of the County Officers Accounts Committee were read and adopted.

Marquette, Mich., October, 14, 1912.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- Your committee on County Officers accounts beg to report that they have looked over the books of the several county officers viz: The County Clerk, the County Treasurer, Judge of Probate, Register of Deeds and Superintendents of Poor and find all such books to be apparently well kept and up to date.

The cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer on September 30th, 1912, as shown by his books is One hundred and one thousand, four hundred ninety nine dollars and forty one cents (\$101,499.41).

Your committee would recommend that the correctness of the details of the accounts of all County Officers be fully verified by having a complete audit made by an expert accountant as has been for several years past.

With your approval and consent, your committee will arrange to have such audit made to cover the calendar year ending December 31st, 1912.

Jos.C. Thomas,	John Fosterling,
H.S. Nightingale,	H. Thompson,
Samuel S. Mitchell,	Oscar Field
Gust Larson,	Wm. Corkill,
F.J. Johnson,	Chas.R. Swanson,
Thomas Clayton,	Solomon Myllymaki,
W.H. Trembath,	G.R. Jackson,
Alfred Collick,	J.F. Neidhart.
H.E. Perkins,	

Committee on County Officers Accounts.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 14th, 1912.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- In connection with the examination of the books of the County Officers by your Committee on County Officers Accounts, we find in the office of the County Clerk a number of the older records the binding of which is in a badly worn condition. These are permanent records and your Committee would recommend that the County Clerk be authorized to have them rebound at the expense of the County.

H.S. Thompson,
Chairman.

G.R. Jackson,
Alfred Collick,
Oscar Field,
H.E. Perkins,
J.C. Thomas,
Thomas Clayton,
John Fosterling.

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The following report of the Highways, Bridges, Public Buildings and Grounds, Com. respectfully report, that they have examined the jail and find the same in good repair as well as in good sanitary condition: also the court house and grounds, which we find well kept and in good repair.

The county house is also in good condition at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,

Nathaniel Rowe,
Samuel S. Mitchell,
A.F. Baker,
W.H. Trembath,
Alfred Collick,
F.J. Johnson,
John Stickney,
George Yonkosky,

The following reports of the Supplies and Expenditures Committee was read and adopted.

October, 11th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich.

Gentlemen: At a meeting of your Supplies and Expenditures Committee, bids for supplying the County with coal for the ensuing year were received from the following named companies: Consolidated Fuel & Lumber Co., Spear & Sons, Pickands Mather & Co.

The prices given by each of these companies were the same being \$7.75 for Court House and Jail and \$7.10 for Morgan Heights Sanitarium, F.O.B. Morgan Switch. As there was no difference in the bids from any of these companies your committee divided the contract $\frac{1}{3}$ to each company.

It was also suggested that considerable saving could be made by using coke and your committee instructed the janitor to give this a fair trial.

Your committee would also suggest, and ask permission to equip the windows in the court house that are loose with a suitable weather strip similar to those that were put in last year, as we have found that the windows are very satisfactory, causing a considerable saving in fuel.

We also ask permission to install two electric lights at the Jail, which are asked for by the Sheriff and are needed badly. All of which is respectfully submitted,

R.T. Smith.
Alfred Collick,
George Yonkosky,
Wm. Corkill,
Chas. Gustafson,
W. John Chapman,
John Stickney,
J.R. Hudson,
J.F. Neidhart.

The following report of the Special Committee appointed to attend the State Tax Conference was read and ordered filed.

Marquette, Mich. Oct. 9th, 1912.

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your committee appointed at last session of the Board to attend and represent this county at the State Tax Conference, held at the City of Detroit, Sept. 18 and 19, respectively report:

That the meeting was called to order on Wednesday, the 18th, at 10 A.M., by George Lord of Detroit and after an address of welcome by Mayor Thompson and responses to same, the meeting organized by electing a chairman and secretary and then settled down to business at once. There were two sessions on Wednesday and two on Thursday, at which very able speeches were made, by men who seemed to be well posted in all phases of taxation matters. The object of the conference was to afford an opportunity to those in attendance, representing different property interest throughout the country, to jointly consider and discuss the problems of taxation and existing assessment difficulties, and to promote co-operation in an effort to bring about a more equitable distribution of the tax burden. Following each address there was a general discussion on the subject of each speaker on all sides of the question of taxation. It was the sense of the conference that the State Tax Commission should

Supplies & Expenditures

*Report Committee appointed
attend State Tax Conference*

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should continue their work of bringing valuations in every county in the State up to actual cash value, and that those counties already up to cash value should not be equalized as such at the next state equalization unless all the counties at that time had been gone over and put upon the same basis. It was also thought that state supervision of assessments was a good plan to follow and the advalorem system of taxation was the best and proper plan to adopt, and could be carried out so as to secure just taxation to all kinds of property. The meeting was a very harmonious one and conducted in a spirit of fairness to all concerned, and was very edifying to those in attendance. A resolution was offered and passed by the conference to form a permanent organization of a State Tax Conference and a committee was appointed for that purpose, who now has it in hand to perfect such an organization, the purpose of which is to meet representatives from every county in the state at least once a year to talk over and discuss the various problems of taxation, out of which to gather and formulate the best ideas, and to recommend such measures to the legislature to be enacted into law as may be deemed wise and for the best interests of all classes of property, out of which there is no doubt much good will come and your committee recommends that Marquette County be represented at all of its sessions.

A.J. Yungbluth,

D.W. Powell,

F.A. Bell,

H.S. Thompson.

The report of the Committee in Charge of the Morgan Heights Tuberculosis Sanitarium was read, adopted and ordered filed.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 14th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your committee in charges of the Morgan Heights Tuberculosis Sanitarium respectively report:

First: We call your attention to the report of Mr. Farrell showing receipts and disbursements which includes all improvements etc.,

Also the report of Dr. Bottum, the physician in charge, from which you will notice there has been 6 incipient cases cured, 10 advanced cases have died, 4 after receiving considerable benefit have left of their own accord and returned to their own home expecting they would get well but usually proves fatal, besides exposing those of their own families and others, largely through ignorance of the right way of living to successfully combat this dread disease. In the erection of this institution Marquette County has undertaken a great work for the benefit of suffering humanity, and we must not sit idly by and watch the progress unconcerned, as the responsibilities and success of the institution lie, to a large extent, with the Board of Supervisors as well as to its management. We have the hearty support and best wishes of the tax payers of the county and they look to us for the best results obtainable, and your committee believes that a more aggressive and intelligent effort should be put forth in the line of educating the people as to the danger of pulmonary tuberculosis, and as to the means and manner of living now well known that ought to be adopted for its prevention, and we believe that our Superintendent of Public Schools should be instructed and requested to talk to the children on his visits to the different schools. Also to make it a part of his duty to enter into correspondence and obtain literature on the subject from the best institutions throughout the country as well as from professional men, and distribute them through all the schools both in cities and townships, and in this way enlist the help of all good citizens throughout the county in trying to prevent and stamp out the white plague.

And we further suggest the organization of anti-tuberculosis societies in this county with branches in the larger cities for the purposes of distributing literature and in other ways carry on the work of education along this line.

We recommend the appointment of a committee from this board to investigate the present plan of societies of this character which are now carrying on this work and to report at the next meeting of this board.

Respectfully submitted, Committee on Morgan Heights Sanitarium, by

D.W. Powell,

Chairman.

Morgan Heights Sanitarium Report

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The following reports of the County Officers were read in part and ordered filed.

Marquette, Mich. Oct. 14, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen: Herewith is submitted the annual report of your treasurer.

Respectfully,

Thomas Gribble,

County Treasurer.

Trial Balance taken from the ledger of the Treasurer of Marquette County, Michigan Sept. 30, 1912.

Account.	Dr.	Cr.
Champion Township		120.65
Chocolay "		472.90
Ely "		3.74
Forsyth "		797.51
Humboldt "		43.90
Ishpeming "		20.66
Ishpeming City		
Marquette Township		339.50
Marquette City	405.56	
Michiganme Township		10.27
Negaunee "		177.46
Negaunee City	416.67	
Powell Township		916.25
Republic "		1334.11
Richmond "		3.93
Sands "		239.76
Skandia "		237.76
Tilden "		37.76
Turin "		616.42
Wells "		384.00
West Branch "		127.08
Cash	101499.41	
General Fund		173415.75
State of Michigan	1585.36	
General Fund Warrants	89251.01	
Jurors' Certificates	3870.40	
Witness Certificates	808.75	
Soldiers' Relief Fund		451.02
Poor Fund	6824.85	
Primary School Fund		
Library Fund		576.00
Teachers' Institute Fund		338.00
County Road Tax		21175.41
Marquette County Agricultural Society		
Tax sales		
Inheritance Tax		
Estate of Charles Johnson, deceased)	
Estate of Anders Magnus Johnson, Deceased	(
Clara Johnson Fund)	
M. Hanson	)	616.97
Estate of August Cass, deceased)	
Chicago & North-western Railway Co.	(
Estate of Frederick Nelson, deceased)	
Estate of Harry Chapman, deceased	(
Mortgage Tax		2003.81
Rejected Taxes		256.19
Road Commission Condemnation		24.50
Sparrow Bounty	41.54	
Total	\$204703.55	\$204703.55

Thomas Gribble,
County Treasurer.

October, 14th, 1912.

Receipts.

Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1911		\$ 39314.34
Primary School Fund	119064.15	
Road Bounty from the State	1161.00	
Tonnage Tax	219.10	
Interest from 1st National Bank, Negaunee	523.13	
Liquor Tax	51981.63	
Road Commission Land Condemnation	24.50	
Tax sales	3787.57	
State and County Taxes for 1911	384582.89	
Library Fund fines from Justices	1489.50	
Settlements with the State	8504.35	
Hunters Licenses	2824.00	
Delinquent Taxes	30377.20	
Sanitarium.	976.21	
Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk	941.00	
Teachers Institute Fund	245.00	
Forest Reservation	422.48	
Poor Funds Sundries	562.31	
Poor Funds Johnson Fund	500.00	
Poor Funds Shorkey Fund	300.00	
Poor Funds Blanchard Fund	300.00	
General Fund Sundries	3652.15	
Inheritance Tax	8593.99	
From State for Animal bounties paid	1281.01	
Mortgage Tax	3115.00	\$625407.26
	Total	\$664721.60

Disbursements.

Soldiers Relief Fund	1151.64	
Forest Reservation	111.16	
Inheritance Tax to State	7775.56	
Mortgage Tax to State	1129.00	
Paid State to state Hunters' Licenses	2363.00	
General Fund Warrants	89271.01	
Settlements with the State	161125.44	
Poor Fund	54288.65	
Primary School Fund	119337.15	
Jurors Circuit Court	3525.60	
Witnesses Circuit Court	808.75	
Sparrow Bounty	41.84	
County Road Fund	41926.84	
Teachers Institute	77.40	
Townships tax settlements	22659.19	
Library Fund	2166.60	
Certificates of Births and Deaths	1206.25	
Circuit Court orders etc.	452.14	
Liquor Tax	53804.97	
	Total	\$ 563222.19
Cash on hand Sept. 30, 1912	101499.41	
		\$ 664721.60

October, 14th, 1912.

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK.

Expenses classified for the year ending August 31st, 1912.

Circuit Court.

Salary of Circuit Judge	1500.00
Salary Court Stenographer	917.36
Officers attending court	370.00
Officers fees summoning jurors	237.20
Meals for jurors	450.00
Stationery & Printing	33.15
Law books and supplies	97.75
Misc. officers fees (Nat. Proc. & C.C. expenses)	806.98
Witness fees Schedule B.	707.75
Jurors fees Schedule C.	3094.30
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Total.	\$ 8214.49

Justice Court.

Justice fees	1499.70
Misc. officers fees (dep Sheriff & Const.)	2181.96
Juror fees	42.70
Witness fees	176.46
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Total.	\$3900.82

County Officers, Law Dep't.

Salary Prosecuting Attorney	2500.00
Stationery & Printing, traveling expenses etc.,	758.90
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Total	\$ 3258.90

Judge of Probate Office.

Salary	2500.00
Salary Probate Clerk	710.00
Stationery & Printing & other	167.80
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Total	\$ 3377.80

Total Judiciary Expenses	<hr/> <hr/>
	\$18752.01

Legislative.

Supervisors services	2239.65
Publishing Proceedings and other	1201.38
Supervisors' mileage	1127.70
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	\$4568.73

County Clerk office.

Salary	2500.00
Salary Deputy	600.00
Salary Stenographer	300.00
Stationery & printing	596.85
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Total	\$ 3996.85

October, 14th, 1912.

Finance Dept. Co. Treasurer Off.

Salary	3400.00
Stationery & Printing	496.34
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$3896.34</u>

Public Records.

Register of Deeds and Abstract Office.

Salary	1200.00
Stationery & Printing & other	181.00
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$1381.00</u>

Miscellaneous County Officers.

Postage stamps	468.34
Express & Freight charge	120.56
Telegraph & telephone	411.93
<u>Total.</u>	<u>\$1000.83</u>

Court House.

Janitor	720.00
Light	352.54
Fuel	360.00
Repairs to buildings	74.27
Water	135.85
Supplies	1035.87
Miscellaneous	477.68
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$3156.21</u>

Total general government	<u><u>\$36751.97</u></u>
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Public Safety Sheriff's Department.

Salary	1600.00
Stationery & Printing	33.75
Miscellaneous Sheriffs fees	454.12
<u>Total</u>	<u>2087.87</u>

Jail Maintenance.

Salary under sheriff	720.00
Salary night watchmen	720.00
Supplies	439.68
Heat fuel	231.60
Salary Jail Physician	240.00
Light	365.89
Subsistence of prisoners	4885.80
Clothing for prisoners	8.98
Repairs and renewal to buildings	64.35
<u>Total.</u>	<u>\$7676.30</u>

Coroners Department.

Coroners fees	597.18
Jurors fees at inquest	404.25
Witness fees at inquest	136.27
Examination of dead	15.00
Stenographer, Interpreter & other	32.50
<u>Total.</u>	<u>\$1185.20</u>

Total Public Safety	<u><u>\$10949.37</u></u>
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Public Charges- Insane.

Examination of Insane	302.50
Conveying insane to insane asylum	412.93
All expenses preparatory to sentence	19.60
Total	<u>\$735.03</u>

Feeble Minded:

Conveying to asylum	<u>\$193.27</u>
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Contagious Diseases.

Typhoid Fever	\$178.00
Small Pox	263.00
Diphtheria	256.00
Miscellaneous	60.00
Tuberculosis	50.00
Salary County Physician	600.00
Medicines for County Physician	35.96
Total.	<u>\$1442.96</u>

Poor House.

Repairs and renewals to buildings	28.78
Nurse	455.00
Supplies, insurance & other	338.12
Total.	<u>\$821.90</u>

Miscellaneous.

Burial of paupers	501.25
Care of indigent poor	601.40
Meals R.R. & Other	120.00
Salaries Supt's of Poor	2800.00
Total.	<u>\$4022.65</u>

Superintendents of Poor.

Schedule "D".	
Poor House	\$10481.90
First District	5629.56
Second District	26936.85
Third District	7926.57
	<u>\$ 50474.88</u>
Total Public Charges	<u><u>\$57690.69</u></u>

Public Education.

Salary County Commissioner	1800.00
Stationery & Printing & other	254.40
Traveling expenses	131.21
Services county examiners	80.80
Truant officers fees	46.87
Total.	<u>\$ 2312.48</u>

Public Elections.

Printing ballots & other (primary)	<u>\$554.25</u>
Total.	<u>\$554.25</u>

Revenue, classified paid to the County Treasurer for which the County Clerk signed duplicate receipts for the year ending August 31st, 1912.

General Government.

Circuit Court.

Fines	\$ 688.00
Costs	135.00
Entry fees	244.00
Stenographers fees	27.00
Jury fees	27.00
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Total.	\$ 1124.00

Justice Court.

Marquette City	447.00
Ishpeming City	368.00
Negaunee City	394.00
Republic township	32.00
Michigamme township	3.00
Champion township	25.50
Forsyth township	131.00
Humboldt township	18.00
Wells township	10.00
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Total	\$1428.50

Public Charges.

Supts. of poor, 1st Dist.	562.31
Supts. of poor 2nd "	500.00
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Total.	\$1062.31

Public Education.

Institute Fees	163.50
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Total.	\$163.50

Public Protection of Game and Fish.

Res. deer licenses	2305.00
Non-Res. licenses	470.25
Bird Licenses	48.75
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Total.	\$2824.00

Taxation.

Tax receipts	27917.81
Tax redemptions	1211.99
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Total.	\$29129.80

Miscellaneous.

John G. Raisinen fines & costs	16.35
Doubleday Bros. & Co. over charge	7.55
Wm. H. Farrell, Acct Morgan Heights Sant.	937.21
Mary A. Blanchard Hyttanen fund	300.00
M. J. Kennedy, Hazel Shorkey fund	300.00
Wm. Gauthier fines in Justice court	40.00
Chas. Kangas, fine in Justice Court	33.15
Louis Ahola, fine in justice court	16.80
Edward Beaudin fines in justice court	20.00
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Total.	\$1707.06

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Public Protection of Game & Fish.

Bounties	
Wolf	\$1818.00
Wildcats	39.00
Lynx	90.00
Total.	\$1947.00

Game Warden Department.

Salaries Deputy Game Warden	\$600.00
Total	\$600.00

Total protection of Game & Fish, \$2547.00

Public Mine Inspection.

Salary Mine Inspector	2000.00
Mileage Traveling Expenses	313.40
Stationery & Printing	55.50
Total Mine Inspection	\$2368.90
Public Statistics	91.14

Highways & Bridges.

Bridge Committee (Livery)	63.00
Bridges	22481.60
Total	\$2544.60

Extraordinary Expenses.

New Court House Bonds account matured	\$10000.00
Interest & Commission	1416.00
Total	\$11416.00

Miscellaneous.

Special audit county officers accounts	\$207.40
Marquette Agr. Society tax levy	2500.00
Livery for assessor	5.00
Officers Ex. soldiers relief fund	40.00
Upper Peninsula Development association	1000.00
	\$ 3752.40

Tuberculosis Hospital.

Electric Light	169.04
Material	1022.57
Plumbing	5.68
Furnishings	363.81
Labor	682.70
Hospital Employees	3687.47
Professional services	65.65
Live stock	79.00
Farm Implements	189.60
Coal & Wood	447.29
Telephone, Telegraph, Express, Freight, Livery & Printing etc.,	342.26
Supplies	4877.38
Repairs	18.15
Interest & commission on Morgan Heights bond issue	725.00
Burial services	52.00
Total	\$ 12002.60

Total County Expenses

\$ 142979.40

October, 14th, 1912.

Ishpeming, Mich., October 9, 1912.

Honorab~~e~~ Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen: Herewith is the report of expenditures of the County Road Commission from October 1, 1911, to October 1, 1912. A more detailed report of expenditures will be rendered about December 31st, when the work for the year will have been completed.

The contract for the Witch Lake-Republic Road and also that on the Ishpeming West Road have been completed, but there is still due on the Contractor on the Witch Lake Road nearly \$2000.00, which has not been included in the expenditures of the past year. It is expected that the contracts for the Little Lake-Helena Road and the Skandia-Chatham Road will be completed this month.

Respectfully submitted,

W.H. Johnston,

Chairman.

Expenditures of County Road Commission October 1, 1911 to October, '12.

	Salaries	2305.00
Office and General Expense	Other expense	1162.32
	) Salaries	1887.18
Engineering	(Other Expenses	864.17
Equipment		110.00
Winter Work on Roads		239.08
Negaunee-Marquette (Maintenance)		1018.07
	) Onstruction	95.84
Humboldt (Maintenance)		555.58
	) Construction	251.14
Harvey-GreenGarden (Maintenance)		423.36
	) Construction	17523.71
Witche Lake-Republic	(Maintenance	7.00
	) Construction	4376.60
Ishpeming West	(Maintenance	291.30
	) Construction	5348.33
Skandia-Chatham	(Maintenance	67.93
	Construction	12019.19
Little Lake-Helena		<u>12019.19</u>
	Total Expenditures.	\$48545.80

The reports of the Doctor Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Sheriff, Mine Inspector, School Commissioner, Jail Inspectors, Game Warden and the Superintendents of the Poor were read in part and ordered filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your committee on finance and taxation, to whom was referred the matter of reporting on the several taxes to be raised in the several cities and townships of said county for the said current year report as follows, and recommended that the amount of taxes set opposite the names of said cities and townships be authorized to be raised as follows-

October, 14th, 1912.

Marquette City.

State Tax	20370.30
County Tax	23744.91
County Road Tax	7440.07
Library Tax	9110.38
Special assessments	2992.99
City Tax, general purposes	25075.00
School Tax	51000.00
One mill tax	9110.38
Fire and Water Tax	16125.00
Rejected tax	62.03
Total	<u>\$165,031.06</u>

Ishpeming City.

State Tax	34018.40
County Tax	39654.00
County Road Tax	12424.92
City Contingent Tax	19500.00
Highway Fund	35000.00
Library Tax	6500.00
Fire Fund Tax	7000.00
School Tax	65000.00
School Building Tax Ex. 2 mills	
One mill school tax	13880.38
Sewer Fund	11000.00
Rejected Tax	17.89
Cemetery fund tax	1000.00
Total.	<u>\$244,995.59</u>

Negaunee City.

State Tax	40740.60
County Tax	47489.82
County Road Tax	14880.15
City Tax, general fund	12500.00
Street and Highway tax	41873.02
Fire fund tax	11000.00
One mill tax	18468.89
School tax	45000.00
Library Tax	1000.00
Rejected Tax	9.42
Special Tax	11000.00
Total	<u>\$243,961.90</u>

Champion Township.

State Tax	2764.53
County Tax	3222.52
County Road Tax	1009.73
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Highway improvement tax	750.00
Road repair tax	750.00
School tax	6000.00
One mill tax	1081.14
Rejected tax	440.00
Total.	<u>\$16,617.97</u>

October, 14th, 1912.

Chocolay Township.

State tax	756.61
County tax	881.95
County road tax	276.35
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Road repair tax	803.20
School tax	2000.00
One mill tax	155.36
Rejected tax	15.00
Total.	<u>\$5,888.47</u>

Ely Township.

