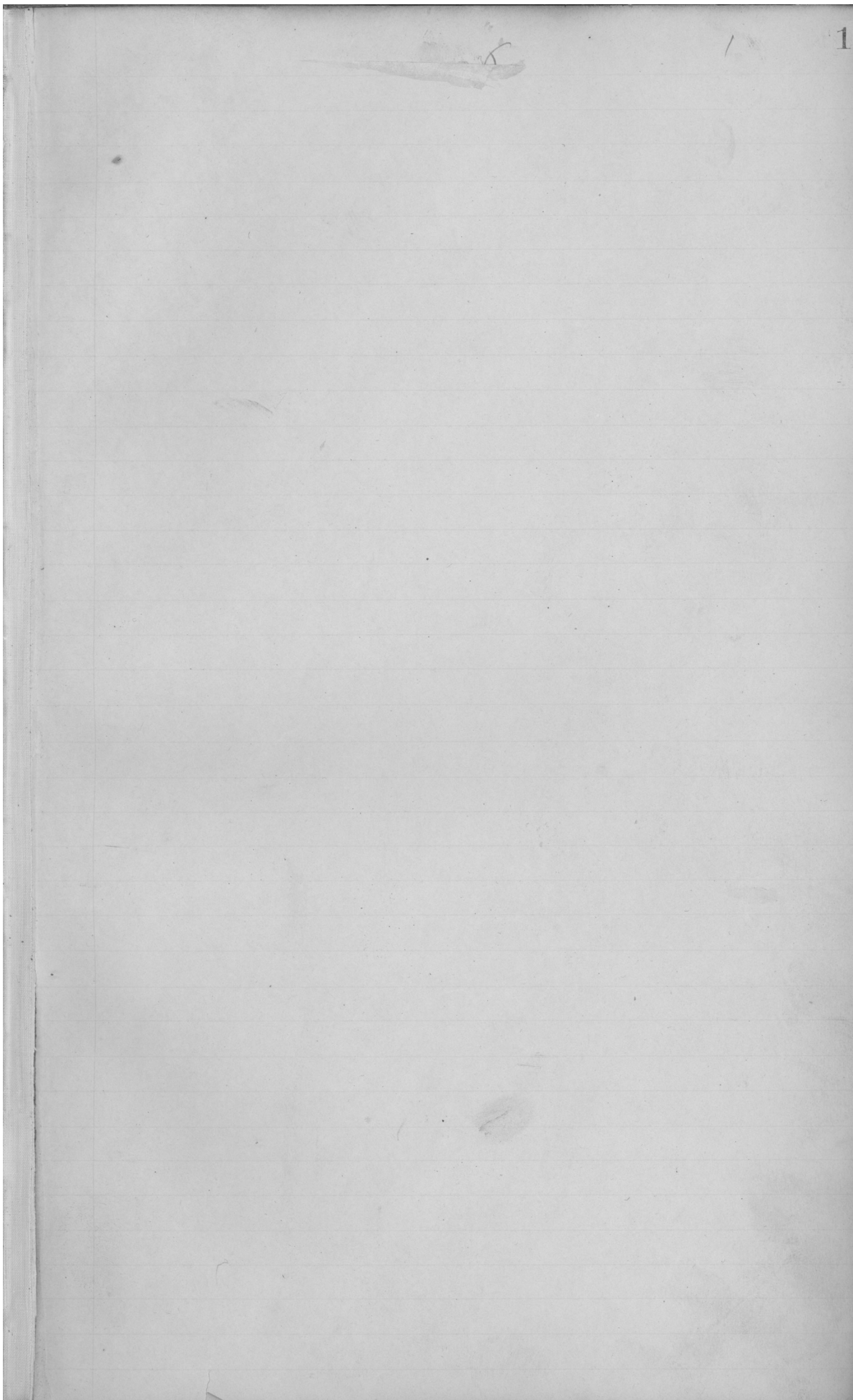




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of assisting the Agents to make out "Assessment Roll"
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Clerk was called upon to act as Clerk of
the Board.

The Chairman having stated the
object of the meeting of this Board, to be the
Settlement of certain outstanding claims
against the County - the Board proceeded
to examine and audit the following dem-
ands and accounts.

Andrew Backus the Regis-
ter of the Land Office at Sault Ste Marie sent
in a Bill - Claiming \$25.00 for Transcribing list of
lands bought in this County (for the purpose
of assisting the Agents to make out a Settlement Roll
the Board thinking the charge too high, ordered
\$15. That Backus be allowed the sum of fifteen
dollars as compensation for said labor.

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Bill

\$20.00

Bill claiming twenty Dollars for passage of Deft Sheriff to Sault Ste Marie and back with Prisoner on Steamer Baltimore which was allowed.

Bill

5.00

J. S. Livermore Ant in Bill claiming the sum of \$5.00 for five days services as Clerk of the District Court at its last sitting (in August last) which was allowed.

Bill

10.00

Amos B. Ely presented Bill claiming ten Dollars for the use of the Rail Road Office and as Court Room at the 1st sitting of the District Court, which was allowed.

Day Long

The Assessment Roll was then taken up and examined. After which the Board determined that two "per cent" be levied upon all taxable property in this County. No further Business being before the Board, on motion Adj'd.

Marquette Sept 13th 1857.

John S. Livermore Clerk & J. M. Everett
By Peter White Deputy & Chairman of the Board

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met according to law on the Second Monday in October 1852 the following business was transacted. Meeting was called to order by the Chairman and proceeded to examine and allow the following accounts.

Bill
\$57.05- I James. Watt sent in a Bill claiming the sum of \$57.05 for Sundry services as Sheriff &c. Which was allowed.

Constable fees
4.00 Sam L. Burt sent in Bill claiming \$4.00 as Constable fees due him while attending the last term of the District Court Which was allowed.

Jay P. Fees
41.61 A. W. Barney Justice of the Peace sent in Bill claiming the sum of \$41.61 composed of Sundry items - Justice fees &c. - Which was allowed.

Bill
I. M. Everett presented Bill for copying Apefment Role for this year \$4.00 for Sundry other services \$24.50 - total \$28.50 - which was allowed.

Jay P. Fees