State Tax	2240.73
County Tax	2611.93
County road tax	818.41
Township contingent tax	1250.00
Highway improvement tax	1000.00
Road repair tax	1000.00
School tax	3200.00
One mill tax	759.99
Rejected tax	30.11
School building tax	800.00
Total.	<u>\$13,711.17</u>

Forsyth Township.

State tax	6984.10
County tax	8141.11
County road tax	2550.88
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	4000.00
Road repair tax	1500.00
School tax	22475.00
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	2914.04
Rejected tax	6.69
School building tax	2000.00
Total.	<u>\$53,071.82</u>

Humboldt Township

State tax	1455.02
County Tax	1696.06
County Road Tax	531.43
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Road repair tax	500.00
Highway improvement tax	500.00
School tax	4475.00
Bridge tax	600.00
Fire fund tax	
One mill tax	285.56
Rejected tax	9.02
School building tax	1500.00
Total	<u>\$12,552.09</u>

October, 14th, 1912.

Ishpeming Township.

State Tax	1455.02
County tax	1696.06
County road tax	531.43
Township contingent tax	1400.00
Highway improvement tax	1500.00
Road repair tax	1200.00
School tax	6552.48
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	512.02
Rejected tax	20.52
School building tax	1535.65
Library tax	<u>100.00</u>
Total	\$17,003.18

Michigamme Township.

State Tax	1309.52
County Tax	1526.86
County Road tax	478.29
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	1970.17
Road repair tax	1970.17
School tax	6000.00
One mill tax	394.03
Rejected tax	<u>7.37</u>
Total	\$15,656.01

Marquette Township.

State tax	873.01
County tax	1017.63
County road tax	318.86
Township contingent tax	400.00
Highway improvement tax	600.00
Road repair tax	600.00
School tax	150.00
One mill tax	199.36
Rejected tax	<u>3.73</u>
Total	\$4,162.59

Negaunee Township.

State tax	436.51
County tax	508.82
County road tax	159.43
Township Contingent tax	600.00
Highway improvement tax	300.00
Road repair tax	300.00
School tax	1900.00
Bridge tax	150.00
One mill tax	89.39
Rejected tax	11.08
Highway special tax	<u>500.00</u>
Total.	\$4,955.23

October, 14th, 1912.

Republic Township.

State Tax	3201.05
County tax	3731.33
County road tax	1169.16
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	2000.00
Road repair tax	1000.00
School tax	13500.00
Water bond tax	1900.00
Fire fund tax	
One mill tax	1707.45
Rejected tax	72.07
Total.	<u>\$30,274.06</u>

Richmond Township.

State tax	1280.42
County tax	1492.53
County road tax	467.66
Township contingent tax	900.00
Highway improvement tax	800.00
Road repair tax	900.00
School tax	6625.00
Bridge tax	800.00
One mill tax	383.08
Rejected tax	16.82
Highway special tax	771.26
School building tax	1500.00
Total.	<u>\$15,936.77</u>

Sands Township.

State tax	320.10
County tax	373.13
County road tax	116.92
Township contingent tax	700.00
Highway improvement tax	495.32
Road repair tax	495.32
School tax	850.00
One mill tax	99.06
Rejected tax	12.61
Total	<u>\$3,462.46</u>

Skandia Township.

State tax	727.51
County tax	848.03
County Road tax	265.71
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Highway improvement tax	720.00
Road repair tax	720.00
School tax	1200.00
Bridge tax	300.00
Rejected tax	2.56
One mill tax	205.35
Total	<u>\$5,989.16</u>

October, 14th, 1912.

Turin Township.

State tax	1542.32
County Tax	1797.83
County road tax	563.32
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	1495.52
Road repair tax	1495.52
School tax	2700.00
Bridge tax	669.12
One mill tax	334.56
Rejected tax	2.76
Bond tax	22600.00
Total.	<u>\$15,200.95</u>

Tilden Township.

State tax	4335.96
County tax	5054.27
County road tax	1583.67
Township contingent tax	1400.00
Highway improvement tax	1000.00
Road repair tax	2000.00
School tax	7500.00
One mill tax	2160.26
Rejected tax	4.05
School building tax	1000.00
Total.	<u>\$26,038.21</u>

West Branch Township.

State tax	465.60
County tax	542.73
County road tax	170.06
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Highway improvement tax	448.14
Road repair tax	448.14
One mill tax	91.16
Rejected tax	2.41
Total	<u>\$ 3,168.24</u>

Wells Township.

State tax	1222.21
County tax	1424.69
County road tax	446.40
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	1179.05
Road repair tax	1179.05
School tax	4000.00
One mill tax	235.81
Rejected tax	12.23
School building tax	2000.00
Bond tax	1250.00
Total	<u>\$14,949.44</u>

October, 14th, 1912.

Powell Township.

State tax	2182.53
County tax	2544.19
County road tax	797.15
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	2500.00
Road repair tax	1500.00
School tax	3000.00
One mill tax	843.11
Rejected tax	19.65
School building tax	1500.00
Bond tax	2000.00
Total.	<u>\$18886.63</u>

The following resolution was read and adopted.

Whereas it appears there is not provision of the statute authorizing the County Road Commission to do snow-plowing. Therefore. Resolved that in the sense of this Board that snow-plowing be left to the various Township and City Highway Commissioners as heretofore.

F.H. Vandenoorn.

It was moved by Supervisor Keese that the chair appoint a committee of three to fix the salaries for the County Officers for the years 1913 and 1914. Said motion was seconded and carried and the chair appointed Supervisors Keese, Smith and Perkins as such committee.

Moved supported and carried that a recess be taken until 5:00 o'clock.

Upon reconvening at 5:00 o'clock the board was called to order by the chairman.

The special committee on County Officers Salaries made the following report, which was adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenoorn, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays: none.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 15, 1912.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- Your committee appointed to inquire into and make recommendations relative to the salaries of the several county officers, would recommend that the same be placed as follows for the ensuing two years.

Circuit Judge	1,500.00
Prosecuting Attorney	2,500.00
County Clerk	2,500.00
County Treasurer	3,400.00
County Sheriff	1,600.00
Mine Inspector	2,000.00
County School Commissioner	1,800.00
County Poor Commissioner, First District	950.00
County Poor Commissioner, Second District	1,000.00

Salary Committee

October, 14th, 1912.

County Poor Commissioner, Third District	850.00
Abstract Clerk	1200.00
Probate Clerk	720.00
Deputy County Clerk	600.00
Samuel Bennett	720.00
James Jamerson	720.00
John Berg	720.00
Stenographer	420.00

F.E. Keese,
 R.T. Smith,
 H.E. Perkins.

Committee.

The request of the Good Will Farm for an appropriation was referred back to the Board by the Finance & Taxation, and on motion duly made the board instructed the clerk to ascertain what was being done along this line by other counties in the upper peninsula and report to this board at the next regular meeting.

In conformity with the suggestion of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee the chair appointed the following supervisors: Mitchell, Nightingale, and Matthews, a committee to investigate and formulate a plan for a Tuberculosis Society to aid the Board in educating people regarding the Sanitarium and the fighting of this disease.

On motion of Supervisor Thompson, Frank A. Bell of Negaunee and E.G. Carney of Ishpeming and Joseph Fay of Marquette were duly elected as the Board of County Canvassers for the ensuing two years.

In accordance with the provisions of Act 99 of the Public Acts of 1909 the Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids from the several banks of the County to act as depository of county funds for the ensuing two years.

No further business to come before the meeting the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 4th day of December A.D. 1912 at 11:15 o'clock A.M.

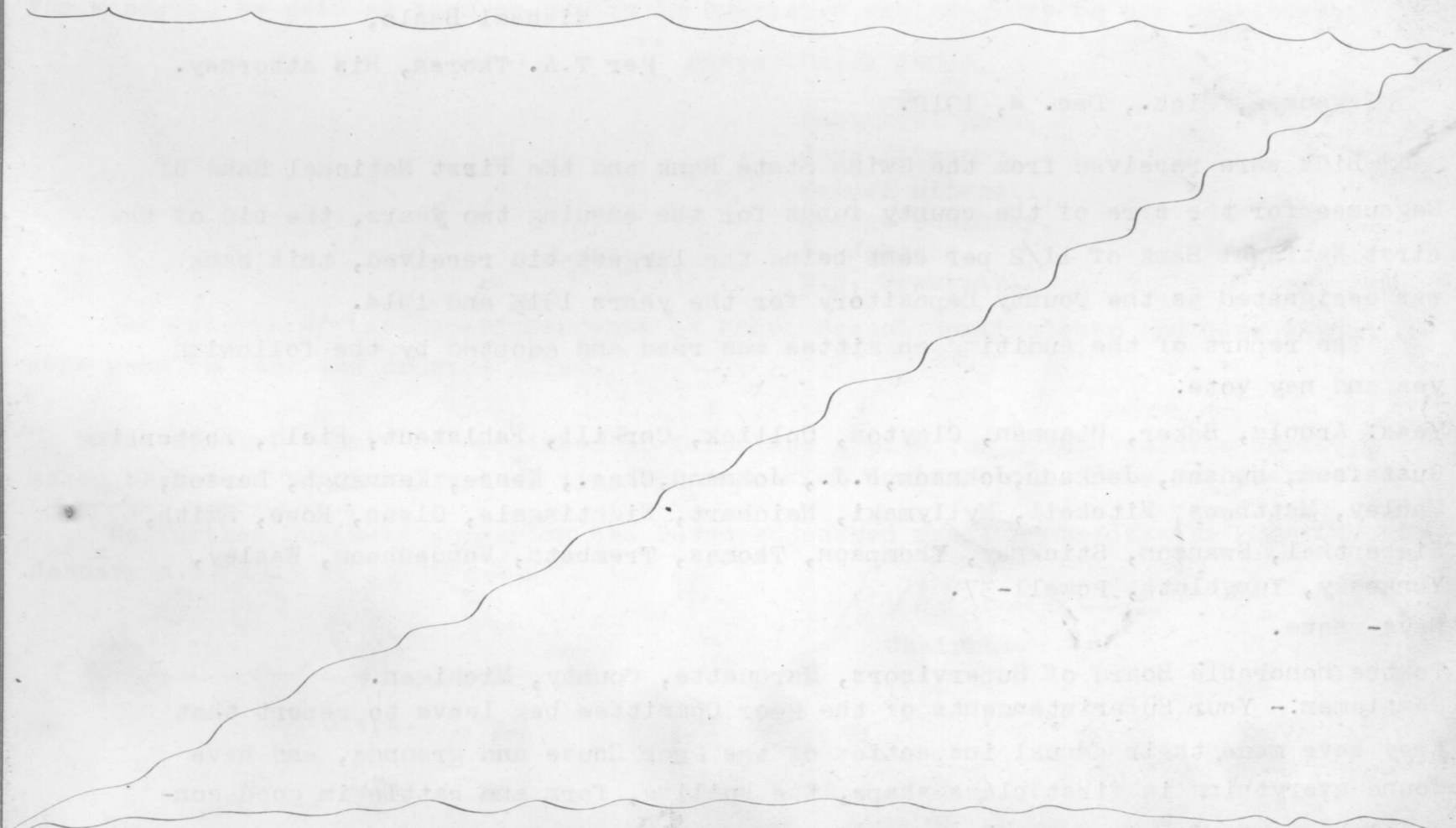
A. N. Powell

Chairman.

James J. ...
 Clerk.

County Canvassers elected.

Bids county funds.



December 4th, 1912.

December, 4th, 1912.

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 Wednesday the 4th day of December A.D. 1912.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W. Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.

Absent- Perkins-1.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following communication was read and upon motion duly seconded the request was granted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-36.

Nays: Thomas-1.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned represents that he was surety on a bond of one Phillip Garboline conditioned that the said Garboline appear at the Circuit Court of said County of Marquette for trial at the February, 1910, term thereof: that said Garboline defaulted and the undersigned was obliged to pay the sum of \$73.40 that later said Garboline was apprehended and served out his sentence. The undersigned would ask that inasmuch as defendant aforesaid served out his jail sentence that the sum of \$73.40, paid out by the undersigned as aforesaid be remitted.

Hoping this may receive your favorable consideration, I am,

Respectfully yours,

Michael Baslo,

Per T.A. Thoren, His attorney.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 4, 1912.

Bids were received from the Gwinn State Bank and the First National Bank of Negaunee for the care of the county funds for the ensuing two years, the bid of the First National Bank of 1 1/2 per cent being the largest bid received, this bank was designated as the County Depository for the years 1913 and 1914.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, Powell-37.

Nays- none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette, County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your Superintendents of the Poor Committee beg leave to report that they have made their annual inspection of the Poor House and grounds, and have found everything in first class shape, the building, farm and cattle in good condition and everything satisfactory to your Committee. There is a large amount of

County bids.

Inspection Poor House

farm products on hand such as cabbage, turnips, potatoes, parsnips and carrots.

Your committee recommend the purchase of an Electric Bread Mixer, and at a previous meeting instructed the Chairman to go from Chicago to Joliet, Ill., to investigate the manufacture and operation of the Champion Machine, this has been done and we find the machine to be one of the most useful articles in a house of this kind, and can be purchased for three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350.00) including motor that can be used for other purposes. The chairman received a discount of ten per cent on this machine on account of its being for the County House.

Your committee heartily endorse and recommend the purchase of this machine for the Poor Farms.

John Fosterling,
Solomon Myllymaki,
W. John Chapman,
Wm. Manley,
A.F. Baker,
F.H. Vandenboom,
R. Matthews,
Nathaniel Rowe.

The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J. Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, Powell-37.
Nays- none.

The Highways and Bridges Committee inspected and accepted the new bridges over Little Dead River and Boyce's Creek and they found them constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1912.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.
Gentlemen:- Your committee on Highways and Bridges respectfully report on the petitions from taxpayers of Turin township for aid to build a bridge across Deer Creek, between sections 2 and 3, T, 43. R 23 W. Your committee would recommend that the county appropriate the sum of \$500.00 out of the fund that is now, or may be, in the Treasury. The money to be paid as soon as bridge is completed satisfactory to the Committee.

Respectfully yours,

Nathaniel Rowe,
John Stickney,
Samuel Mitchell,
George Yonkosky,
F. Johnson,
W.H. Trembath.

The reports of the Superintendents of Poor, School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The special committee appointed to formulate a plan for a Tuberculosis Society asked that they be given further time before making their report. Same was granted.

Bonds approved.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 22nd day of January A.D. 1913 at 11:15 A.M.

Franklin Jensen
Clerk.

A. N. Powell
Chairman.

Highway & Bridges Report.

January, 22nd, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 22nd day of January A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W. Powell.

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

Present: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Corkill, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Thomas, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-33.

Absent: Collick, Fahlstedt, Jackson, Perkins, Siebenthal.

The Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Marquette Co. Telephone was read notifying the board that this company had sold their plant to the Michigan State Telephone Co., and requesting that they make their contract with the Michigan State Telephone Co., as soon as convenient in order that their new book which is to be issued March 1st, 1913 can be complete. Upon motion duly seconded and carried the communication was referred to the committee on Supplies and Expenditures.

A communication from Rosecommon County Board of Supervisors asking that this board pass a resolution favoring the construction of a State Highway on the Prime Meridian extending from the southern boundary of the State to the Straits of Mackinac was referred to the committee of Legislation.

A communication from Board of Supervisors of Saginaw County requesting this Board to pass a resolution asking the Governor to take up the matter and recommend to the Legislature the passage of a general act for the construction of an institution of the nature of a House of Correction for the reception, confinement and employment of misdemeanor prisoners from all the Counties of this State, was read and referred to the Legislative Committee.

A communication from the State Association of Supervisors of Michigan was read stating the date of their next annual meeting and asking that this board send delegates to this meeting. Upon motion duly seconded and carried same was laid on the table.

An announcement from the Secretary of the Michigan State Tax Association giving the date of their conference January, 28th and 29th, 1913 to be held at Lansing Michigan and requesting that delegates from this county be appointed to attend was read and upon motion of Supervisor Keese, Frank A. Bell of Negaunee, Michigan was appointed such delegate with the expenses to be paid by this county.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Corkill, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Thomas, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-33.

Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendent of the Poor the County School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed

The following resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Corkill, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney,

Michigan State Tax Association

January, 22nd, 1913.

Thomas, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, and Powell-33.
Nays- none.

See license money

BE IT RESOLVED, That the sum of Four Hundred Thirty Seven and fifty cents (\$437.50) which is the county's share of moneys obtained from the sale of resident deer hunters' licenses for the Season of 1912, be used toward paying the salary of the Game Warden for the year 1913.

The following recommendation was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote:
Yeas: Arnold, Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Corkill, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Thomas, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-33.
Nays- none.

Appropriation Good Will Farm

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Michigan.
Gentlemen:- In accordance with your instructions I have asked the County Clerks in all the Counties in the Upper Peninsula regarding donations to the Good Will Farm, I have received replies from thirteen out of the fourteen counties. Houghton County is the only one that helps support this institution, giving them Fifty dollars a month. From the tone of the letters received from the other counties it is very evident that they have never been asked for aid. I have taken particular pains to investigate this institution and have received nothing but the very highest praise for its work. In the last five years they have had forty children from this county and I would recommend that this board appropriate the sum of One hundred dollars to this insitution.

Respectfully submitted,
Frank G. Jenks,
County Clerk.

Anti-Tuberculosis Society

Supervisor Mitchell chairman of the special committee on Anti-Tuberculosis Society asked for further time in which to make a full report of his committee. But in order to expediate matters he recommended that the Board subscribe for 500 bulletins covering this subject for distribution throughout this county. These are published monthly and that the cost of \$10.00, six thousand of these could be had for distribution. The recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Supervisor Vandenboom asked that a committee be appointed by the chairman of this board to investigate the advisability of Electric Lights for the Negaunee Marquette Highway. The request was granted and supervisors Vandenboom, Neidhart and Rowe were named as such committee.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 26th day of February A.D. 1913 at 11:00 A.M.

Frank G. Jenks
Clerk.

D. N. Powell
Chairman.

February, 26th, 1913.

February, 26th, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 26th day of February, A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman D.W. Powell.

The roll being called it appeared there was not a quorum present the board therefore adjourned until 1:30 this p.m. Upon reconvening at 1:30 the board was called to order by the chairman and the roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-36.

Absent: Arnold, Siebenthal.-2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Good Will Farm was read and ordered filed.

The following petition was read and upon motion duly seconded was referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Michigamme, Mich., Feb. 15, 1913.

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

Gentleman:-

Your petitioners would respectfully ask your Honorable Body to appropriate out of the moneys now in the County Treasury, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars to assist the Township of Michigamme in building a bridge across the Peshekeme river upon lots three (3) and four (4) in the center of Section twenty-five (25), Township forty-eight (48) N., of Range thirty (30) W., where the abandoned line of the Iron Range & Huron Bay Railroad crosses said Peshekeme river.

E.G. Muck, J.M. Henton, F.W. Majhannu, Mat Krier, F.L. Brown, Jr., E.M. Stensrud, John A. Johnson, Henry Johnson, G.J. Murray, Peter Christenson, Isaac A. Allen, Martin Casey, G.J. Schunnlanon, Edward Byrne, Isaiah Sicotte, M.J. Tuado, C.P. Pdmigi, W.J. Wilson.

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

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell-36.

Nays: none.

The County Officers' Accounts committee submitted the report of the County Auditor, which was accepted and ordered filed.

The following report of the Supplies and expenditures committee was received and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote:

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, Smith and Powell-36.

Nays: none.

February, 1913.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Supplies and Expenditures have taken up the matter of telephones

*Petition
Bridge across Peshekeme
River*

Supplies & Expenditures

February, 26th, 1913.

which was submitted to them at the last meeting for consideration. They have had several propositions submitted to them, and the one we recommend, and which we think is best and most satisfactory for the County and County offices, is as follows:

Two party line: one phone for County Clerk and one for County Treasurer.

Two party line: one phone for Register of Deeds and one for Probate Judge.

Two party line: one phone for Sheriff's office and one phone for Jail.

Two party line: one phone for Poor Commission and one for Court Room.

The matter was also discussed of providing telephones for the County School Commissioner, two Coroners, Mine Inspector, Turnkey and Janitor. Your committee does not think it advisable for the County to pay for any telephones outside of the County building, with the exception of Morgan Heights, which has been taken care of by the Sanitarium Committee.

Below is statement showing Yearly cost of telephones as per above arrangement:

County Clerk and Treasurer (2 party line)	\$60.00
Register of Deeds and Probate Judge (2 party line)	60.00
Sheriff's office and Jail (2 party line)	60.00
Poor Commission and Court Room (2 party line)	60.00
Total.	<u>\$240.00</u>

The cost for telephone service last year, for both County and Bell telephones was \$486.00. This included phones for Coroner Prin, Mine Inspector, Stearns and Morgan Heights, and arrangement as outlined above and recommended for the county offices, will show a saving of \$246.00 (not including Morgan Heights) over cost of Telephone service for last year.

Respectfully submitted,
Committee.

R.T. Smith,
Alfred Collick,
Chas. Gustafson,
John Stickney,
W. John Chapman,
Wm. Corkill,
J. F. Neidhart,
J. R. Hudson,
Rasmus Olson.

The following reports of the Legislative Committee were read and adopted.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

We recommend that the communication from the Board of Supervisors of Roscommon County relative to the proposed State Highway along the Principal Meridian of Michigan, be received and placed on file.

W.A. Siebenthal,
F.E. Keese,
V.R. Fahlstedt,
H. Thompson,
F.H. Vandenboom.

Committee on Legislation.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Relative to the communication from the Board of Supervisors of Menominee County regarding the proposed new Drain Law, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:-

"Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, Michigan, that the Bill for revision of the drain laws of this State, as prepared by Mr. A.L. Sawyer at the instance of the Board of Supervisors of Menominee County, be and is hereby approved: and we hereby request the Senator and Representative from this District to use their influence and cast their votes in favor of the enactment of said Bill into a law at the present session of the State Legislature.

W.A. Siebenthal,
F.E. Keese,
V.R. Fahlstedt,
H.S. Thompson,
F.H. Vandenboom.
Committee on Legislation.

Telephones.

February, 26th, 1913.

We suggest that a copy of this resolution be sent to the County Clerk of Menominee County.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:-

We, the undersigned committee on Legislation, recommend that the Marquette County Board adopt the following resolution.

Whereas the County of Marquette has gone to a large expense in the construction and maintenance of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium for the cure and relief of persons affected with tuberculosis, we hereby request that the members of the State Legislature from this district, Messrs. D.T. Morgan and Chas. W. Richardson, Representatives and C.T. Winegar, Senator, introduce and use all honorable means to secure the enactment of a bill appropriating \$5,000.00 for the Morgan Heights Sanitarium, from the general fund of the State.

Further that a copy of the resolution and bill be sent to each of the above named members of the State Legislature.

- 1. W.A. Siebenthal.
- 2. F.E. Keese,
- 3. V.R. Fahlstedt.
- 4. H.S. Thompson.
- 5. F.H. Vandenboom.

Committee.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

In the matter of the communication from the Board of Supervisors of Saginaw County, relative to the establishment of a State institution for the confinement and employment of persons convicted and sentenced for misdemeanors, we recommend that the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County adopt a like resolution as requested in the communication of the Saginaw County Board.

- W.A. Siebenthal.
- F.E. Keese,
- V.R. Fahlstedt.
- H.S. Thompson.
- F.H. Vandenboom.

Committee on Legislation.

In accordance with the report of the Legislative Committee the following resolution was passed.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, hereby recommends to the governor of the State of Michigan, and through him to the next legislature, the construction of a State institution for the confinement and employment of prisoners of the various counties of this State who are convicted and sentenced for misdemeanors. Said construction to supply the need demanded by the closing of said Detroit House of Correction to the counties of the State.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the legislature duly consider and pass such an act as the governor, after investigation, shall recommend and as to them shall seem proper, to the end that the state may provide for the care and employment of said prisoners, the said institution to be erected at such place as to the state authorities shall seem best.

Supervisor Vandenboom asked for more time in which to make his report regarding the proposed lighting of the Marquette-Negaunee Highway.

The report of the Superintendents of the Poor, County School Commissioner and the Inspectors of Jail were read in part and ordered filed.

It was moved by Supervisor Yungbluth that the Superintendents of the Poor be requested to furnish each supervisor with a list of the indigent poor in their ward, said list to be forwarded on the first day of each month. This motion was duly seconded and adopted.

*Resolution
Morgan Heights Sanitarium*

employment prisoners

February, 26th, 1913.

Supervisor Thompson suggested that the chair appoint a committee of three to confer with the Superintendents of the poor, regarding a more publicity method of bookkeeping. This suggestion was adopted and the chair appointed Supervisors Thompson, Neidhart and Chas. Johnson as such committee.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 26th day of March A.D. 1913 at 11:00 o'clock.

Frank Jenks

Clerk.

D. W. Powell

Chairman.

March, 26th, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 26th day of March, A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W. Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Baker, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Siebenthal, Swanson, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth, Clayton and Powell, Chairman-37.

Absent- Arnold-1.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following petition was read and upon motion duly seconded, referred to the County Road commission.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, and State of Michigan.

The undersigned resident taxpayers of Wells Township, aforesaid County and State, respectfully petitions, and prays the aforesaid board of supervisors grant to your petitioners, a county road to be constructed as follows, to-wit:

Starting from Watson in the aforesaid county and state and running in a southeasterly direction on the north side parallel with Escanaba and Lake Superior R.R. to the Delta County line, to connect with the aforesaid county road. This being the only outlet for the inhabitants of the township of Wells.

Therefore we the undersigned tax payers pray that your petitions be granted the said county road.

Henry Arnold, Oskar Kelloniemi, Andrew Huhts, Walter Hamolinen, H.J. Jaeger, M. Nelson, Wm. Abramson, N. Vias, Stephen Charlebois, John Connor, Fred Christenson, Gust Polcen, Jim Runner, Charles Kemppoinen, John Bruce, Walker, Mannen, Grant Luce, Math Becker, Peter Kelloniemi, Victor Larson, John Bolin, Charley Yohman, Chas. A. Olson, Joseph Etie, John Klemke, Oscar Peterson.

The following report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Baker, Chapman, Clayton, Collick, Corkill, Fahlstedt, Field, Fosterling, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Keese, Kennaugh, Larson, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Rowe, Smith, Swanson, Stickney, Siebenthal, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wasley, Yonkosky, Yungbluth and Powell.-37.
Nays- none.

Supervisors Thompson and Vandenboom, chairman of special committees asked that they be given further time in which to make their report. This was granted by the board.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, County commissioner of schools and county game warden, were read in part and ordered filed.
The following resolution was read and adopted.

Be it resolved, That we desire to express to Mr. Powell, our Chairman, our appreciation of the manner in which he has conducted his duties as Chairman of this board during the past year.

*Resolutions
Wells, Mich.*

*W. J. Charles
Chairman*

April, 17th, 1913.

He always has been fair, and impartial to the members, and we individually and as a body unite in offering him our hearty thanks for his services to the county.

Whereupon the board adjourned sine die.

Frank G. Jenks
Clerk.

D. W. Powell
Chairman.

April, 17th, 1913.

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 17th day of April A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the clerk Frank G. Jenks, and the following call was read.

Marquette, Mich., April, 8th, 1913.

Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan
Dear Sir:- You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said county, to convene at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Thursday the 17th day of April, 1913, at 11:00 A.M. for the organization and transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting.

A.J. Yungbluth, F.E. Keese, R.T. Smith, D.W. Powell, James R. Hudson, R. Matthews, Chas. Johnson, W. John Chapman, Samuel S. Mitvhell, H.G. Nightingale, W.S. Ewing, Chas. R. Swanson, C.J. Johnson, Henry Arnold, H.S. Thompson, H.F. Vandeenboom, Jas. C. Thomas, .

Supervisor Yungbluth placed the name of Daniel W. Powell in nomination for chairman for the board for the ensuing year.

Said motion duly seconded was unanimously carried.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.
Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-36.

Absent: Jackson, Keupper-2.

Supervisor Ewing moved that the rules governing the last Board be adopted as the rules to govern this board for the ensuing year. This was supported and carried.

The reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting was, upon motion, dispensed with.

Moved, supported and carried that the old auditing committee be appointed a committee to audit the bills and that a recess be taken until 12 o'clock.

Upon reconvening at 12 o'clock and the roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-36.
Absent: Jackson, Keupper-2.

Call.

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A communication from Dr.A.W.Deadman, regarding tuberculosis in cattle was referred to the legislative committee.

The following petition from Richmond Township was referred to the Highways and Bridges committee.

Palmer, Marquette Co. Michigan. April, 4th, 1913.

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

Gentlemen:- The undersigned, being citizens and Tax Payers of Richmond Township, hereby petition, your Honorable body for an appropriation for the extension of the wagon road leading south from Palmer, Michigan through Township forty-six (46) North of Range Twenty-six(26), Marquette county, Michigan to connect with the road leading to Swanzey, in Forsyth Township in said county and state for the further purpose of widening the present road leading south from Palmer to the point of intersection with said Swanzey road. A number of us being farmers and tax payers living between the two villages mentioned, if we could have this road connected it would furnish us with an additional market for our products, and your petitioners pray for an appropriation sufficient to cover the cost of said improvement.

Mat Lasfilon, Jakob Helander, Andrew Filippi, Taako Kuyanyau, Gust Wahlgren, John Larson, Sali Lynger, Israel Moilanen, Andry Nori, Matt Holmi, Oscar Ranta, John Holmi, Wm.

H.Ronnback, Matt Lahti, David Lalide, August Tenhunen, Gustaa Syryamaki, Henry Teltamaa, Henry Anderson, Waktari Anderson, Gusti Annala, John Widberg, Kusti Lindfors, Nestor Haejir, Antt Yeaski, John Johnson, Nestor Lindfors, Sam Isaacson, John Salo, Antti Kuetutahti, Alfred Jarvela, Israel Pyykkonen, John E. Pyykkonen, John Kangas, Matt Larson, Joseph Hurskainen.

The following communications were read.

Champion, Mich., April 16, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette, Michigan.

I wish to hereby present my name as a candidate for the office of County Physician.

Respectfully yours,

Paul VanRiper, M.D.

Negaunee, Mich., April, 16, 1913.

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

Gentlemen:-

I hereby present my application for the office of County Physician : If elected will endeavor to perform the duties of said office to your entire satisfaction.

Very truly yours,

Nelson J. Robbins, M.D.

April, 16, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors , Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- I herewith present my name to the board as an applicant for the position of County Physician. I believe that as Marquette and Ishpeming have had the appointment the past several years, it is now due to Negaunee and that I am competent to fill the position. I beg that my application receive consideration.

Respectfully yours,

P.S. Wilson, M.D.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried an informal vote was taken with the following result, Robbins-28. VanRiper-5. Wilson-2. Smith-1.

It was moved that informal ballot be declared formal. Same was supported and carried. N.J. Robbins, was declared elected Co. Physciaian for the ensuing year. The following report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nay vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom,

Petition Richmond Twp.

N.J. Robbins declared County Physician

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Yungbluth, Zerbel, and Powell-36.

Nays- none.

The following report of special committee was adopted, and the committee was instructed to ascertain the cost of securing an expert to aid our county superintendents of Poor in systemizing their work, and to report back to this board at their next regular meeting.

Marquette, Mich., March, 26th, 1913.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- Your special committee, appointed to investigate the administration of and accounting for poor relief funds in Marquette County, with a view of effecting improvements and economies, if possible, beg to submit the following report.

We have obtained from the office of the Secretary of State at Lansing such published statistics as they had giving compilation of reports made by the various Counties of the State for the six fiscal years previous to June 30, 1911. (Nothing more recent being yet available.)

We find the figures as shown in such reports from the different Counties so widely at variance and misleading as a basis of comparison.

The figures given as to the total number of cases receiving aid in each County should however, be correct and we have compiled for the information of the Board the following statistics, covering the mining Counties of the Upper Peninsula.

County	Pop. 1910.	Tot. No. Rec. Aid Av. for 6 yrs.	No. Rec. Aid per 1,000.
Marquette	46,739	1,282	27.4
Iron	15,164	21	1.4
Dickinson	20,524	221	10.7
Gogebic	21,333	485	22.7
Houghton	88,098	1,689	19.2
Ontonagon	8,650	209	24.2

The figures for Iron County are so low as to indicate that some other system of handling poor relief must be in use there, and the showing for that County should be eliminated in making comparisons. The conclusion to be drawn from these figures is that the giving of temporary relief is more general in Marquette County than in the others.

The Chairman of this Committee visited Iron Mountain and saw Mr. W.A. Prater, Secretary of the Board of Superintendents of Poor of Dickinson County to obtain information as to the changes which he has introduced in their system since he was placed in full charge of the Poor relief work for the entire County in March, 1912.

Their present plan of organization entirely relieves the Superintendents of the Poor of the active work of administering poor relief, their duties now being limited to that of an auditing committee or board which meets monthly to audit bills and draw the necessary orders on the County Treasurer for their payment. The salaries of the Superintendents have been reduced from \$500.00 each to \$100.00 each per annum.

Mr. Prater has been able to bring about about a marked saving in that County, which has been accomplished principally through a personal effort on his part to assist dependents to become self supporting and by enforcing the provisions of the existing laws relative to the support of poor persons by their relatives.

Such changes as he has introduced in their accounting system, while desirable and valuable from an accounting standpoint are not in themselves features of actual economy.

Figures which were obtained from him show that he has from March 1912 to February 1913 inclusive made a reduction in expenditures of \$5,924.82, an average of

Special Committee
Poor Relief

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\$493.73 per month as compared with the same month for a year previous.

In February 1912 they were giving relief to 134 families with a total of 386 dependents, which has been reduced at the present time to 76 families with a total of 201 dependents.

One of the foremost citizens of Iron Mountain a man who is in close touch with public matters, makes the statement that as far as he has been able to learn, Mr. Prater has accomplished these results without causing hardship to the worthy and needy poor.

Mr. Prater came to Dickinson County originally on a contract to remain six months, thinking that would be sufficient time to complete the work of establishing their poor relief work on the new basis, but at the expiration of that time he found that the work was not sufficiently advanced so that he felt that he could leave it. He therefore remained and continued the work.

He states that he only contemplates staying there until such time as the work has reached a point where it can be turned over to some other man to continue.

He has had long experience and has given special attention to poor relief matters and it is doubtful if another man, lacking such experience, would be able to show results as he has done.

The situation in Dickinson County is such that this plan of putting the entire work in charge of one man works out admirably for them. Nine tenths or more of their temporary relief cases being concentrated in the cities of Iron Mountain and Norway.

Whether or not it would be practicable or desirable for Marquette County which has considerably over twice the area and population and whose poor relief work is scattered over the entire County is an open question.

The census of 1910 shows a population in Marquette County of 46,739. Estimating the increase at the rate shown between the census of 1904 and that of 1910 for two additional years would give us a population in 1912 of 48,981.

Using this estimate on population, we show the following comparison relative to population and total poor expenditures in the County between the years 1905 and 1912

For fiscal year ending September 30, 1905. Population, 40,010: Total of all expenditures for poor purposes, \$44,112.70: Rate per unit of population \$1,102.

For fiscal year ending September 30, 1912. Population, 48,981: Total of all expenditures for poor purposes, \$54,157.12: Rate per unit of population \$1,105.

Increase in population in seven years, 8,971.

Increase in total of all expenditures for poor purposes in seven years, \$10,044.42.

Increase in rate per unit of population in seven years, \$0.003.

This comparison shows that the ratio of cost to population is for all practical purposes the same as it was several years ago.

Your committee is of the opinion that the results that Mr. Prater has accomplished in Dickinson County can to a considerable extent be brought about in Marquette County but the work will have to be taken up on lines similar to those he has adopted, and will necessitate a much closer investigation of the merits of each individual case by our Superintendents of Poor than has in many instances been heretofore.

We also believe, that inasmuch as Mr. Prater is not permanently to remain in Dickinson County that it would well repay the County for the necessary expenditure, to secure if possible, his services for a reasonable length of time to assist our Superintendents of Poor and direct the reorganization of poor relief business in this County. The Committee makes the following recommendation, viz:

1st. That all persons now receiving County aid and all future applicants be required to make a written statement, under oath, which shall give full particulars as to applicants and also show all property which they may own and what relatives they may have who are liable under the laws of the State for their support.

2nd. That the Superintendents of Poor be instructed to enforce the provisions of Chapter 110 of the Compiled Laws of 1897 relative to the support of poor persons by their relatives.

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3rd. That card indexes of all persons receiving temporary relief be made and kept up for each of the three poor districts of the County, to be kept either in the office of the Secretary of the Board at Marquette or in the offices of the Superintendents for each district as may be decided is most desirable. Such cards should be in a form that will give full and complete information as to each beneficiary.

4th. That all orders issued by the Superintendents of Poor for supplies of any kind shall be given in writing and no order shall cover more than one month. Such orders should be attached to the bills rendered to the Superintendents of Poor by the person or firm who furnishes the supplies.

Respectively submitted,

H.S. Thompson

J.H. Neidhart,

Chas. Johnson,

Special Committee.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, county school commissioner and county game warden, were read in part and ordered filed.

On motion duly seconded the chairman was instructed to appoint a committee of three to renew contracts with the several hospitals. The chair appointed W.S. Ewing, John Stickney and Henry Thompson as such committee.

J.E. Sherman was elected to succeed himself as County Road Commissioner for the ensuing three years.

F.McD.Harkin was elected to succeed himself as Jail Physcician for the ensuing year.

Supervisor Vandeenboom asked that new members be appointed on his committee in regard to the lighting on the highway between here and Negaunee. The chair appointed Supervisors Chas.Johnson of Negaunee and Ralph MacKenzie of Negaunee Township to act with Supervisor Vandeenboom in this matter.

Not further business appearing, the board adjourned until Wednesday the 21st day of May, A.D. 1913, at 11:15 o'clock A.M.

A.D. Powell

Chairman.

Francis James
Clerk.

*Hospital
Contracts*

May, 21st, 1913.

May, 21st, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 21st day of April A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Mathews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, Chairman-38.

Absent: none.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following communication was read and upon motion of Supervisor Siebenthal duly seconded and carried the special committee was instructed to secure the services of Mr.Prater.

Mr.H.S.Thompson,

Beacon, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 21st received and in reply would say that it will be impossible for me to give up the work in this county entirely before November next, as I have promised to stay until the fiscal year is finished.

There are some matters pending that may make my stay here somewhat permanent. My agreement with the Board here holds me to a three month notice of resignation so that would prevent me accepting an immediate position in your county.

As I understand the situation there the board do not wish or, under the present condition can they, adopt the system we have here entirely. You wish to retain your Board of Superintendents of Poor, but wish through them to adopt as much of our system as can be used with them. If I am right in this, I think I can make you a proposition that will suit you and also will not cost as much as it would for me to give up my position here and take up the work there, before you are in a position to make full use of the system.

My proposition is this to come to Marquette County for two or three days each week, as I can arrange and work each district with the Superintendent of that district. Make a thorough investigation of each of the permanent charges, and make a card index in each district with all the information I can gather of each case. Work out a duplicate system whereby all the cards will also be in the office of the Secretary at the Court House, and be kept revised to date. To use in this investigation the affidavit, and contract, in regard to property qualifications, and also with regard to residence and relatives.

In this way each Superintendent would go over his entire district with me, and this would help to understand my method and also shorten the time it would be necessary for me to take in the work as in the main he would know where the parties lived and we would cover the ground quicker.

I am not at all unwilling to work with any or all the officials connected with this matter and as far as possible assist you to get matters on the best possible business basis. This plan would involve extra expense for me as I will have to pay my stenographer for her extra work and it will be necessary for me to board at the hotels probably as the work will be scattered all over the country. There will be my railroad fare back and forth from Iron Mountain. I mention all these things so that you can understand my position and situation. I am sure I can so arrange it with our board

Services W.A. Prater secured.

May 21st, 1913.

to take up the extra work with you so that it will not stand in the way.

My proposition then would be this, if the above statement of the situation is correct and meets with the approval of your board. I will take up the work as outlined giving two or three days per week as the situation warrants for \$7.50 per day and my expenses. I would suggest that if this is accepted that the Superintendent of the district where I work furnish the livery, or auto, as may seem best, so that we can cover the ground in the quickest possible time. I will guarantee that I will put in as good time as I can get out of your Superintendent.

If there are suggestions or changes that you would make to this plan or if it would not meet with the approval of your Board and could be changed without materially affecting ^{pro-} my position please let me know.

Yours respectfully,

W.A. Prater.

Communications were read from the Secretary of the Probate Judges Association and from the Secretary of the association of County Clerks giving the dates of their respective conventions for 1913. Same was ordered filed.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-38.

Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

An application from Harvey F. Zerbel, for a position as motor cycle policeman was referred to the County Sheriff.

Upon motion duly made and seconded the chair named Supervisor Zerbel to fill the vacancy on the special committee appointed to assist the Superintendents of the Poor.

Supervisor Johnson moved that the old Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee be named as the committee for the ensuing year. Said motion was seconded and carried.

Supervisor Yungbluth moved that Drs. F. McD. Harkin, N. J. Robbins and W. S. Picotte be named as an advisory board to act with the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee. This was unanimously adopted by the board.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 25th day of June A.D. 1913 at 11:15 A.M.

D. N. Powell Chairman.

Frank J. Jenkins
Clerk.

Advisory board
M. H. Symmes

June 25th, 1913.

June 25th, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 25th day of June A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, LaReniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, ^{Thomas} Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, Chairman-36.

Absent- Johnson, Chas. J., vandenboom-2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Secretary Michigan Association of Police, Sheriffs and Prosecuting Attorneys giving date of next annual meeting was presented and on motion of A.J.Yungbluth, duly supported was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney as to the advisability of himself and the sheriff attending.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, LaReniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

Mr.Yungbluth for the Committee of Morgan Heights Sanitarium Reported that the lowest bids which had been received for the proposed cottage were about \$1,600 in excess of the sum of \$3,000, which was appropriated for that purpose. A motion by Mr.Jackson, supported by Mr.Ewing that the committee be empowered to go ahead with the construction of such cottage, the deficiency to be paid out of the general fund, was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, LaReniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The following resolution presented by Mr.Yungbluth, supported by Mr.Ewing was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, LaReniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

Resolved that the Sheriff be directed to appoint a Deputy Sheriff to patrol the County Roads with a motor cycle for the purpose of enforcing the speed laws, at a salary of \$85 per month, from July 1st to September 1st, unless sooner terminated by the Sheriff. Such deputy to supply his own machine.

It was moved by Mr.Yungbluth, supported by Mr.Collick that the chairman of the board be appointed to represent the board and confer with the committee of three cities of the county with reference to the uniform speed ordinances, which such committees are

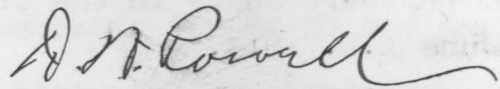
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motorcycle police

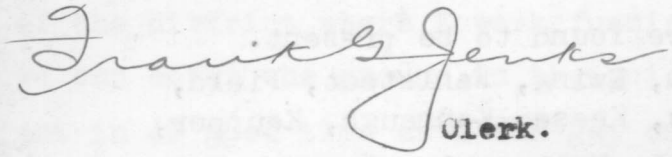
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now preparing. Motion carried.

Upon motion meeting adjourned until Wednesday the 30th day of July A.D. 1913
at 11:15 A.M.



Chairman.



Clerk.

July 30th, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 30th day of July A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Chapman, Corkill, Collick, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell Chairman-35.

Absent- Arnold, Matthews, Swanson-3.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Chapman, Corkill, Collick, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson F.J., Johnson Chas., Johnson Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell-35.

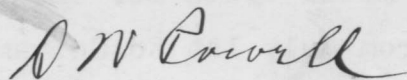
Nays-none.

The report of the Superintendents of the Poor was read in part and ordered filed.

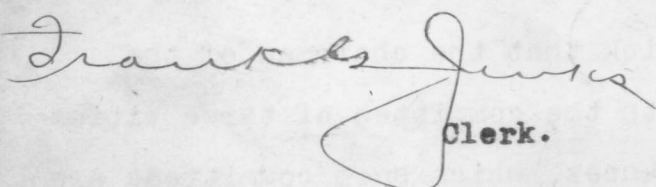
A proposed form of a resolution and contract for use in the Superintendents of the Poor office was read and upon motion duly seconded was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney with instructions to report his opinion as to the legality of said form at the next regular meeting of this board.

A motion was made seconded and carried that Mr.Prater employed by the Superintendents of the Poor committee make a report of his work so far as he has completed it and report same to this board at their next meeting.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Thursday the 4th day of September A.D. 1913 at 11:00 A.M.



Chairman.



Clerk.

Resolution
Signed by Mr.

September 4th, 1913.

September, 4th, 1913.

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 4th day of September A.D.1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman, 36.

Absent: Arnold, Deutsch, 2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, 36.

Nays-none.

The following report of the supplies and expenditures committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman, 36.

Nays: none.

August, 6th, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of your Committee on Supplies and Expenditures on the above date, bids for supplying the County with coal for the ensuing year were submitted by the following companies: Jas. Pickands & Company, Spear & Sons, Consolidated Fuel & Lumber Co.

The bids, as submitted by each of above companies, being the same, viz., \$7.75 a ton for Court House and Jail, and \$7.10 a ton for Morgan Heights Sanitarium, f.o.b. Morgan Heights siding. There being no difference in bids, your Committee allotted one third (1-3) to each company.

Your committee instructed the clerk to ask for bids on weather strips suitable for equipping the various loose windows and doors of the Court House. The windows that have already been equipped have proved to be satisfactory, and your committee asks permission to have the remaining windows and doors so equipped: believing a considerable saving of fuel could be effected: as well as personal comfort. The cost of equipping with weather strips, the windows and doors not now equipped, will be from \$225.00 to \$250.00.

Your committee ordered the purchase of one barrel of Insecticide at \$2.00 per gallon. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Jas.C.Thomas,
Ralph J.Mackenzie,
R.T.Smith,
Alfred Collick,
James R.Hudson,
H.S.Nightingale,
William Corkill,
W.John Chapman. Committee.

Supplies & Expenditures

September 4th, 1913.

The following report of the Highways, Bridges, Public Grounds Committee was read and adopted:

To the Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Highways & Bridges to whom was referred the petition of Richmond Township asking for aid in repairing the road leading South from the Village of Palmer in said Township, would respectfully report that they have examined said road, and in view of the fact that this road will in the future become one of the main roads of Marquette County, and that any money spent on it should have in view a permanent road, would therefore recommend that this petition be referred to the County Road Commission.

W.S.Ewing,
F.J.Johnson,
John Stickney,
A.J.Yungbluth,
W.H.Trembath,
Samuel S.Mitchell,
Alfred Collick,
R.Matthews.

Committee.

The report of M.J.Kennedy, prosecuting attorney regarding the legality of form of contract for use in Superintendents of Poor office was read and ordered laid upon the table.

The following report of W.A.Prater was read and ordered filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

In compliance with your request, I herewith submit the report of my work in Marquette County, up to the and including the present time. On account of extra building that we are doing at the Dickinson County infirmary, I have been unable to give the work in Marquette County as much time as I had hoped to on taking up the work.

Your superintendents of poor have shown me every courtesy and have given me every possible assistance in conducting the investigation, and from observation of them and their work, will say that they have conducted the affairs of their office conscientiously and economically as far as the methods in use at the present time permit. I have visited 42 number of cases in District No.1 under Superintendent Handford, and 99 number of cases in District No.2 under Superintendent Sporley, and 24 number of cases in District No.3 under Superintendent Chase. We have completed Wards 1,2,3,4 and 5 of the City of Marquette and Marquette Township. We have completed Wards 1,2 and 5 of the City of Negaunee, and Wards 1,2,3,4,5 and 7 of the City of Ishpeming, and the greater part of Ward No.6. I would estimate that two days would entirely complete the work in Ishpeming and Negaunee.

On tabulating the above cases, I have made the recommendations of an increase in 36 number of cases, a demand for a deed or contract in 43 number of cases, a continuation of the present allowance in 80 number of cases, a demand upon the children to support in 17 number of cases, and to discontinue aid in 19 number of cases.

I would earnestly recommend that the publication of the names of those receiving public aid be discontinued, that the Superintendents of Poor be required to personally visit and thoroughly investigate each case applying for public aid, and that no orders be issued for public aid for a longer period than one month in advance.

Yours respectfully,

W.A.Prater.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Monday the 13th day of October A.D., 1913 at 9:00 A.M.

Frank Jensen
Clerk.

Chairman.

D N Cornell

Petition Richmond 21/13

Report W.A. Prater

Annual Meeting October, 13th, 1913.

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 Monday the 13th day of October A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present-Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-36.

Absent: Deutsch, Myllymaki, 2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following communications and reports were received and read, and upon motion were referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Auditor General's Department.

Lansing, Mich., September 25th, 1913.

To the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette. Marquette, Mich.

Sir- 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, 1911.

The amount of State Tax apportioned to your County under various Acts of the Legislature is as follows, to-wit:

	General Statement Col.No.	
University of Michigan-Sec.1, Act 303, 1907	2	\$ 20,250.00
University of Michigan-Sec.2, Act 203, 1897	3	70.80
University of Michigan-Sec.29, Act 278, 1907	4	236.01
University of Michigan-Sec.3, Act 111, 1913	5	8,850.52
Michigan Agricultural College-Sec.1, Act 324, 1913	6	9,000.00
State Weather Service-Sec.5, Act 246, 1895	7	23.60
Michigan State Normal College-Sec.6, Act 204, 1913	8	6,903.41
Central Michigan Normal School-Sec.5, Act 192, 1913	9	4,507.87
Northern State Normal School-Sec.4, Act 203, 1913	10	3,337.95
Western State Normal School-Sec.5, Act 190, 1913.	11	5,770.54
Michigan College of Mines-Sec.4, Act 126, 1913	12	1,753.58
State Library-Sec.5, Act 149, 1913.	13	236.01
State Library-Sec.6, Act 144, 1913	14	42.48
State Board of Library Commissioners-Sec.3, Act 114, 1913	15	129.81
Michigan Soldiers' Home-Sec.3, Act 104, 1913	16	4,720.28
Michigan Home and Training School-Sec.4, Act 187, 1913.	17	1,507.77
Michigan Farm Colony for Epileptic Persons, Sec.40, Act 173, 1913	18	2,360.14
State Public School-Sec.4, Act 189, 1913	19	1,275.65
State Public School-Sec.8, Act 152, 1913.	20	448.43
Michigan School for the Deaf-Sec.6, Act 364, 1913.	21	4,681.34
Michigan School for the Blind-Sec.2, Act 7, 1913.	22	39.18
Michigan School for the Blind-Sec.4, Act 332, 1913	23	3,023.64
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind-Sec.4, Act 374, 1913.	24	645.05
State Sanatorium-Sec.4, Act 349, 1913	25	908.30
Central Michigan Sanatorium-Sec.23, Act 348, 1913.	26	472.03
Kalamazoo State Hospital-Sec.3, Act 110, 1913	27	921.97
Pontiac State Hospital-Sec.3, Act 205, 1913	28	2,272.81
Traverse City State Hospital-Sec.3, Act 166, 1913	29	1,678.95
Ionia State Hospital-Sec.4, Act 112, 1913.	30	1,357.08
Newberry State Hospital-Sec.4, Act 198, 1913	31	2,206.73
State Prison-Sec.3, Act 60, 1913	32	4,432.34
Michigan Reformatory-Sec.3, Act 113, 1913	33	381.16
Michigan Reformatory-Sec.4, Act 24, 1913	34	1,791.35
State House of Correction-Bay City-Sec.15, Act 356, 1913	35	1,770.13
The Industrial School for boys-Sec.4, Act 219, 1913	36	2,706.98
The Industrial School for Boys-Sec.4, Act 282, 1911.	37	2,312.94
The State Industrial Home for Girls-Sec.4, Act 362, 1913	38	2,327.10
State Board of Fish Commissioners-Sec.5, Act 185, 1913	39	1,227.44
Dairy and Food Commissioner-Sec.12, Act 12, 1905	40	826.05
Michigan National Guard-Sec.78, Act 84, 1909	41	3,979.44
Michigan National Guard-Sec.2, Act 7, 2nd Extra Session 1912	42	708.04

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Michigan National Guard-Sec.7,Act 172,1913	Col.No.43	354.02
Michigan Naval Brigade-Sec.36,Act 90,1909	" " 44	663.24
State Highway Department-Sec.2,Act 32,1913	" " 45	3,540.21
State Highway Department-Sec.2,Act 248,1913	" " 46	10,620.63
State Highway Department-Sec.8,Act 334,1913	" " 47	4,720.28
State Public Wagon Road-Seney Twp.Schoolcraft Co., Sec.7,Act 58,1913.	" " 48	472.03
State Board of Geological Survey-Sec.4,Act 341,1913	" " 49	295.02
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 122,1909	" " 50	118.01
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 293,1909	" " 51	104.62
Compensation of Members of Legislature-Sec.3,Act1,1909	" " 52	2,492.31
Salary of Deputy Sup't of Public Instruction and Assistant-Sec.2,Act 197,1913	" " 53	101.49
Salary of Superintendent of Public Instruction-Sec.2,Act 9.1909	" " 54	94.41
Salary of Supreme Court Crier and Assistant-Sec.3, Act 135,1909	" " 55	51.92
County Schools of Agriculture-Sec.10,Act 12,1913.	" " 56	188.81
Salaries of Inheritance Tax Examine s-Sec.19,Act 44,1909	" " 57	141.61
Department of Labor-Sec.37,Act 285,1909	" " 58	944.06
Public Domain Commission-Sec.16,Act 333,1913	" " 59	1,416.08
Industrial Accident Board-Sec.7,Act 259,1913	" " 60	944.06
Michigan Historical Commission-Sec.10,Act 271,1913	" " 61	118.01
Mackinac Island Park-Sec.3,Act 191,1913	" " 62	197.77
Relief Ohio Flood Sufferers-Sec.4,Act 84,1913	" " 63	590.04
50th Anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg-Sec.3,Act 57,1913	" " 64	472.03
Perry's Victory Centennial Celebration-Sec.4,Act 145,1913	" " 65	708.04
Index-"A Record of Michigan Soldiers and Sailors"-Sec. 4,Act 165,1913	" " 66	59.00
Collection,compilation and reprinting general laws- Sec.6,Act 247,1913	" " 67	200.61
Joint Penology Commission-Sec.15,Act 265,1913	" " 68	47.20
Salaries and expenses members Board of State Tax Exam'rs- Sec.2,Act 331,1913.	" " 69	247.81
Tax for Prisons-Current expense-Sec.1,Act 252,1913.	" " 70	3,540.21
Tax for State Hospitals-Current expense-Sec.1, Act 253,1913	" " 71	32,645.89
General Purpose Tax-Sec.1,Act 272,1913	" " 72	24,540.38
Total State Tax.	" " 73	\$ 202,724.70

There is also to be levied, as a portion of the county taxes, as required by Section 35, Act 206, Laws of 1893, (unless paid prior to October 1,1913) the indebtedness of your county to the State on the first day of July, 1913, then amounting to \$3,091.66.

The indebtedness of the County must be added to the State Tax.

You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your County at their session in October 1913.

Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice.

Very respectfully,

O.B.Fuller,

Auditor General.

Marquette, Mich., Oct., 1,1913.

Statement of Taxes Charged back by the Auditor General, June 30,1913.

Townships and Cities.	State	County	Total.
City of Ishpeming	\$ 35.19	\$ 56.29	\$ 91.48
City of Marquette	103.57	152.16	255.73
City of Negaunee	.79	1.17	1.96
Champion Township	4.67	2.49	7.16
Chocolay "	17.12	3.72	20.84

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Ely Township	2.06	.32	2.38
Forsyth "	13.39	11.29	24.68
Ishpeming "	2.44	3.60	6.04
Michigamme "	8.19	1.78	9.97
Negaunee "	2.91	2.17	5.08
Powell "	18.56	22.45	41.01
Republic "	9.24	11.54	20.78
Richmond "	6.12	4.54	10.66
Sands "	.88	1.40	2.28
Skandia "	8.51	3.03	11.54
Turin "	4.37	3.42	7.79
Tilden "	7.22	5.52	12.74
West Branch "	2.53	2.55	5.08
Wells "	11.77	8.76	20.53
	<u>\$ 259.53</u>	<u>\$298.20</u>	<u>\$ 557.73</u>

Joseph Barabe,

County Treasurer.

Marquette, Mich. Sept. 25th, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors ,
of Marquette County Michigan.
Gentlemen:

In compliance with act # 96, of the session laws of 1849, as amended by act # 177 of the Public Acts of 1891, The Marquette County Agricultural Society, by its President and Secretary, petitions your honorable body to levy the tax, authorized by law, viz: 1/10 of one mill on the dollar, or such proportion thereof as you may deem sufficient, for the maintenance of said society.

For several years past our fairs have been financial failures and the amount levied by your honorable body was just enough to liquidate the deficit of that year. This year our deficit is approximately \$2500.00, owing to the fact of many permanent improvements, such as cattle sheds for the Cloverland Congress, laying of water mains to the grounds etc. The deficit of this year added to our debt of long standing, occasioned by the erection of our buildings etc. and amounting to \$2900.00 makes the total present debt of our society of \$5400.00, we earnestly trust that you may see yourselves clear to levy a tax adequate for the taking care of our entire debt.

Our President and Secretary certify below as to the raising of the required sum, provided in said act.

We the undersigned President and Secretary, respectfully, of the Marquette County Agricultural Society, do hereby certify that the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars has been raised by said society from the sale of memberships and for the promotion of the objects of said society.

John D. Mangum, President.

W.A. Ross, Secretary

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Marquette, this----- day of----- A.D. 1913.

William A. Jellison, Notary Public in and
for Marquette County, Michigan.

My commission expires Dec. 29,
1913.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
Marquette County Agricultural Society.

John D. Mangum, President.
W.A. Ross, Secretary.

October 13th, 1913.

Statement of Treasurer of Marquette County Agricultural Society.

1913		Receipts	Disbursements.
Jan. 1.	Cash on hand	432.11	
March 1.	From Marquette County	2500.00	
Sept	W.A. Ross, Secy.	255.23	
	Gates at the Fair including Grand Stand	2020.74	
	Percentage Miller Shows	455.38	
	Loans 1st. National Bank	2200.00	
March	Paid on Notes at 1st National Bank		2500.00
	Paid interest on rates 1st National Bank		225.06
Sept.	Miller Bros. Shows, transportation		1100.00
	Premiums exhibits		1542.10
	Pay Roll		598.95
	Advertising		340.64
	Trotting Association		10.00
	Base Ball		25.00
	Motor Cycle Races		35.00
	Salaries Secy & Treas.		150.00
	Repairs, Printing, Horse racing etc.,		1118.21
			<u>7644.96</u>
	Cash on hand		<u>18.50</u>
		<u>\$ 7663.46</u>	<u>\$ 7663.46</u>

The First National Bank holds the rates of the Society amounting to \$5026.75 and the Society has additional debts approximating \$1,000.00

Marquette, Mich. Oct., 1, 1913.

B.W. Wright,
Treasurer.

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 20, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held September 20, 1913, the following resolutions was unanimously adopted:

Resolved- By the County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette, that it be and is hereby determined that the amount of tax to be raised in the county for the year 1914 and spread on the assessment roll of the townships and cities for the county for the said year be and the same is hereby fixed at and determined at the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars, to be expended as follows:

Superintendence and Engineering	\$7,000.00
Maintenance of roads	4,000.00
Marquette South Road	10,000.00
Ishpeming West Road	10,000.00
Palmer South Road	15,000.00
Clay on Little Lake Road	3,500.00
Contingent Fund	500.00
	<u>\$ 50,000.00</u>

Yours respectfully,

W.H. Johnston,
M.M. Duncan,
J.E. Sherman. Board of County Road
Commissioners.

October 13th, 1913.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 10, 1913.

Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:

Herewith is a report of expenditures of the County Road Commission from October 1, 1912 to October 1, 1913. A more detailed report of expenditures will be rendered on December 31st, when the work for the year will have been completed.

There still remains to be paid on the Skandia-Chatham Road some \$1200.00, and work continues on the Green Garden-Yalmer Road, the Dexter-Clarksburg Road, a portion of the Ishpeming West, and on a portion of the Humboldt-Republic Road. Weather permitting these roads will be completed this year.

The grading on the three miles of road between Champion and Michigamme has been completed. The bridge over the Peshekee River is being constructed by the State, and this road will have to be graveled in accordance with the State specification, in order to conform with the conditions required by the State when they undertook to construct the bridge.

The cost of maintenance on the Harvey-Green Garden Road includes the cost of a large amount of quartzite, which is to be spread over the surface of the macadam to make a more resisting wearing surface. The cost of maintenance on the Negaunee-Marquette Road includes the cost of widening the road-way around several sharp curves.

The \$150.00 return of rental to Herman Stensruds was a payment that he made in advance, expecting to use the County Road air compressor, as he decided not to use the air compressor, the money was returned to him.

Respectfully submitted,

W.H. Johnston,
Chairman.

Expenditures of County Road-Commission October 1, 1912 to October 1, 1913.

Office and General Expense	(Salaries	2511.00
	) Other Expense	1212.15
Engineering	(Salaries	3075.18
	) Other Expenses	1038.57
Winter Work on Roads		53.32
Negaunee-Marquette Road	(Maintenance	1330.93
Humboldt-Republic Road	(Construction	3773.29
	) Maintenance	138.40
Harvey Green Garden Road	(Construction	42.78
	) Maintenance	1256.06
Witch Lake Republic Road	(Construction	3244.37
	) Maintenance	755.44
Ishpeming West Road	(Construction	1210.93
	) Maintenance	476.18
Scandia Chatham Road	(Construction	4697.75
) Maintenance	171.75
Little Lake Helena Road	(Construction	88058.88
) Maintenance	158.67

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Champion Michigamme Road	(Construction	5565.10
Green Garden Yalmer Road) Construction	2801.89
Herman Stensrud return of rental		150.00
Total Expenditures.		<u>\$ 41723.14</u>

Marquette, Michigan, Oct. 7, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

We have the honor herewith, to submit our Annual Report of receipts and disbursements, also other matters of interest, pertaining to transaction of this Board during the year ending September 30, 1913.

Amount of appropriation	\$55,000.00
Cash paid County Treasurer First District	360.46
Mable Ryan Fund	200.00
Beatrice Lempkey Fund	<u>350.00</u>
	\$ 55,810.45

Disbursements.

Orders drawn on County Treasurer in favor of Poor House	\$10,100.85
Orders drawn on County Treasurer in favor of First Dist.	5,239.54
Orders drawn on County Treasurer in favor of Second Dist.	26,221.82
Orders drawn on County Treasurer in favor of Third Dist.	8,476.51
Orders drawn on Mable Ryan Fund	200.00
Orders drawn on Beatrice Lempkey Fund	250.00
Hospitals and Doctor's Bills First District	1,329.99
Cash on hand	<u>4,028.74</u>
	\$ 55,910.45

Two thousand four hundred and Sixty-one Dollars and nine cents (\$2,461.09)

of the Disbursements was for Hospitals and Doctor's bills, paid out of the Poor Fund.

Ninety persons have been inmates of the County House at different times during the year, and eleven hundred and sixty persons have been aided outside the County House during the year.

Your superintendents are pleased to report that we end the year with a cash balance of Four Thousand Twenty-eight Dollars and Seventy-four cents (\$4,028.74) and we think with that amount on hand together with an appropriation of Fifty-one Thousand Dollars (\$51,000.00) we should be able to take care of the indigent poor of the County also the Hospitals and Doctors bills, and therefore we respectfully request that your Honorable body appropriate the sum of Fifty-one thousand dollars (\$51,000.00) as a fund for the relief of the poor of Marquette County for the current year.

We note the following supplies on hand at the County Farm (estimated) Viz:

1300 cords 16-in. wood: 9 tons hay: 3 tons rye straw: 2 tons oat straw: 3 tons corn stalks: 650 bushels potatoes, 1500 heads cabbage: 10 bushels onions: 75 bu. carrots: 200 heads celery: 25 bushels beets: 10 bushels parsnips: 2 bushels white beans, shelled.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H.F. Handford,
Sec'y of the Poor Board.

October 13th, 1913.

Office of Soldiers Relief Commission.

Marquette, Michigan.

October, 1st, 1913.

To the Honorable The Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

In compliance with the provisions of Sec.5 of Acts 252 of the Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements during the year ending Sept. 30th, 1913.

Balance on hand Oct.1, 1912	\$ 367.22
Appropriation	<u>1500.00</u>
	\$1867.22

Disbursements.

Orders drawn on County Treasurer	
Nos.1008 to 1013	
nos.1015 to 1145 both incl.	<u>1373.47</u>
Bal.on hand Oct.1st, 1913.	\$ 493.75

During the past year the demand on this fund for the relief of the old veterans and the widows of veterans has been larger than any previous year, and we have reason to believe it will be as large, if not larger than the year just past.

Every request for relief has been fully investigated and this money has been used as the law intended it should be.

Therefore, we feel it our duty to respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred dollars (\$1500.00) as a fund for the relief of the old veterans and the widows of veterans during the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Cortland E. Moore,

Sec'y Soldiers Relief Commission.

Marquette, Michigan. October, 13, 1913.

The Honorable Chairman of the
Board of Supervisors Marquette County,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

The Upper Peninsula Development Bureau respectfully request renewal of the Marquette County appropriation of \$1000. for the support of the Bureau. We feel that the success of the Bureau warrants our asking your continued financial support. Substantial evidence of this success in the way of new settlers and sales of farm lands is at hand from every county except possibly the County of Keweenaw. Marquette County has had its full share of the advertising and exploitation work of the Bureau, and will continued to receive the same in the future. We can best show the results of the bureau's work through our Annual Report and the recent compilation of data by Colonel Mott, both of which are handed you herewith. The complete financial statement showing the way your money has been spent for the past two years will be found in the Annual Report.

Respectfully submitted.

Alton T. Roberts,

President.

October 13th, 1913.

A communication from the Dairy & Food Department suggesting the employing of a county sealer of weights and measures was read and referred to the Committee on Legislature, to investigate and report at the next meeting of this board.

A communication from the Michigan Trunk Line Highway Association was read and referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee.

A communication from Norman O Hoganson regarding employment at Morgan Heights Sanitarium, was referred to that Committee.

A communication from the Chairman of the Red Cross Committee requesting the County to purchase Red Cross Seals to be placed on all letters during December was read, and the Clerk was instructed to make said purchase, by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Filed, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Kupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

The following communications and petition was read and upon motion duly made and seconded were referred to the special committee of five to be appointed by the chairman. The chair appointed Supervisors Ewing, Fahlstedt, Chapman, Zerbel, and Thompson, as such Committee.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

We, the undersigned realizing the necessity of a pesthouse to be erected in the city of Marquette, do hereby petition your honorable body and have taken the liberty of presenting plans for the same. The pest-house now in use is in no fit condition for habitation, and is a menace to the life of those who may be unfortunate enough to be obliged to go there, and feel it our duty to present those facts to your honorable body. Praying that you will take immediate action, we beg to remain.

Respectfully yours,

N.J. Robbins,

County Physician.

E.H. Flynn,

Health Officer.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette.

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned special committee of the common council of the city of Marquette, which is the board of health, respectfully present for your consideration the matter of the erection and maintenance of a contagious diseases hospital upon the county house grounds in this city.

Under the provisions of Local Act 469 of 1913, your board is given general supervision over all contagious diseases arising or existing in the county, and is given authority to establish and maintain one or more pest houses for the reception and treatment of persons having any malignant and infectious disease dangerous to the public health and for the care of all persons who may have been exposed to any such disease.

Under said act your board is vested with all the powers vested in local boards of health and under Howell's Statutes, Section 3121, it is made the duty of the boards of health to provide nurses and other assistance and necessaries for persons unable to pay for their care and treatment. It is only for the care and treatment of such persons as must be provided for at the charge of the county that a contagious disease hospital is necessary.

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For several years the county has leased a parcel of land in a remote portion of this city and maintained and occasionally used a building thereon for the isolation of smallpox patients. This building however, is not deemed adequate or suitable for the purpose, being old and dilapidated and in no way a credit to the county. The location is such that if a suitable building were erected thereon, it could not without the expense of a watchman be under observation and protection from vandalism during the long period when not in use. Smallpox, for which such a hospital is mostly needed, is most prevalent in the winter, and the present pest house site is difficult of access in the winter and the expense of heating is considerable. Should any outbreak of dangerous communicable disease occur hereafter the board of health of the city may find it necessary to provide for the care of sick or infected persons in a more accessible and suitable place than the one referred to.

It seems to me that it would be a wise and proper thing and satisfactory to all concerned should the county provide and maintain a suitable hospital at a place easily accessible at all times, where it would be safe from injury and destruction and where it could be heated and cared for with the least expense. The county house grounds seem to us to be an admirable location where such a hospital could be erected and maintained at a safe distance from the county house and could be heated from the county house plant. Dr. E. H. Flynn, health officer of the city has procured plans of such a hospital as he and we recommend, which it is estimated could be erected complete, including plumbing for about \$2500.

We earnestly hope your board will give serious consideration in this proposition and take action thereon at this session, as there is reason to believe that there will be need of such a hospital the coming winter. Smallpox, in a light form, is and has been somewhat prevalent in this part of the Upper Peninsula the present summer and fall, with the possibility of its becoming more virulent and widespread when cold weather sets in.

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M. Hennessy,

M. C. Scully,

H. A. St. John.

The following applications for the position of Superintendent of Poor, 3rd District of Marquette County were read:

Republic, Michigan., Oct, 8, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Dear Sirs:- I hereby make application for the position of County Poor Commissioners for the third district. My residence is Republic, Michigan, and if elected, I will faithfully fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

Very respectfully,

John Cowling.

Republic, Michigan. Oct., 10th, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen: I beg to offer myself as a candidate for superintendent of the poor 3rd Dist. for Marquette County, I consider myself fully capable to fill the office, and if I am elected, will pledge myself that the duty of that office will be discharged according to law and satisfactory to the County and State.

Truly yours,

Wm. Zeitler.

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To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

I hereby respectfully apply for reappointment as superintendent of Poor 3rd district. If elected I assure you that I will continue to give the office my undivided time and attention.

Yours respectfully,

Philo P. Chase.

On motion duly made and seconded it was ordered that an informal vote be taken, with the following result. Chase-26, Cowling, 6 and Zeitler, 4.

Moved that the informal vote be declared formal, carried. Thereupon Philo P. Chase, was declared elected Superintendent of Poor, 3rd District, for the ensuing three years.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote-

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson Charles J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

The following report of the County Officers Accounts Committee was read and adopted.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee on County Officers Accounts would report that they have looked over the books and records of the several County Officers, viz:-

The County Clerk, the County Treasurer, Judge of Probate, Register of Deeds and Superintendents of the Poor and find all such books to be apparently well kept and up to date.

The cash balance in the hands of the County Treasurer on September 30th, 1913 as shown by his books is One hundred and two thousand nine hundred twelve dollars and forty-eight cents (\$102,912.48).

Your committee would recommend that the corrections of the details of the accounts of all County Officers be fully verified by having a complete audit made by a competent expert accountant as has been customary heretofore.

With your approval and consent your Committee will arrange to have such audit made to cover the calendar year ending December 31st, 1913.

Respectfully submitted,

Gust Larson
Chas. J. Johnson,
William Pierce,
Rasmus Olsen,
H. S. Thompson,
Oscar Field,
J. F. Zerbel,
W. H. Trembath,
Samuel S. Mitchell,
Jas. Kennaugh,
Louis Lafreniere.

Committee on County Officers Accounts.

The following report was read and referred to special committee (H. S. Thompson, Chairman). In addition the committee on Legislation were instructed to confer with

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the Prosecuting Attorney, regarding the drafting of some law regarding claims against the estates of indigent poor.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

I herewith submit my report of the investigation conducted by me at your request of the system in use by your Superintendents of Poor and plan of administering public charity.

I wish at this time to repeat what I said in my previous report as to the courtesy and assistance given me by your board of Superintendents of Poor and their willingness to adopt such measures of reform and betterment of system, as will care for the deserving poor better and with greater economy. I believe they have each administered the affairs of their several districts conscientiously. The system in use has not put the Superintendents in as close personal touch with those that are receiving public aid, as would allow them to do the best and most economical work.

I have visited 251 cases in the county and report as follows:

	Increase	Contract required	no change	children to support	Out off or decrease.	
Dist. No.1.	1	11	19	6	5	42
Dist. No.2.	8	32	81	13	14	150
Dist.No.3.	<u>5</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>59</u>
	14	61	132	21	23	251

Conditions are particularly bad in some parts of the county on account of the mines in those localities being shut down and leaving a number, that would be cared for by easy work at the mine, where they had before been employed: but who could not secure a place at a new place of employment. Several of these cases are cripples, who could and should be practically pensioned by the mine, if in operation.

I find in District No.2 a larger proportion of foreign peoples and those of a more migratory class, and necessarily more poverty. The class of people and their employment make the peoples of District No. 1, less liable to become public charges than in the other districts. I would make the following recommendations and will also give my reasons for making them, based on my investigation of the conditions in your country. I would recommend the card system of keeping a record of individual cases. It is much simpler than an index book, and is more sure to be revised and kept up to date and shows a very full family history and the expenditures for that case.

I would recommend that an affidavit be required as to property and other means of support by each applicant for public aid. This would be a matter of record. If these affidavits were kept on file and in case of fraud, a good case would be made for the recovery of such amounts as had been received by them thus fraudently.

I would recommend that a contract be required from each person who at the time of receiving aid was possessed of property and who by reason of age or infirmity, was unable to support himself and who, if the said property was sold would be forced to rent. If in the discretion of the Superintendents of Poor, it would seem best to allow them to retain the entire title and use of the property during their natural life and to receive public assistance to be taken from their estate at their death. Such contract is legal, in that it is not contrary to any law and is as binding as any contract.

I would recommend that every case receiving public aid should be investigated personally by the Superintendent of that District and that such applicant should be required to notify the said Superintendent of any change and on such change of residence, the said Superintendent should visit such applicant at the new residence to enable him to know personally of the conditions and surroundings of such public charge.

I would recommend that all orders for public aid should be in writing and should not extend for a longer period than one month. This recommendation is for the purpose of keeping the Superintendent in close personal touch with the recipient of public aid and to keep the card system up to date and effective.

I would recommend the discontinuance of the publication of the names of those receiving public aid, as it is a stigma standing against many innocent children that will tend to destroy their self-respect and thus breed a pauper class for the future. It is for these reasons that the demand for the Mothers' Pension Law has been asked. The present saving will be doubled by future expenditures if the Superintendent is in as close personal touch as he should be with the cases under control it will be unnecessary for

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the publication of the names to secure information as to their ability to support themselves.

I submit the above report with the wish to better the condition of the needy and also to economize for the county. It is only by the close personal interest and sympathy with the needy poor, that the Superintendent can do the best for the county and the people that come under his care, and a personal knowledge and interest in the individual cases and familiarity with their living conditions is the only true and lasting reform in the administration of public charity.

I wish also to thank the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, many of whom have accompanied me on the investigation in their several wards, for their uniform courtesy and assistance and trust that the investigation will prove of material assistance in the future administration of public charity in Marquette County.

Yours respectfully,

W.A.Prater.

The following reports of the County Officers were read in part and ordered filed.

County Treasurer's Report.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 1, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Gentlemen:- Herewith is submitted the annual report of your treasurer.

Respectfully,

Joseph Barabe,

County Treasurer.

Trial Balanace taken from the ledger of the Treasurer of Marquette County, Michigan Sept. 30, 1913.

Account	Dr.	Cr.
Champion Twp.		\$ 495.00
Chocolay "		990.00
Humboldt "		495.00
Negaunee City		453.76
Michigamme Twp		3.33
Powell "		498.66
Skandia "	.06	
Turin "		831.75
Cash	\$102,912.48	
General Fund Warrants	88,329.05	
Jurors Certificates	6,775.10	
Witness Certificates	297.80	
Soldiers' Relief Fund		552.25
Poor Fund		3,611.89
Teachers' Institute Fund		396.30
Sparrow Bounty	29,329.36	
Trust Funds		616.97
Road Commission Condemnation Cases		24.50
County Road Fund		27,799.09
General Fund		157,595.33
Library Fund		1,992.50
Mortgage tax		1,777.06
Rejected taxes		256.19
State of Michigan	45.73	
	<u>\$ 198,389.58</u>	<u>\$ 198,389.58</u>

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Receipts.

Cash on hand Oct.1, 1912		\$101,499.41
Primary School Fund	\$113,461.92	
State & County taxes	319,213.98	
Road Bounties from State	3,300.00	
Interest First National Bank Negaunee	2,983.50	
Liquor tax	56,603.37	
On account of Road Commission	510.00	
Tax sales	4,400.11	
Library Fund	2,024.00	
Settlements with the State	3,128.08	
Hunters' Licenses	2,286.50	
Delinquent taxes on Duplicates	18,390.75	
Redemption Certificates	1,547.39	
Sanitarium	262.40	
Teachers' Institute Fund	191.00	
Act 317 Laws of 1907	23.63	
Poor Fund, Sundries	617.86	
Poor Fund, Beatrice Lampkey Fund	350.00	
General Fund, Court Fees, Costs etc.,	1,067.13	
Inheritance tax	875.43	
Mortgage tax	1,039.50	
Tonnage tax	219.10	
Animal Bounties	741.50	
		<u>\$533,237.15</u>
		\$634,736.56

Disbursements.

Soldiers' Relief Fund	1,398.77
Inheritance tax to State	961.43
Mortgage tax to State	1,186.75
Paid State for Hunters' Licenses	1,849.00
General Fund Warrants	88,283.05
Settlements with the State including Public Institutions	24,498.35
Poor Fund	52,246.52
Primary School Fund	113,791.51
Jurors Circuit Court	6,775.10
Witness Circuit Court	297.80
Sparrow Bounty	29.36
County Road Fund	44,917.55
Teachers' Institute Fund	132.70
Townships tax settlements	31,205.20
Library Fund	1,302.61
Liquor tax	51,297.35
State tax on account of 1912 tax levy	110,000.00
Circuit Court Orders	320.00
Ionia State Hospital	160.40
Act 317 Laws of 1907	13.98
Certificates of Births and Deaths	1,071.50
Tonnage tax	85.15
	<u>\$ 531,824.08</u>
Cash on hand Sept. 30, 1913	102,912.48
	<u>\$ 634,736.56</u>

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Apportionment of Cash on hand Sept. 30, 1913.

Trust Funds	\$ 641.47
County Road Fund	27,799.09
Library Fund	1,992.50
Teachers' Institute Fund	396.30
Poor Fund	3,611.89
Soldiers' Relief Fund	552.25
Townships	5,918.00
General Fund	62,000.98
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	\$ 102,912.48

County of Marquette
Office of the County Clerk.

Expenses classified for the year ending August, 31st, 1913.

Circuit Court.

Salary of Circuit Judge	\$1500.00
Salary Court Stenographer	993.30
Officers attending Court	489.80
Officers fees summoning jurors	286.20
Meals for jurors	291.00
Stationery & Printing	73.40
Law books and supplies	24.40
Misc. officers fees & C.C. expenses	167.00
Witness fees Schedule B.	282.80
Jurors fees Schedule C.	4867.70
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Total.	\$ 8975.50

Justice Court.

Justice fees	1420.54
Misc. officers fees (dep Sheriff & Const.)	1823.20
Jurors fees	31.64
Witness fees	142.02
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Total.	\$ 3417.40

County Officers, Law Dep't.

Salary Prosecuting Attorney	2500.00
Stationery & Printing, traveling expenses	296.22
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Total.	\$ 2796.22

Judge of Probate Office.

Salary	2500.00
Salary Probate Clerk	720.00
Stationery & Printing & other	283.10
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Total.	\$ 3593.10

Total Judiciary Expenses

\$ 18692.22

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Legislative.

Supervisors services	\$ 2370.50
Publishing proceedings and other	1365.52
Supervisors' mileage	<u>1388.78</u>
Total.	\$ 5124.80

County Clerk Office.

Salary	2500.00
Salary Deputy	600.00
Salary Stenographer	380.00
Supplies & Printing	<u>367.01</u>
Total.	\$ 3847.01

Finance Dept. Co. Treasurer Off.

Salary	3400.00
Stationery & Printing	<u>317.02</u>
Total.	\$ 3717.02

Public Records.

Register of Deeds & Abstract Office.

Salary	1200.00
Stationery & Printing & other	<u>485.03</u>
Total.	\$ 1685.03

Miscellaneous County Officers.

Postage stamps	471.79
Express & Freight charge	<u>98.33</u>
Telegraph & Telephone	<u>317.96</u>
Total.	\$ 888.08

Court House.

Janitor	720.00
Light	372.19
Fuel	968.52
Repairs to buildings	201.80
Water	140.53
Supplies	630.22
Miscellaneous	<u>461.96</u>
Total.	\$ 3495.22

Total General Government

\$ 37449.38

Public Safety Sheriff's Department.

Salary	1600.00
Stationery & Printing	22.50
Miscellaneous Sheriffs fees	226.37
Livery	<u>2.00</u>
Total.	\$ 1850.87

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Jail Maintenance.

Salary Under Sheriff	720.00
Salary night watchman	720.00
Supplies	240.01
Heat Fuel	245.85
Salary Jail Physician	240.00
Light	276.02
Locks and unlocks	400.40
Subsistence of prisoners	4041.45
Clothing for prisoners	5.00
Repairs and renewal to buildings	268.55
Total.	<u>\$ 7257.28</u>

Coroner's Department.

Coroner's fees	707.81
Jurors fees at inquest	543.00
Witness fees at inquest	163.09
Examination of dead	190.00
Stenographer, Interpreter and other	168.82
Total.	<u>\$ 1772.72</u>

Total Public Safety \$ 10880.87

Public Charges Insane.

Examination of Insane	339.50
Conveying insane to insane asylum	608.11
All expenses preparatory to sentence	80.56
Total.	<u>\$ 1028.17</u>

Feeble Minded:

Conveying to asylum	262.20
Total.	<u>\$ 262.20</u>

Contagious Diseases.

Typhoid Fever	65.70
Scarlet Fever	1165.00
Small Pox	310.76
Diphtheria	102.03
Miscellaneous	94.00
Salary County Physician	600.00
Medicines for County Physician	50.35
Total.	<u>\$ 1387.84</u>

Poor House.

Repairs to buildings and renewals	21.29
Nurse	420.00
Supplies, insurance & other	355.40
Total.	<u>\$ 796.69</u>

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Miscellaneous.

Burial of paupers	\$ 505.03
Care of indigent poor	167.00
Meals R.R. & other	8.79
Salaries Supt's of Poor	<u>2300.00</u>
Total.	\$ 3480.82

Superintendents of Poor.

Schedule "D".	
Poor House	10240.36
First District	5345.09
Second District	26251.91
Third District	<u>8528.03</u>
Total.	\$ 50365.39

Total Public Charges

\$ 57321.11

Public Education.

Salary County Commissioner	1800.00
Stationery & Printing & other	216.53
Traveling expenses	230.82
Services county examiners	201.75
Truant officers fees	<u>88.17</u>
Total.	\$ 2537.27

Public Election.

Services county canvassers (Regular)	43.76
Printing ballots & other) Regular	943.52
Services county canvassers (Primary)	8.00
Printing ballots & other) primary	<u>8.50</u>
Total.	\$ 1003.78

Public Protection of Game & Fish.

Bounties:	
Wolf	1323.00
Wildcats	45.00
Lynx	<u>60.00</u>
Total.	\$ 1428.00

Game Warden Department.

Salaries Deputy Game Warden	<u>600.00</u>
Total.	\$ 600.00

Total Protection of Game & Fish

\$ 2028.00

Public Mine Inspection.

Salary Mine Inspector	2000.00
Mileage Traveling expenses	270.37
Stationery & Printing	<u>2.75</u>
Total Mine Inspection.	\$ 2273.12
Public Statistics	<u>81.35</u>

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Highways & Bridges.

Bridge Committee (Livery)	39.00
Bridges	<u>300.00</u>
Total.	\$ 339.00

Extraordinary Expenses.

New Court House Bonds account matures	10000.00
Interest and commission	<u>1014.50</u>
Total.	\$ 11014.50

Miscellaneous.

Special audit county officers accounts	288.79
Marquette Agr. Society for tax levy	2500.00
Delegates to Tax Conference	116.67
Officers expenses Sec. of Soldiers relief fund	45.00
Motor for Poor House	315.00
Services W.A. Prater	66.20
Insurance Jail	187.50
Michael Basolo refund on bond Garbolina	73.40
F.W. Read, Treasurer	1000.00
Mrs. G.M. Walker, Supt.	100.00
Re-indexing Public Statistics	<u>744.77</u>
Total.	\$ 5437.33

Morgan Heights Sanitarium.

Expenditures Sept. 1st, 1912 to August, 31st, 1913.

Electric Light	128.68
Material	129.61
Plumbing	27.03
Labor	186.43
Professional services	42.00
Live Stock	350.00
Coal & Wood	739.84
Telephone, Telegraph, express, freight, livery, printing etc.,	133.97
Supplies (Groceries and Meats)	3279.61
Repairs	805.24
Burial services	26.00
Drugs	144.85
Feed	651.84
Blacksmithing and Horseshoeing	51.00
Sundry expenses	117.54
Interest & commission M.H. bonds	675.00
Contract building	2000.00
Salaries of employees	<u>3591.56</u>
Total.	\$ 13080.20

Revenue, classified paid to the County Treasurer for which the County Clerk signed duplicate receipts for the year ending August, 31st, 1913.

General Government.

Fines	\$1156.00
Costs	125.00
Entry fees	244.00
Stenographers fees	54.00
Jury fees	30.00
Total.	\$ 1609.00

Justice Court.

Marquette City	415.00
Ishpeming City	237.20
Negaunee City	335.50
Republic Township	18.00
Michigamme "	12.00
Champion "	9.00
Powell "	165.00
Forsyth "	107.68
Total.	\$ 1299.38

Public Charges.

Supts. of poor, 1st Dist.	960.26
Supts. of poor, 2nd Dist.	3.00
Total.	\$ 983.26

Public Education.

Institute fees	\$ 221.00
Total.	\$ 221.00

Probate Court.

Andrew Lindquist change of name	3.00
Florence Tallier " "	3.00
Total.	\$ 6.00

Public Protection of Game & Fish.

Deer Licenses, Non.Res.	99.00
" " Resident	2137.50
Total.	\$ 2286.50

Taxation.

Tax receipts	\$ 18517.09
Tax redemptions	1544.63
Total.	\$ 20061.72

Miscellaneous.

John Ahlstrom fine and costs	31.50
Hans Jensen " "	31.00
Mrs.E.Erickson " "	10.95
John Bell & Geo.Ronan "	20.20
County Road Fund	445.20
General Fund	20.00
Wm.H.Farrell & Ben Sweeney Act. Morgan Heights	394.33
Total.	\$ 1153.18

October 13th, 1913.

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette, County Michigan, I hereby submit to you a report of the medical work of the Morgan Heights Tuberculosis Sanitarium, for the year ending Oct. 1, 1913.

During the past year, there have been fifty cases treated in the Institution. Of these 11 have been in the incipient or early stages of the disease: 14 have been moderately advanced cases, and twenty-five have been advanced cases. Classified according to sex, thirty-four have been males and sixteen females.

17 cases were residents of Marquette City. 11 of Negaunee City. 7 of Ishpeming City. 4 of Champion Township. 3 of Powell Township. 1 of Wells Township. 1 of Humboldt Township. 1 of Republic Township, and one of Forsyth Township, Four cases were from other counties.

Seventeen occupations were represented. The miners furnish the largest number, eleven having received treatment at the Sanitarium during the year, constituting 32% of the male inmates. Other leading occupations are:-

Housewife	Eight
Common Laborer	Seven
School Children	Four
Woodsman	Three
Housework	Three

Nine nationalities were represented as follows:-

Fins	Seventeen
Swedes	Fifteen
English	Six
Irish	Four
French	Three
Norwegians	One
Scotch	One
Jewish	One
Russian	One

At the present time there are thirteen patients receiving treatment at the Sanitarium, eight males and five females. Classified according to the stages of the disease, there are, Four incipient cases: Four moderately advanced cases: and Five advanced cases.

During the year five cases have been discharged as cured, and three cases discharged greatly improved in health, Twenty patients left the Sanitarium during year, of their own accord. Of these seventeen were advanced cases.

There have been thirteen deaths, all of which were advanced cases when admitted.

The average length of time spent in the Institution by those discharged as cured, was Twenty-three and one half weeks. Fifty percent of the cases treated during the year at the Morgan Heights Sanitarium have been in the advanced stages of the disease. These cases have been in the main, county charges that have been removed from the general hospitals, and homes where the danger of contagion was great.

Utmost care is exercised to prevent infection of inmates or help. Disinfecting rooms are maintained, where all clothes, blankets, and so forth, are thoroughly fumigated.

The completion of the cottage at present under construction will give to the patients the use of the entire main building. It is our intention to convert the rooms now being used by the help, into wards for advanced cases. This addition of room will give us a capacity of about twenty-five beds.

Charles N. Bottum,

Medical Director.

Report Medical Work M.H.

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October 1st, 1913.

To the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

I hand you herewith report from the Sanitarium from October 1st, 1912 to October 1st, 1913.

Cost of provisions	\$ 1852.88
Drugs	137.59
Med. Supplies	115.35
Incidental expenses	310.70
Feed for Stock	821.94
Salaries	2765.68
Repairs	630.00
House supplies, miscellaneous	176.34
Oil & Gasoline	73.70
Farm Grounds Improvement	173.54
Live Stock	350.00
Furniture & Furnishings	88.14
Electric Light & Power	119.17
Coal	596.73
Funeral expenses	26.00
Total.	\$ 8217.76

Inventory.

The institution has on hand groceries and supplies to the amount of \$100.00.

Stock:

- 4 cows
- 2 calves
- 2 horses
- 7 hogs
- 4 pigs
- 125 hens
- 75 chickens
- 5 turkeys
- 7 ducks.

Vegetables:

300 bu. potatoes valued at \$.50 per bu.	\$150.00
75 bu. carrots at \$.50	37.00
100 bu. Rutabagas	50.00
Feed: 4 tons Oat Hay	40.00

\$ 277.00

Ben Sweeney, Superintendent.

The reports of the Mine Inspector, Superintendents of the Poor, School Commissioner, Jail Inspector and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 22nd day of October, A.D. 1913 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Chairman.

Francis Jenks
Clerk.

Morgan Heights Sanitarium Report.

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October, 22nd, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 22nd day of October, A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-35.

Absent- Deutsch, Keese, Myllymaki-3.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The following communication was read and upon motion of Supervisor Johnson, duly seconded the Clerk was instructed to draw an order for \$100.00, by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

Nays-none.

To the Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.
Gentlemen:-

During the past year Good Will Farm has provided a home for one hundred and four children, who were in immediate and pressing necessity for care and home surroundings children not otherwise provided for by the state.

We take children committed by the courts for adoptions, but we also take children of broken homes, or when there is only one parent. We feel that a child who has lost either its father or mother is in more danger than a real orphan, because while the parent is out earning a living, the child is allowed to run the streets, and this lack of care and supervision in childhood means poor citizens of the future. We help keep children together and parents to live up to their obligations.

Our association is doing a worthy work and doing it well, and our activities are as wide as the Upper Peninsula and ours is a distinctly Upper Peninsula Institution

We have had from your county in the past 93 children, and we stand ready to help you at any time. Our doors are open to any child who needs our care, no matter the necessity we will try to meet it. We are very grateful for your generosity of last year and hope we may have the same interest this year with even greater generosity.

Respectfully yours,

Laura J. Donaldson,

Superintendent.

The following report from the Committee on Finance and Taxation was received and read:

Moved and supported that the report be adopted as read.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Finance and Taxation having had under consideration the various taxes of 1911 and prior years charged back and rejected by the auditor

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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, and that the same be entered in a separate column on the respective assessment rolls as "rejected taxes".

Statement of rejected taxes for the year ending June 30th, 1913, made by the Auditor General, and chargeable to cities and townships as follows:

Ishpeming City	\$ 91.48
Negaunee City	1.96
Marquette City	255.73
Champion Township	7.16
Chocolay "	20.84
Ely "	2.38
Forsyth "	24.68
Ishpeming "	6.04
Michigamme "	9.97
Negaunee "	5.08
Powell "	41.01
Republic "	20.78
Richmond "	10.66
Sands "	2.28
Skandia "	11.54
Tilden "	12.74
Turin "	7.79
Wells "	20.53
West Branch "	5.08
Grand Total.	\$ 557.73

Respectfully submitted,
G.R.Jackson,
Chairman Finance and Taxation Committee.

The following report from the Committee on Finance and Taxation was received and read To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.
Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Finance and Taxation, having had the matter under consideration, would respectfully recommend that there be raised by taxation the current year the following amount for the purpose herein next set forth.

State Tax	202,724.10	202,724.10
County Tax		
General Fund	80,000.00	
Poor Fund	55,000.00	
Court House bonds	10,000.00	
Marquette Agricultural society	3,000.00	
Soldier's relief fund	500.00	
Agricultural tax-Act 88,P.A.of 1913	1,000.00	149,500.00
County Road tax		50,000.00
Total.		\$ 402,224.10

Moved and supported that the report of the Finance and Taxation committee be adopted.

The report was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.
Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collic, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith,

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Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

Nays-none.

The following report of the Superintendents of the Poor was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jacks on, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Michigan.

October, 16th, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette Co., Michigan.

Gentlemen:- The Committee of Superintendents of Poor have made careful investigation of the horses, cattle, grounds adn buildings and find same all apparently well kept.

Your committee would respectfully recommend the following improvements. The placing of a hood over range to take care of smoke and odors, tiling of floor and repairing bath rooms and painting of kitchen.

Your committee would further recommend that this matter be placed in the hands of the chairman of this committee, so as to secure immediate attention.

F.H.Vandenboom,
Chas.J.Johnson,
J.F.Zerbel,
William Manley,
Ralph J.Mackenzie,
Gust Larson,
Louis Lafreniere,
William Piercee,
W.John Chapman,
R.Matthews.

Committee.

The following report of the Highways, Bridges and Public Grounds Committee was read adopted and referred to the Supplies and Expenditures Committee.

Marquette, Mich., October, 22nd, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemn:-

Your committee on Highways, Bridges and Public Grounds, respectfully report that they have examined the Court House, sheriff's residence, jail, and find the same well kept, but find that the Sheriff's residence needs some repairs to windows and front porch, also the root house in connection is very much in need of repairs.

We find that the woodwork on the outside of Court House needs painting. We would therefore recommend that the above would be referred to the Supplies and Expenditures Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

W.S.Ewing,
W.H.Trembath,
John Stickney,
Samuel S.Mitchell,
R.Matthews,
A.Collick.

The following report of the Highways, Bridges and public Grounds Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

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Report Highway, Bridges & Public Grounds Committee

October 22nd, 1913.

Nays- none.

Marquette, Michigan.

October 22nd, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Your Highways & Bridges committee to whom was referred the communication from the Michigan Trunk Line Highway association, asking this county to purchase membership in their association.

We would respectfully recommend that your Honorable Body purchase such membership and that the sum of Twenty-five dollars be appropriated out of the General Fund for such purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

W.S.Ewing,
W.H.Trembath,
Samuel S.Mitchell,
John Stickney,
R.Matthews,
A.Collick.

The following report of the Special Committee was read and adopted.

Marquette, Michigan.

October, 13th, 1913.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

Your special committee on Poor Relief Matters to whom the report of investigation made by Mr.W.A.Prater, was referred would recommend that the Board approve the following recommendations made therein by Mr.Prater and that the Superintendents of Poor be directed to comply with such recommendations in the conduct of their work from this time forth, viz:-

The use of the card index system of keeping a record of individual cases.

The requirement of an affidavit as to property and means of support from each applicant for public aid.

The personal investigation of every case receiving public aid by the Superintendent of the District in which such case is located, and the requirement that each person receiving public aid shall notify the Superintendent of any change of residence.

That all orders for public aid be given in writing and shall not extend for a longer period than one month.

That the Superintendents of Poor continue to furnish to each Supervisor a list of those in his ward or township receiving aid each month, but that the publication of the names in the newspapers be discontinued.

Respectfully submitted,

H.S.Thompson,
Chas.Johnson,
J.F.Zerbel.

Special Committee.

The following report of the special Committee was read and adopted and it was moved, supported and carried that this Committee, together with the County Physician proceed at once to procure suitable quarters in compliance with their report.

To the Chairman & Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee to whom the matter of erecting a Pest House in the City of Marquette was referred, beg to report as follows:

We have made an inspection of the present building used for a pest house and find same to be a very delapidated condition, and utterly unfit for such use. It is in such bad shape, that in the opinion of this committee it would be a waste of money to attempt to repair it.

Appropriation Michigan Trunk Line Highway Assoc.

Special Committee Poor Relief

Pest House Committee

October 22nd, 1913.

We would recommend that steps be taken at once to rent a house that can be properly warmed and made comfortable as present conditions as to small pox in Marquette are such as call for immediate attention.

We are of the opinion that one pest house located in Marquette would not properly serve the entire County. One other pest house would have to be built to serve Negaunee and Ishpeming and possibly others to take care of other parts of the County.

It would in our opinion be impossible under the most favorable conditions at this season of the year to build houses and have them ready for occupancy till after January 1st, 1914.

As we have nothing but preliminary sketches without any detailed plans and estimates available at this time, we are unable to report any definite figures as to cost.

We would recommend that on account of the lateness of the season that the matter of building pest houses be deferred until next spring.

Respectfully submitted,

W.S.Ewing,

W. John Chapman,

Victor Fahlstedt,

H.S. Thompson,

J.F. Zerbel.

Special Committee.

It was moved that a recess be taken until 1:30 o'clock P.M. said motion was duly seconded and carried.

Upon reconvening at 1:30 o'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the chairman D.W. Powell, the roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-35.

Absent- Deutsch, Keese, Myllymaki-3.

The committee on equalization made the following report, which was referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.

Nays-none.

Whereas the board of supervisors have 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.

Whereas, in their judgement it has not been so uniformly and equally estimated: therefore,

Resolved, that the valuation of the real and personal 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 or 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 9th and 10th columns thereof: respectively, opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of taxable real estate and personal property of each township and city in said county, as determined and equalized by us, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name of such township or city.

Equalization Report.

REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY AS ASSESSED AND TOTAL VALUATION AS EQUALIZED.

BY STATE TAX COMMISSION.

City or Township	Real Estate as assessed	Personal property as assessed.	Total valuation as assessed.	Real Estate as assessed. As corrected by	Personal property as assessed. the State Tax Commission.	Total valuation as assessed.	amount added.	Amount deducted.	Total valuation as equalized.
Marquette City	6,847,720	2,219,685	9,067,405	8,002,235	3,051,872	11,054,107		2,211,107	8,843,000
Ishpeming City	12,107,580	1,794,630	13,902,210	12,248,120	3,311,950	15,560,070		3,112,070	12,448,000
Negaunee City	18,299,915	1,451,424	19,751,339	16,785,985	2,405,945	19,191,930		3,838,930	15,353,000
Champion Twp.	963,115	144,300	1,107,415	1,081,375	354,305	1,435,680		287,680	1,148,000
Chocolay "	146,885	11,200	158,085	456,170	51,350	507,520		101,520	406,000
Ely "	690,549	108,646	799,195	1,116,900	222,325	1,339,225		268,225	1,071,000
Forsyth "	2,416,590	627,227	3,043,817	2,553,735	1,103,535	3,657,270		732,270	2,925,000
Humboldt "	247,333	39,625	286,958	328,272	119,100	447,372		89,372	358,000
Ishpeming "	522,185	77,576	599,761	771,421	170,050	941,471		188,471	753,000
Michigamme "	384,885	9,400	394,285	517,025	21,640	538,665		107,665	431,000
Marquette "	177,296	26,175	203,471	337,062	86,600	423,662		84,662	339,000
Negaunee "	89,730		89,730	131,125	10,500	141,625		28,625	113,000
Republic "	1,476,580	252,095	1,728,675	1,747,705	303,350	2,051,055		410,055	1,641,000
Richmond "	386,986	55,774	442,760	509,400	338,950	848,350		169,350	679,000
Sands "	86,015	13,165	99,180	247,915	75,380	323,295		64,295	259,000
Skandia "	204,277	11,550	215,827	667,435	38,050	705,485		140,485	565,000
Turin "	398,065	4,400	402,465	588,780	5,550	594,330		119,330	475,000
Tilden "	2,119,780	46,850	2,166,630	1,890,985	167,650	2,058,635		411,635	1,647,000
West Branch "	106,821		106,821	314,813	8,100	322,913		64,913	258,000
Wells "	223,600	3,300	226,900	588,650	7,950	596,600		119,600	477,000
Powell "	854,681	169,700	1,024,381	1,277,140	426,900	1,704,040		341,040	1,363,000
Total	48,750,588	7,066,722	55,817,310	52,162,248	12,281,052	64,443,300		12,891,300	51,552,000

A. J. Yungbluth,
Chairman Equalization Committee.

October 22nd, 1913.

The following report of Finance and Taxation was read.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, having had the matter under consideration, would respectfully recommend that there be raised by taxation the current year the following amount for the purpose herein set forth.

State Tax	\$ 202,724.10	\$ 202,724.10
County Tax		
General Fund	80,000.00	
Poor Fund	55,000.00	
Court House bonds	10,000.00	
Marquette Agricultural society	3,000.00	
Soldier's relief fund	500.00	
Agricultural tax-Act 88, P.A. of 1913	1,000.00	149,500.00
County Road Tax		<u>50,000.00</u>
		\$ 402,224.10

The same to be apportioned as follows.

	State Tax	County Tax	County Road Tax
Marquette City	34,774.37	25,644.57	8,576.78
Ishpeming City	48,950.75	36,099.01	12,073.25
Negaunee City	60,374.43	44,523.45	14,890.79
Champion Township	4,514.42	3,329.18	1,113.44
Chocolay "	1,596.56	1,177.39	393.78
Ely "	4,211.62	3,105.88	1,038.76
Forsyth "	11,502.32	8,482.46	2,836.94
Humboldt "	1,407.81	1,038.19	347.22
Ishpeming "	2,961.11	2,183.69	730.33
Marquette "	1,333.09	983.08	328.79
Michigamme "	1,694.87	1,249.89	418.02
Negaunee "	444.36	327.70	109.60
Powell "	5,359.88	3,952.69	1,321.96
Republic "	6,453.10	4,758.88	1,591.59
Richmond "	2,670.11	1,969.09	658.56
Sands "	1,018.49	751.10	251.20
Skandia "	2,221.81	1,638.49	547.99
Tilden "	6,476.69	4,776.28	1,597.42
Turin "	1,867.99	1,377.49	460.70
Wells "	1,875.76	1,383.29	462.64
West Branch "	1,014.56	748.20	250.24
	<u>\$ 202,724.10</u>	<u>\$ 149,500.00</u>	<u>\$ 50,000.00</u>

Total.

Respectfully submitted,

G.R. Jackson,

Chairman Finance & Taxation.

Moved and supported that the report of the Finance and Taxation Committee be adopted, and that the taxes therein mentioned be levied and apportioned according to said report.

The report was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote.

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Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.
 Nays-none.

The following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-35.
 Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your committee on Finance and Taxation, to whom was referred the matter of reporting on the several taxes to be raised in the several cities and townships of said county for the said 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:

Marquette City.

State Tax	34,774.37
County Tax	25,644.57
County Road Tax	8,576.78
Library Tax	11,054.11
Special assessments	42,969.28
City tax, general purposes	64,123.80
School tax	55,000.00
One mill tax	11,054.11
Fire and Water tax	25,150.00
Rejected tax	255.73
Total.	\$ 278,602.75

Ishpeming City.

State Tax	48,950.75
County Tax	36,099.01
County Road Tax	12,073.25
City contingent Fund	25,000.00
Highway fund	35,000.00
Library Tax	6,500.00
Fire Fund Tax	8,000.00
School Tax	65,000.00
One mill school tax	15,560.07
Sewer Fund	10,500.00
Rejected tax	91.48
Cemetery fund tax	1,000.00
Total.	\$ 263,774.56

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Negaunee City.

State Tax	60,374.43
County Tax	44,523.45
County Road Tax	14,890.79
City tax, general fund	16,500.00
Street and Highway tax	39,000.00
Fire fund tax	8,000.00
One mill tax	19,191.93
School tax	50,000.00
Library Tax	1,000.00
Rejected tax	1.96
Special tax	7,000.00
Dilenquent Sidewalk tax	870.58
Total.	261,353.14

Champion Township.

State Tax	4,514.42
County Tax	3,329.18
County Road Tax	1,113.44
Township contingent tax	1,500.00
Highway improvement tax	1,500.00
Road repair tax	1,000.00
School tax	6,000.00
One mill tax	1,435.68
Rejected tax	7.16
Total.	\$ 20,399.88

Chocolay Township.

State tax	1,596.56
County tax	1,177.39
County Road tax	393.78
Township contingent tax	1,000.00
Highway improvement tax	388.40
Road repair tax	388.40
School tax	2,000.00
One mill tax	507.52
Rejected tax	20.84
Total.	\$ 7,472.89

Ely Township.

State tax	4,211.62
County tax	3,105.88
County Road tax	1,038.76
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	2,000.00
Road repair tax	2,000.00
School tax	3,000.00

Ely Township continued.

Bridge tax	1000.00
One mill tax	1339.23
Rejected tax	<u>2.38</u>
Total.	\$ 19697.87

Forsyth Township.

State Tax	11,502.32
County Tax	8,482.46
County Road Tax	2,836.94
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	4,500.00
Road repair tax	2,500.00
School tax	22,000.00
Bridge tax	500.00
Town Hall Tax	2500.00
One mill tax	3657.27
Rejected tax	24.68
School building tax	<u>1000.00</u>
Total.	\$ 61,503.67

Humboldt Township.

State Tax	1,407.81
County Tax	1,038.19
County Road Tax	347.22
Township contingent tax	1,000.00
Highway improvement tax	800.00
Road repair tax	800.00
School tax	3,800.00
Bridge tax	600.00
One mill tax	447.37
School building tax	<u>1,200.00</u>
Total.	\$ 11,440.59

Ishpeming Township.

State Tax	2,961.11
County Tax	2,183.69
County Road Tax	730.33
Township contingent tax	1,800.00
Highway improvement tax	1,800.00
Road repair tax	1,800.00
One mill tax	941.47
Rejected tax	6.04
School building tax	1,100.00
School tax	<u>5,300.24</u>
Bridge tax	<u>600.00</u>
Total.	19,222.88

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Marquette Township.

State Tax	1,333.09
County Tax	983.08
County Road Tax	328.79
Township contingent tax	500.00
Highway improvement tax	1,000.00
Road repair tax	700.00
School tax	250.00
One mill tax	423.66
Total.	\$ 5,518.62

Michigamme Township.

State Tax	1,694.87
County Tax	1,249.89
County Road Tax	418.02
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	1,970.17
Road repair tax	1,970.17
School tax	6,000.00
One mill tax	538.67
Rejected tax	9.97
Total	\$ 15,851.76

Negaunee Township.

State Tax	444.36
County Tax	327.70
County Road Tax	109.60
Township contingent tax	600.00
Highway improvement tax	300.00
Road repair tax	300.00
School tax	1900.00
Bridge tax	150.00
One mill tax	141.63
Rejected tax	5.08
Total.	\$ 4778.37

Powell Township.

State tax	5359.88
County tax	3952.69
County road tax	1321.96
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	2500.00
Road repair tax	3000.00
School tax	3000.00
One mill tax	1704.04
Rejected tax	41.01
School building tax	4000.00
Bond tax	1000.00
Town Hall tax	5000.00
	\$ 32879.58

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Republic Township.

State tax	6453.10
County Tax	4758.88
County Road tax	1591.59
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	2000.00
Road repair tax	1000.00
School tax	15800.00
Water Fund Tax	1850.00
One mill tax	2051.06
Rejected tax	20.78
Total.	\$ 37525.41

Richmond Township.

State Tax	2670.11
County tax	1969.09
County road tax	658.56
Township contingent tax	1500.00
Highway improvement tax	1250.00
Road repair tax	1250.00
School tax	6625.00
Bridge tax	800.00
One mill tax	848.35
Rejected tax	10.66
Total.	\$ 17581.77

Sands Township.

State tax	1018.49
County tax	751.10
County road tax	251.20
Township contingent tax	700.00
Highway improvement tax	495.00
Road repair tax	495.00
School tax	750.00
One mill tax	323.30
Rejected tax	2.28
Total.	\$ 4786.37

SRandia Township.

State Tax	2221.81
County tax	1638.49
County road tax	547.99
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Highway improvement tax	1025.00
Road repair tax	1025.00
School tax	1500.00
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	2705.99
Rejected tax	11.54
Total.	\$ 10175.82

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Tilden Township.

State Tax	6476.69
County tax	4776.28
County road tax	1597.42
Township contingent tax	1200.00
Highway improvement tax	1000.00
Road repair tax	2000.00
School tax	6500.00
One mill tax	2058.64
Rejected tax	12.74
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Total.	\$ 25621.77

Turin Township.

State Tax	1867.99
County tax	11377.49
County road tax	460.70
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	1672.80
Road repair tax	1672.80
School tax	2506.00
Bridge tax	1000.00
One mill tax	594.33
Rejected tax	7.79
School building tax	1782.99
Bond tax	2600.00
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Total.	\$ 17542.89

Wells Township.

State Tax	1875.76
County tax	1383.29
County road tax	462.64
Township contingent tax	2000.00
Highway improvement tax	1179.00
Road repair tax	1179.00
School tax	2500.00
Bridge tax	900.00
One mill tax	596.60
Rejected tax	20.53
School building tax	500.00
Bond tax	1100.00
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Total.	\$ 13696.82

West Branch Township.

State Tax	11014.56
County tax	748.20
County Road tax	250.24
Township contingent tax	1000.00
Highway improvement tax	455.82

December, 3rd, 1913.

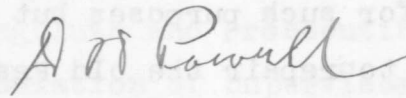
West Branch Township continued.

Road repair tax	455.82
School tax	1000.00
One mill tax	322.91
Rejected tax	<u>5.08</u>
Total.	\$ 5252.63

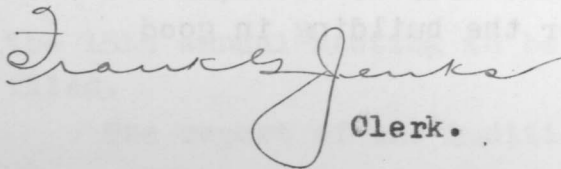
G.R. Jackson,

Chairman Finance and Taxation Committee.

No further business to come before the meeting the board adjourned-until Wednesday the 3rd day of December, A.D. 1913, at 11 o'clock A.M.



Chairman.



Clerk.

December, 3rd, 1913.

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 Wednesday the 3rd day of December A.D. 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman D.W. Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllumaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, chairman-36.

Absent- Deutsch, Jackson-2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Godd Will Farm acknowledging receipt of appropriation of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) was read and ordered filed. Upon motion duly made and seconded J.H. Kaye was unanimously elected County School Examiner for the ensuing two years.

The report of the auditing committee was read and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Ohas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell-36.

Nays-none.

The following report of the Supplies and Expenditures Committee was read and adopted. To the Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Supplies and Expenditures beg leave to report that ninety-six (96) windows in the Court House have been equiped with metal weather strips according to your instructions and the work has been inspected and accepted. With the work done last year this completes the building with these strips, with the exception of the Register of Deeds office, which is supplied with storm windows. Your committee has also

Weather Strip equipment on all Court House windows

December 3rd, 1913.

repaired the root house and porch at Jail as instructed.

Respectfully submitted,

- R.T.Smith,
- J.R.Hudson,
- A.Collick,
- J.O.Thomas,
- Wm.Corkill,
- W.John Chapman,
- R.J.MacKenzie.

The following report of the Special Committee was read and adopted.

To the Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:- Your special committee to whom was entrusted the duty of renting or providing a Pest House for small pox cases would respectfully report that we endeavored to rent a house for such purposes but were unable to make satisfactory arrangements, so we decided to repair the old Pest House, which we have done at a cost of about seventy-five dollars (\$75.00). We now consider the building in good condition for this winter.

- J.F.Zerbel,
- H.S.Thompson,
- Victor R.Fahlstedt,
- W.John Chapman.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, County School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 7th day of January A.D. 1914 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Frank Jenkins
 Clerk.

Chairman.
D. H. Powell

Pest House Committee

January, 7th, 1914.

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 Wednesday the 7th day of January A.D. 1914.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, D.W.Powell.

The roll being called, the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, chairman-33.

Absent- Deutsch, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Siebenthal, Thompson-5.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with. Communications from the Secretary of the Michigan State Tax Association announcing State Conference on Taxation to be held at Kalamazoo on February 15th and 16th, were read and upon motion duly made and seconded the following supervisors were named as delegates to said meeting, Supervisors Powell, Yungbluth and Prosecuting Attorney Kennedy.

A communication from the State Association of Supervisors of Michigan announcing the 15th annual meeting to be held at Lansing February 3rd, 1914, was read and ordered filed.

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

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, chairman-33. Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, School Commissioner and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The following report and resolution of Special Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell-33. Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

January 6th, 1914.

Whereas, By Act No.336 of the Public Acts of 1913, the Legislature made a reappointment of the representative districts of this state by which the County of Marquette is entitled to two representatives in the State legislature, as formerly, but in accordance with section 2486, Compiled Laws of 1897. It is the duty of this board to make a new division of the county into two representative districts:

Resolved, That the County of Marquette be and is hereby divided into two representative districts:

Resolved: That the County of Marquette be and is hereby divided into two representative districts:

The First District Shall Comprise.

	Population last census.
Chocoley Township	852
Marquette "	155
Negaunee "	157
Richmond "	911
Sands "	159

Representative Districts

Skandia Township	546
Turin "	202
West Branch "	304
Powell "	636
Marquette City	11,503
Negaunee City	<u>8,460</u>
	23,985

The second District Shall Comprise.

	Population last census.
Tilden Township	1,150
Champion "	1,069
Ely "	922
Humboldt "	604
Ishpeming "	587
Michigamme "	846
Republic "	2,420
Wells "	306
Forsyth "	2,402
Ishpeming City	<u>12,448</u>
	22,754

Further Resolved, That the County Clerk be and is hereby instructed to transmit forthwith to the secretary of state a description of such districts, specifying the number and the population as herein above given.

F.H.Vandenboom,
John Stickney,
W.S.Ewing,
Committee.

The following communication and resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Kesse, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, Chairman-33.
Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

January 6th, 1914.

Gentlemen:- Mr. John Rough our County Game Warden has called my attention to the fact that he has to pay his traveling and other expenses while out patrolling his district as County Game Warden. This is of course only for the half of the month he is engaged on county business, the time he is working for the State he is paid his expenses by the state, and it seems to me only fair that he should also be allowed his expenses when on county work. I therefore respectfully submit the following resolution:

Be it resolved that the County pay the County Game Warden the salary of fifty dollars (\$50.00) a month and expenses incurred when on county business not to exceed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) in any one month.

W.M.Corkill.

The following resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Filed, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Kese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, Chairman-33.
Nays-none.

Game Warden salary

February 11th, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette, County, Michigan.

January 7th, 1914.

Gentlemen:- Be it resolved, That the sum of Four hundred forty dollars and fifty cents (\$440.50), which is the County's share of moneys obtained from the sale of Resident deer hunters' licenses for the season 1913 be used toward paying the salary of the Game Warden for the year 1914.

W.S.Ewing.

Supervisors Vandeenboom moved that the Nurse's Salary at the Poor House be raised from \$35.00 to \$45.00 per month. Said motion was seconded and carried by the following yeas and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Charles, J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Lason, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Stickney, Swanson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, Chairman-33.

Nays-none.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday, the 11th day of February, A.D. 1914 at 11:00 A.M.

D.W. Powell

Chairman.

Frank Jenkins

Clerk.

February, 11th, 1914.

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 Wednesday the 11th day of January A.D. 1914.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, chairman-35.

Absent- Deutsch, Fahlstedt, Vandeenboom-3.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the New York Commercial Tercentenary Commission regarding space for exhibits at exhibition was read and ordered filed.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nay vote:

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Kese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell chairman-35.

Nays-none.

The chairman of the County Officers Accounts Committee submitted the following report of the County Auditor, which was adopted and ordered filed.

Marquette, Michigan, Jan.30,1914.

Hon.H.S.Thompson, Chairman and members of the committee on County Officers' Accounts.

Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- According to your instructions I have examined the books and records of the County Treasurer, County Clerk, County Road Commissioners, Superintendents of the Poor, Soldiers Relief Commission and the Criminal Dockets of the Justices of the Peace in the Cities of Ishpeming, Marquette and Negaunee, from January 1,1913 to January 1,1914 and herewith submit my report.

See document money

Nurse's salary raised

Report County Auditor

February 11th, 1914.

and herewith submit my report.

The receipts and disbursements of the County Treasurer and balance of cash on hand at close of December 31, 1913, as shown by the books and records in the offices of the County Treasurer, County Clerk and Statements of the Auditor General are correct.

I find vouchers for all disbursements of the Treasurer and duplicate receipts on file with the County Clerk for the Treasurer's miscellaneous collections, all of which I have checked with the Treasurer's books and have sealed the vouchers for disbursements and filed them with the County Clerk.

The Receipts and Disbursements of Joseph Barabe, County Treasurer, from January 1, to close of December 31, 1913, were as follows:-
(as details ^{of receipts} and disbursements are submitted by the Treasurer each year to the Board of Supervisors they are omitted from this report.)

RECEIPTS.

From all sources including balance Jan. 1, 1913	\$589,983.10
Disbursements	<u>538,094.39</u>
Balance Cash on hand January 1, 1914	\$ 51,888.71

I have counted the cash in the Treasurer's office and checked the bank account and find the balance of \$51,888.71 was on hand in the Treasurer's office and in the First National Bank of Negaunee to the credit of the County Treasurer at the close of Dec. 31, 1913.

I have checked the Treasurer's records with the monthly and quarterly statements of the Auditor General and find the same correct.

With the exception of some errors, all of which have now been corrected, the Cities and Townships have received credit for all Tax collections of the County Treasurer to December 31, 1913, and the Tax Collections of the Auditor General to September 30, 1913. They also have been properly credited with the Primary School Funds, Library Funds and Liquor Taxes, and debited with the Refunds and Rejected and Charged back taxes of the Auditor General.

The balances due to and from Cities and Townships, January 1, 1914, as shown by the Treasurer's Ledger are correct, (the adjustments of a few errors having been made before the books were closed for December 1913,) and are as follows:-

Due to

Marquette City	\$ 681.50
Champion Township	61.22
Ohocolay Township	52.22
Ely Township	55.48
Forsyth Township	26.47
Humboldt Township	17.97
Ishpeming Township	39.20
Negaunee Township	38.00
Michigamme Township	187.41
Powell Township	89.60
Republic Township	65.45
Sands Township	141.45
Skandia Township	42.17
Turin Township	55.17
Wells Township	160.34
West Branch Township	<u>50.72</u>
Total.	\$ 1,764.67

Due from

Ishpeming City	\$50.18
Negaunee City	1.11
Marquette Township	43.74
Richmond Township	6.48
Tilden Township	<u>11.66</u>

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Less Total due from Cities and Townships	<u>\$113.17</u>
Net amount due Cities and Townships (Nothing due the State)	\$ 1,651.50

Order and certificates outstanding January 1, 1914, appear as follows:-

GENERAL FUND.

Outstanding Jan.1 1913 and issued in 1913	\$95,483.22
Paid in 1913	<u>94,086.21</u>
Outstanding Jan.1 1914.	
Prior to 1913	\$ 352.37
Issued in 1913, see list in Clerk's office	<u>\$1,044.64</u>
	\$1,397.01

GENERAL POOR FUND.

Outstanding Jan.1,1913 and issued in 1913	\$ 52,210.68
Paid in 1913	<u>52,011.32</u>
Outstanding January 1,1914	199.36

COUNTY ROAD FUND.

Outstanding Jan.1,1913 and issued in 1913	\$ 41,734.64
Paid in 1913	<u>41,626.85</u>
Outstanding Jan.1,1914	107.79
(All issued prior to Jan.1,1913.)	

SOLDIERS RELIEF FUND.

Outstanding Jan.1, 1913 and issued in 1913	\$ 1,445.27
Paid in 1913	<u>1,364.28</u>
Outstanding Jan.1,1914.	80.99

JURORS CERTIFICATES.

Outstanding Jan.1,1913 and issued in 1913	\$ 7,503.60
Paid in 1913	<u>7,439.80</u>
Outstanding Jan.1,1914	63.80

WITNESS CERTIFICATES.

Outstanding Jan.1,1913 and issued in 1913	364.40
Paid in 1913	<u>354.10</u>
Outstanding Jan.1,1914	10.30

Total orders and certificates outstanding Jan.1,1914	\$ 1,859.25
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The Liabilities of the County Jan.1,1914 appear as follows:-

Court House bonds outstanding	\$ 10,000.00
Court House bonds outstanding (paid in Jan.1914)	10,000.00
Morgan Heights Sanitarium Bonds	15,000.00
County Orders and Certificates outstanding	1,859.25
Due Cities, Townships and State	1,651.50
Library Fund (Fines)	2,387.50
Teachers Institute fees	361.80
Trust Funds	616.97
Condemnation Cases	24.50
Total.	<u>\$41,901.52</u>

February 11th, 1914.

Less-

Cash on hand Jan.1,1914	\$51,888.71
Interest on balance due from First Nat'l Bank Negaunee	<u>2,201.75</u>
Total.	\$ 54,090.46

Cash assets in excess of Liabilities	\$ 12,188.94
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NOTE- The above Liabilities do not include the claims filed or allowed since the session of the Board of Supervisors, December 3, 1913.

I have examined the Court Journals and Calendars and find the County Clerk's collections were as follows:-

Entry Fees	\$320.00
Jury Fees	54.00
Stenographer Fees	66.00
Fines	1,637.00
Costs (in criminal cases)	<u>219.50</u>
Total.	\$ 2,296.50

All of which has been paid to the County Treasurer.

The records of the County Clerk as Register in Chancery show a balance in the hands of the Clerk of \$2,793.96 and the bank pass books and statements show this amount on hand to the credit of the Register in Chancery at close of December 31,1913.

I have examined the Criminal Dockets of the Justices of the Peace in Cities of Marquette, Ishpeming and Negaunee and the Docket of the late Justice Gill of Champion.

The Fines collected as shown by the Dockets are as follows:-

City of Marquette.	
S.E.Byrne	\$484.00
John Robertson	20.00
L.P.Crary	6.00
City of Ishpeming.	
John West	305.20
City of Negaunee.	
Wm.VerRan	10.00
Irving H.Argall	202.50
John Alpine	119.50
The late W.J.Gill of Champion	<u>11.00</u>
Total.	\$ 1,158.20

All of which was paid to the County Treasurer in 1913 and January 1914.

The accounts of the County Road Commissioners as shown by the County Clerk's records are correct.

The accounts in detail of the disbursements of the County Road Fund, kept in the office of Engineer Hillyer, I have not examined.

The books and records of the Superintendents of the Poor and those of the Soldiers Relief Commission have with the exception of two or three minor errors been correctly kept.

I would again suggest for the consideration of the Board, the advisability of allowing the Sanitarium credit for the ^{non-}paying patients in order that the actual deficit may be more readily seen.

I desire to say that I have as usual received prompt assistance from the County Officers whenever requested.

Respectfully submitted,

J.A.Dresser,
Accountant.

February 11th, 1914.

The following report of the Committee on Legislation was adopted and ordered filed.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Relative to communication of Mr. James W. Helme, Superintendent of Weights and Measures of Michigan, of Oct. 10th., advising that we could appoint a County Sealer of Weights and Measures, we beg to recommend that the communication be received and placed on file.

W.S. Siebenthal,
F.E. Keese,
H.S. Nightingale,
G.R. Jackson.

Members of Committee on Legislation.

The Special Committee which was appointed to attend the State Tax Association meeting submitted the following report, which was ordered filed.

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

Gentlemen:- Your committee appointed to attend the Third Conference on Taxation, held under the auspices of the Michigan State Tax Association, at Kalamazoo, Michigan, on January 15th and 16th, respectfully presents this report:

Your committee attended the three sessions of the State Tax Association. The interesting papers and discussions at these sessions related principally to general taxation matters. A considerable portion of the discussion related to the taxation of railroads and the comparative taxes paid by the railroads of Michigan and the general property of the State. An instructive paper upon the recent Federal Income Tax Law, by Mr. George Clapperton, United States Collector of Internal Revenue, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, was read at the first session.

Mr. Thomas D. Kearney, a member of the State Tax Commission, addressed the conference at the third session upon the work of the State Tax Commission. Mr. Kearney reviewed the work of the commission, and his paper, taken in connection with the general discussion of the work of the Board of State Tax Commissioners, which followed the reading of his paper, suggested that some important changes may be made in the policy of the Board, especially in the manner of reviewing the assessments in the counties of this State. The suggestion was that instead of sending its representatives into the counties not already reviewed, the Board of State Tax Commissioners should work in conjunction with the local assessing officers, and in the event that they were satisfied that the local assessing officers were assessing property at its cash value, it would be unnecessary for the Board of State Tax Commissioners to send their field representatives into such counties to inspect all the property and to review the assessments of such counties in the manner in which counties already assessed have been reviewed.

Your committee believes that it would probably be impossible for the Board of State Tax Commissioners to determine that local assessing officers in counties not already reviewed have done their full duty and have assessed property in such counties at its cash value, unless they investigate assessments with the same degree of thoroughness used in this and other counties already reviewed, and that if there is some relaxation in the work of State Tax Commission, it may possibly result in counties already reviewed paying an unjust proportion of the State tax. Your committee is of the opinion that in this respect all counties of the State should be treated alike and that the work of the State Tax Commission should be equally thorough in all counties and be conducted in the same manner throughout the state.

Except for the suggestions embodied in this report, nothing of special interest transpired at the Tax Conference in relation to taxation matters of interest to this county.

Dated February 10, 1914.

Respectfully submitted,

D.W. Powell,
Chairman.

M.J. Kennedy.

Report Special Committee
State Tax Association.

February 11th, 1914.

Supervisors Powell and Ewing who were delegates to the meeting of the State Association of Supervisors made verbal reports.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, County School Commissioner and County Game Warden were read and ordered filed.

The report of the County Road Commission for 1913 was read and ordered filed.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Herewith is the eight annual report of the County Road Commission, showing receipts and expenditures since its organization in October 1905 to January 1st, 1914, and operations during the year 1913.

W.H. Johnston,

M.M. Duncan,

J.E. Sherman.

County Road Commissioners.

Statement of Total Receipts and Expenditures.

Total Taxes Collected	\$277,955.70
State Reward	15,340.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	<u>1,031.53</u>
Total Cash Receipts	\$294,327.23
Total Expenditures	<u>289,369.63</u>
Cash in County Treasury	\$ 4,957.60
Accounts Receivable	<u>2,954.80</u>
Net Balance.	\$ 7,912.40

The following resolution was read and unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, the sound and material welfare and development of a community rests to a great extent upon its accessibility, and

WHEREAS, a large portion of this State traversed by the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic Railway from Michigamme to Bessemer is inaccessible because of the absence of highways, and

WHEREAS, the building of such necessary highways would be hastened were a State Reward Trunk Line Highway to be established from Michigamme to Bessemer paralleling as nearly as possible the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic Railway between those points,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County do recommend to the Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, that it join with the Board of County Road Commissioners of the Counties of Gogebic, Houghton, Baraga and Ontonagon in petitioning the State Highway Commissioner to take such steps as will be necessary to establish such a State Reward Trunk Line Highway.

In accordance with section 2506 and 2507 of the Compiled Laws of 1897 the Clerk presented a list of unclaimed County Orders and Certificates issued in 1907 and prior years upon motion duly seconded and carried these were ordered turned over to the Chairman of County Officers Accounts to be destroyed.

A motion that a County warrant for \$25.00 be issued in favor of the Michigan State Tax Association, and one for \$10.00 to the State Association of Supervisors, was made, seconded and carried by the following vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Ewing, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafrenier, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Yungbluth, Zerbelle, Powell chairman-35.

Nays-none.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 25th day of March A.D. 1914 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Frank J. ...
Clerk.

D. N. Powell
Chairman.

Resolutions
 Unclaimed accounts to be destroyed.
 Warrant issued to State Assoc. of Supervisors & State Tax Assoc.

March 25th, 1914.

March 25th, 1914.

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 Wednesday the 25th day of March A.D. 1914.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, MacKenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, Chairman-36.

Absent: Myllymaki, Pierce-2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Michigan State Tax Association acknowledging receipt of the subscription of \$25.00 was read and ordered filed.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Lafreniere, Larson, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Nightingale, Olson, Smith, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Thomas, Trembath, Vandeenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel, Powell, chairman-36.

Nays-none.

The following reports of the County Officers Accounts committee were received and adopted:

Marquette, Mich., March 25th, 1914.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on County Officers Accounts would recommend that the County Treasurer be directed to furnish Mr.V.S.Hillyer, Superintendent for the County Road commission, at least quarterly, a statement showing all credits made to the County Road Fund so that Mr.Hillyer's books may be kept in agreement with those of the County Treasurer, and discrepancies as reported by Mr.J.A.Dresser, County Auditor, in his report dated February 12th, 1914, be avoided.

Respectfully submitted,

H.S.Thompson,
W.H.Trembath,
Oscar Field,
Louis Lafreniere,
Gust Larson,
J.F.Zerbel,
Chas.J.Johnson,
Henry Arnold,
James Kennaugh.

Committee on County Officers Accounts.

Marquette, Mich., March 25th, 1914.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:- I beg to report that forty-four unclaimed County orders amounting to \$35.05 which were more than six years old and which were handed to me at the last meeting of the Board to be destroyed, have been burned.

H.S.Thompson,

Chairman.

Comm. on County Officers Accounts.

Warrant destroyed

March 25th, 1914.

The following report of the County Auditor was received and ordered filed:

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 12, 1914.

Hon. H. S. Thompson, Chairman, and members of the Committee on County Officers' Accounts.

Gentlemen:- I have compared the account of the Receipts and Expenditures of the County Road Commission, kept by County Road Engineer Hillyer, with the account of the County Treasurer, from October 1905, to January 1st, 1914, and herewith submit my report:

Total receipts as shown by the County Treasurer's account	\$295,557.35
Total amount shown on the County Road Commissions books	<u>294,327.23</u>
Difference.	\$ 1,230.12

The difference is principally composed of Tax collections not entered on the Road Commissioner's books.

Balance to the credit of the County Road Commissioners, as shown by the County Treasurer's account at close of December 31st, 1913	\$ 14,110.06
Balance in hands of County Treasurer as shown by the books of the Road Commission	\$ 4,957.60
Add tax collections not entered	<u>1,230.12</u>
Total Balance in hands of County Treasurer as shown by books of County Road Commissioners when adjusted	\$ <u>6,187.72</u>
Balance as shown by the County Treasurer's books in excess of Balance shown on County Road Commissioner's books	\$ 7,922.34
Time orders in hands of the treasurer	4,175.92
County road warrants drawn in 1913, paid by treasurer in 1914	<u>3,624.07</u>
Total	\$ 7,799.99

Balance, which represents time orders and warrants outstanding \$ 122.35

If a quarterly statement was obtained from the Treasurer showing the various credits and debits, the engineer would be in position to reconcile his account with that of the Treasurer with but little trouble.

I have made the necessary entries in pencil on the books of the County Road Commissioners to show the correct balance.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. Dresser, Accountant.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, School Commissioner and Jail Inspectors were read in part and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read and adopted.

Resolved, that the sum of One Thousand Dollars, (\$1000.00) raised by taxation for the current year, in pursuance of Act No. 88 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1913, be and the same is hereby appropriated to the support and work and maintenance of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, a legal development bureau organized under the Laws of Michigan, and that the County Treasurer of the County of Marquette be and is hereby authorized and empowered to pay the tax so raised to the said Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, a corporation.

W. S. Ewing.

Whereupon the board adjourned sine die.

Frank Jensen
Clerk.

D. H. Powell
Chairman.

Appropriation
Upper Peninsula Development Bureau

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ROMAN BOND

April, 29th, 1914.

April, 29th, 1914.

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 Wednesday, the 29th day of April, A.D. 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk Frank G. Jenks, and the following call was read.

Marquette, Michigan.

April 8th, 1914.

Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Dear Sir:- You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said County, to convene at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 29th day of April, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A.M. for the organization of such business as may properly come before the said meeting.

A. J. Yungbluth, R. Matthews, Alfred Collick, F. E. Keese, H. Thompson, R. T. Smith, H. S. Nightingale, S. S. Mitchell, Chas. Johnson, D. W. Powell, John Stickney, F. H. Vandenboom, W. S. Ewing, Ralph J. Mackenzie and James Kennaugh.

Supervisor Collick placed the name of Daniel W. Powell in nomination for chairman for the board for the ensuing year.

Said motion duly seconded was unanimously carried.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-32. Absent: Deutsch, Johnson, F. J., Keupper, Mitchell, Swanson, Yungbluth-6.

Moved, supported and carried that the rules governing the last board be adopted as the rules to govern this board for the ensuing year.

The reading of the minutes of the preceeding meeting was, upon motion dispensed with.

The following petition was read and upon motion duly made and seconded referred to the committee on Highways and Bridges.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen: We the undersigned taxpayers of Chocolay Township hereby petition your honorable body to appropriate the sum of One thousand dollars to aid aforesaid Township in building a bridge across Chocolay river in Section 24, Township 47, Range 24 West.

Wm. M. Zerbel, Carl Kunde, W. F. Koepp, Theodore Huebner, Fred Dorow, Carl Zerbel, S. T. McReavy, Ernest Wittler, August Gutzman, August Dorow, John Voce, A. O. Olson, Gust Koepp, Samuel Gutzman, Robt. A. Zerbel, August Raake, Henry Lewke, Fred Lewke, Johnson Lewke, Herman Poule.

The following petition was read and it was moved and supported that \$300.00 now in the hands of the treasurer be appropriated in accordance with this petition upon the completion of the work and when approved by the Highways and Bridges committee said petition was carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel and Powell-32.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., April 29, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- In behalf of the people of Negaunee township and the public in general, I beg to ask for an appropriation of \$300.00 towards helping pay for the repair work of the Goose Lake Road. As this road is in very bad shape and having a great deal of traffic from all parts of the county, any donation this board sees fit to allow will be greatly

Petition Chocolay Twp.

Petition for appropriation Negaunee Twp.

April, 29th, 1914.

appreciated. Owing to Negaunee township not having enough funds to repair same properly is my reason for asking assistance.

The traffic on this road is traveled principally by the public in general not the farmers of Negaunee township.

Ralph J. Mackenzie.

Supervisor Negaunee Township.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Mackenzie, Siebenthal
Manley, Matthews, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-32.

Nays-none.

The following report of special committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kennaugh, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-32.

Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of recommending the amount of compensation to be paid the Probation Officer, would respectfully recommend that said officer be paid at the same rate as now paid the truant officer viz:- three dollars per day and necessary expenses while actually engaged in the discharge of the duties as said Probation Officer. We further recommend that said Probation Officer file with the County Clerk a monthly report of his work stating names of parties visited, place and date of visit.

W.S. Ewing,
J.F. Zerbel,
R. Matthews.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, County Commissioner of schools and County Game Warden, were read in part and ordered filed.

On motion duly made and seconded W.H. Johnston was unanimously elected County Road Commissioner for the ensuing three (3) years.

On motion duly made and seconded N.J. Robbins was elected the County Physician for the ensuing year.

It was moved, supported and carried that the chair appoint a committee of three to renew hospital contracts and to fix a rate for watchman in contagious diseases. The chair appointed the following Supervisors Ewing, Fahlstedt and Field as members of this committee.

Dr. F. McD. Harkin, was elected Jail Physician for the ensuing year upon condition that he enter a similar contract as of the previous year.

It was moved, supported and carried that Supervisors Powell and Jackson and Prosecuting Attorney Kennedy act as a committee to sell the House and Lot at Swanzy dedeed to the Morgan Heights Sanitarium by Mr. Ohlean.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday, the 27th day of May, A.D. 1914 at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

Francis James
Clerk.

A. N. Powell
Chairman.

Probation Officer

May 27th, 1914.

May 27th, 1914.

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 Wednesday the 27th day of May, A.D. 1914, at 10:30 o'clock.A.M.

In the absence of the chairman, D.W.Powell, it was moved and supported that F.E. Keese act as temporary chairman of this meeting, carried.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deuttsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson,F.J., Johnson,Charles,Johnson,Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel-35.

Absent: Jackson, Thompson, Powell-3.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

The petition of Soren C.Miller,Sr., and 90 others for the extension of the present Sands and Marquette Road was on motion duly supported and carried referred to the board of County Road Commissioners.

To the County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette.

Gentlemen:- We the undersigned resident farmers, residing in the territory served by the present Sands Marquette road and who would be served by an extension of said road to Gwinn, and resident business men of Marquette, Gwinn and Princeton, hereby petition your honorable body to take over into the system of county roads the Sands Marquette road leading from the limits of the City of Marquette to Sands and to open a new road along the most feasible route from near the corner of Sections ten (10), eleven (11), fourteen (14), and fifteen (15) of Town 46-25 to the Town of Gwinn. Attached hereto is a diagram showing the present road and a proposed route which would be of greatest service to the resident farmers.

Soren C.Miller,Sr., and 90 others: Michael J.Ward, Soren C.Miller,Jr., E.L.Mahaffay, Fred Yell, Ivan Peterson, Russell Carrier, Eston Comstock, Alfred Flodin, Thomas Pigott, Frank Block, John Johnson, O.Christianson, Edward Munson, C.F.Broisch, Ole Anderson, Adam Laramie, Thos.Nichelson, Charlotte J.Broden, Nels Jensen, John Dahlstrom, John Flodin, D.S.Comstock, Wilbert Contois, Ernest Yell, Joseph Yelle, Oscar J.Olson, Rasmus Olson, Severine Miller, Hans Jensen, Joseph Contois, Sr. Joseph Contois,Jr., Louis Contois, Adolph Contois, Louis Hille, Henry Young, Fred Young, Hans Olsen, Wilbert Munson, Peter Miller, Christian Miller, Albert Barry, O.Koch, C.F.Willesen, Fred S.Case, James Russell, G.A.Carlson, F.T.Lewis, Joseph Raby, A.H.Goodman,George W.Goodman, A.G.Buchman, W.S.Nelson, Peter Oscar Nyquist, John B.Pratt, M.E.Koski, Geo.C.Hirwas, Richard Quayle, John T.Wills, G.R.Jackson,M.E.Manigold, Frank Vercellino, B.J.Goodman, Wm.Rivers, Sr., J.H.Lewis, Wm.Dorais, A.M.Barry, H.M.Cunningham, P.Rauer, George W. Freeman, J.F.Neidhart, D.M.Nason, Andrew E.Peterson, R.J.Kelly,J.P.Werner, F.H.Begole, Austin Farrell, J.G.Reynolds, D.W.Powell, A.T.Roberts, Frank J.Jennison, E.C.Watson, Charles F.Schock, W.H.Tierney, Andrew Flodin, J.C.Gannon.

The following petition of Chas,R.Swanson, was received and on motion duly seconded was received and on motion duly seconded the sum of \$200.00 was appropriated out of any funds now in the hands of the County Treasurer, not otherwise appropriated towards helping said Township build a bridge across Chocolay river, in accordance with said petition was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas:- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson,F.J., Johnson,Chas.,Johnson,Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel- 35.
Nays-none.

Marquette, Michigan.
May 27th, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

In behalf of the People of West Branch Township I beg to ask your Honorable Body for the appropriation of \$200.00 towards helping said township build a bridge over Chocolay river in Section 23 Township 46 Range 24 west.

As we had two bridges washed away and three damaged by the floods this spring, So any donation this board seems fit to allow will be greatly appreciated.

Owing to West Branch township not having enough funds to repair all bridges is the reason for asking assistance.

Chas.R.Swanson
Supervisor West Branch Twp.

Petition Sands 2017.

Appropriation
Bridge/Chocolay River

May 27th, 1914.

*Contract Palmer
South Road.*

A communication from the Board of County Road Commissioners dated May 20th, 1914 in reference to the contract of the Palmer south road was received and it was moved and supported that said board of County Board Commissioners be authorized to let a contract for the entire length, 93 miles in accordance with said communication and the consent of the board of Supervisors be granted to the making of such contract. Said communication was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel-35.

Nays:-none.

A communication from W.& L.E.Gurley, regarding equipment for Sealers of Weights and Measures was recieved and ordered placed on file.

The following report of the committee on Highways and Bridges upon the petition of residents of Chocolay township recommended that the sum of \$1000.00, be appropriated out of any funds now in the hands of the County Treasurer not otherwise appropriated to be paid to said Chocolay township on the completion of said bridge in accordance with said report was adopted by the following yea and nay vote,

Yeas:- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel-35.

Nays-none.

*Appropriation
Chocolay Supp.*

Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred the petition of several residents of Chocolay township, asking aid in building a bridge across Chocolay river, would respectfully report that their request be granted and the sum of one thousand out of any funds now in the hands of the County Treasurer, not otherwise appropriated to be paid to said Chocolay Township, on the completion of a sixty-foot span steel bridge with concrete floor, or of a 60 foot concrete arch bridge. Said bridge to be built from plans and under direction of County Road Engineer V.S.Hillyer.

W.S.Ewing,
John Stickney,
F.J.Johnson,
Alfred Collick,
Sam'l S.Mitchell,
R.Matthews,
W.H.Trembath,
A.J.Yungbluth.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel-35.

Nays-none.

The report of the Hospital Contracts Committee was adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth and Zerbel-35.

Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen: The special committee on Hospital Contracts herewith report that we have renewed contracts with the several Hospitals of Marquette, Negaunee and Ishpeming City, also made new contracts with the hospital at Gwinn.

Also we would recommend that the rate to be paid watchman in contagious disease cases to be \$2.00 per day, for a day of ten hours, over-time to be paid at the rate of twenty-five cents per hour.

Respectfully,
W.S.Ewing,
Victor Fahlstedt,
Oscar Field.

Hospital Contracts

*Watchman
contagious disease*

June 22nd, 1914.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor and the County School Commissioner were read in part and ordered filed.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Monday the 22nd day of June, A.D. 1914 at 9+00 o'clock A.M.

Frank J. Janka
Clerk.

F. E. Kessel
Chairman, Pro tem.

June, 22nd, 1914.

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 Monday the 22nd day of June, A.D. 1914, at 9 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman D.W. Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-37.
Absent-Deutsch.-1.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from E.R. Nelson, applying for the position of county sealer of weights and measures was read upon motion duly seconded ordered placed on file.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-37.
Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, County School Commissioner and Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

Moved and supported that a recess be taken until 11 o'clock a.m. in order to give the Equalization committee time to make their report.

Upon reconvening at 11 o'clock it was moved that a further recess be taken until 7 o'clock p.m.

Upon reconvening at 7 o'clock p.m. the board was called to order by the chairman and the roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman.-37.
Absent-Deutsch.-1.

The Committee on Equalization made the following report, which was adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Thompson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-37.
Nays-none.

Roll call.

Reading of minutes.

Auditing committee.

Adoption of Equalization Report.

June 22nd, 1914.

Whereas the board of supervisors have 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.

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 or 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 5th and 6th columns thereof, respectively, opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of taxable real estate and personal property in each township and city in said county, as determined and equalized by us, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name of such township or city.

Real and Personal Property as Assessed and Total Valuation as Equalized.

City or Twp.	Number of Acres	Real Estate as assessed	Personal property as assessed.	Total valuation as assessed.	Amount Added.	Amount De- ducted.	Total Valuation as Equalized
Marquette City		7,781,250	2,871,535	10,652,785	2,130,785		8,522,000
Ishpeming City		11,728,091	3,140,923	14,869,014	2,974,014		11,895,000
Negaunee City		13,963,628	2,564,454	16,528,082	3,306,082		13,222,000
Champion Twp.	77,473.36	919,836	210,455	1,130,291	226,291		904,000
Chocoday "	35,864.33	476,200	24,300	500,500	100,500		400,000
Ely "	80,307.22	820,163	314,118	1,134,281	219,281		915,000
Forsyth "	110,506.72	1,937,875	850,769	2,788,644	558,644		2,230,000
Humboldt "	54,719.96	302,872	69,407	372,279	74,279		298,000
Ishpeming "	15,184.78	734,766	138,117	872,883	174,883		698,000
Michigamme Twp.	84,521.63	504,789	19,935	524,724	105,724		419,000
Marquette "	35,746.58	345,667	73,900	419,567	84,567		335,000
Negaunee "	27,677.39	135,815	10,500	146,315	29,315		117,000
Republic "	70,354.12	1,663,220	271,486	1,934,706	387,706		1,547,000
Richmond "	36,146.41	486,452	199,574	686,026	137,026		549,000
Sands "	39,742.94	238,275	67,775	306,050	61,050		245,000
Skandia "	45,800.46	672,685	134,650	807,335	141,335		566,000
Turin "	83,550.60	592,840	13,000	605,840	121,840		484,000
Tilden "	53,361.26	1,894,295	151,271	2,045,566	409,566		1,636,000
West Branch "	22,720.44	342,526	425,400	767,926	69,926		278,000
Wells "	98,761.85	572,110	12,150	584,260	117,260		467,000
Powell "	98,637.77	1,249,219	423,800	1,673,019	335,019		1,338,000
Total.		\$47,362,574	\$11,467,519	\$58,830,093	\$11,765,093		\$47,065,000

Equalization Report.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 29th day of July, A.D. 1914 at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

Francis Jensen
Clerk.

D.W. *D W Powell*
Chairman.

July 29th, 1914.

July 29th, 1914.

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 Wednesday the 29th day of July, A.D. 1914, at 11 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D.W.Powell.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present :-

Present: Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell, chairman-36.

Absent: Keese, Thompson-2.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Police, Sheriffs and Prosecuting Attorneys setting forth the date of their annual convention was read and ordered filed. The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Marquette, Mich., July, 28th, 1914.

To the County Board of Supervisors-

We the undersigned do hereby send to your Board of Supervisors complaints against the Automobile owners carrying extra strong blinding headlights, for the fact that they are dangerous to those who use weaker lights and especially to those who use motorcycles. They invariably run them off the roads. We beg that this petition will favor us with either making them dim their lights or abolishing them entirely. Rule and motto, "Safety First."

This petition is in behalf of the motorcycle Club.

Frank Trombly
E.Swanson
E.G.Leoin
H.Seaborg.

Filed.

The following communication was read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation:

Office of Soldier's Relief Commission of Marquette County, Michigan.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- The attention of your honorable body is respectfully called to the depleted condition of the County's Soldier's Relief Fund which now has a balance of about \$107.00, and which is not sufficient to meet the demands for the current month. At the October 1913 meeting of your honorable body this Commission presented the report required by law and petitioned for an appropriation of the sum of \$1500.00 for its expenditures during the ensuing year, but your honorable body only allowed the sum of \$500.00 for that purpose. We have had an unusual demand on this fund owing to the illness and necessities of parties entitled to relief from it and we respectfully ask your honorable body for an appropriation to said Soldier's Relief Fund of the sum of Seven hundred and fifty dollars to meet estimated expenditures for balance of the fiscal year.

Dated Marquette, Mich., July 8th, A.D., 1914.

H.O.Young,
Edward C.Anthony,
Chairman.

Cortland S.Moore,
Secretary.

The following petition was read and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges:

Roll

minutes

Petition from
motorcycle club.

Soldiers Relief

July 29th, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

We, the undersigned, Township Board of Powell Township, in said County, hereby petition your Honorable Board to make the necessary appropriation to put steel bridges over Alder Creek, Yellow Dog River, Wilson Creek and the Big Garlic River on the new road in said Township, which is being constructed to run from Big Bay to the Township limits toward Marquette. This Board represents that said township has raised, by a bond issue, \$30,000, for the purpose of constructing the sixteen (16) miles of road and buying the necessary culverts, and that said township is now without the funds necessary to put in said bridges: that this Board has received estimates of the cost of construction of said four bridges as follows and believes that said bridge can be constructed for said sum.

Alder Creek, one span 20 x 6	\$300
Yellow Dog, two spans 30 x 10	850
Wilson Creek, one span 24 x 8	340
Big Garlic, one span 24 x 6	340
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	\$ 1830

Township Board of Powell Township.

Jay B. Deutsch, Supervisor.

Frank E. Krieg, Clerk.

J.B. Tompkins, Justice of the Peace.

G.W. Webster, M.D., Justice of the Peace.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote:

Yeas:- Arnold, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gummerson, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas. J., Kennaugh, Keupper, MacKenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Smith, Sicotte, Siebenthal, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Yungbluth, Zerbel and Powell-36.

Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor and the County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried D.W. Powell, chairman, M.J. Kennedy, Prosecuting Attorney and Frank A. Bell, were duly elected delegates to the State Board of Equalization to be held at Lansing, Michigan, on August, 17th, 1914.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Thursday the 3rd day of September, A.D. 1914 at 11:00 o'clock A.M.

D. W. Powell

Chairman.

Frank E. Krieg

Clerk.

*Petition Powell Twp
for Steel Bridges*

*See pages in file
Board of Equalization*

September, 3rd, 1914.

September, 3rd, 1914.

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 3rd day of September, A.D. 1914, at 11 o'clock A.M.

In the absence of the chairman D.W.Powell, it was moved and supported that W.S. Ewing, act as temporary chairman of this meeting, carried.

The credentials of John M.Bush, of Republic Township, were read and approved and Mr.Bush was given a seat on this board, and appointed to the same committees as his predecessor.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present: Present: Arnold, Bush, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Filed, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Sicotte, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel-32. Absent- Gummerson, Keese, Smith, Thompson, Yungbluth and Powell-6.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with.

A communication from Fred N.Edie, expert accountant referring to auditing county books was read and ordered filed.

The following resolution and report of the Finance & Taxation Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Bush, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Sicotte, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel-32. Nays-none.

July, 29th, 1914.

Resolved, That the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), be and is hereby appropriated from any moneys now in the general fund in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated and is hereby transferred to and placed to the credit of the Soldier's Relief Fund.

G.R.Jackson, Chairman.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Bush, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Chas.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Sicotte, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel-32. Nays-none.

August, 21, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors , Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- At a meeting of your Committee on Supplies and Expenditures on the above date, bids for supplying Marquette County with coal by the following companies:

- Spear & Sons.
- James Pickands & Co.,
- Consolidated Fuel & Lumber Co.

The bids as submitted by each of the above named companies were as follows:

Court House & Jail.

Spear and Sons	\$7.85 per ton
James Pickands & Co.	7.90 per ton
Consolidated Fuel & Lumber Co.	7.90 per ton

Morgan Heights Sanitarium.

(F.O.B. Morgan Heights siding.)

Spear and Sons	\$6.85 per ton
James Pickands & Co.	7.10 per ton
Consolidated Fuel & Lumber Co.	7.10 per ton

John M. Bush
Appointed Supervisor

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Bids for coal

September 3rd, 1914.

Less 10 cents per ton if delivered during the month of August.

Spear and Sons having submitted the lowest bid your Committee accordingly gave them the contract.

Your Committee has had the outside woodwork on the Courthouse painted and the same is now completed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R.T.Smith, Chairman.
Victor R.Fahlstedt,
Ralph J.Mackenzie,
H.S.Nightingale,
J.Gustafson,
W.Corkill,
A.Collick,
W.John Chapman.

The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Arnold, Bush, Chapman, Collick, Corkill, Delbridge, Deutsch, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gustafson, Hudson, Jackson, Johnson, F.J., Kennaugh, Keupper, Mackenzie, Manley, Matthews, Mitchell, Myllymaki, Nightingale, Olson, Pierce, Sicotte, Stickney, Swanson, Trembath, Vandenboom, Zerbel-32.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 3rd, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred the petition of Powell Township for an appropriation to aid them in building several bridges, would report as follows: We have examined the road and bridges in question and find that Powell Township, is doing a large amount of road work, and deserve credit for same, and is entitled to help as petitioned for. We find that the County has already appropriated six hundred dollars (\$600.00) to build a bridge across the Yellow Dog River, which they have not yet received. We would therefore recommend that an additional amount of one thousand two hundred fifty (\$1250) be appropriated out of any moneys now in the County Treasurer's hand, making in all a total of one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars (\$1850), not otherwise appropriated to be paid over to said Powell Township, on completion of the several bridges as stated in petition to the satisfaction of the Highway Committee.

W.S.Ewing,
John Stickney,
S.J.Mitchell,
W.H.Trembath,
R.Matthews,
A.Collick,
F.J.Johnson.

The report of the Superintendents of the Poor and the County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

On motion of Supervisor Jackson duly supported and carried the Clerk was instructed to ask the Supervisors to have their assessment rolls in his hands not later than October 8th.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Monday the 12th day of October, A.D. 1914 at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

Frank Jenkins
Clerk.

Chairman Pro Tem.

W. S. Ewing

*Appropriation for Powell Twp.
for Bridges.*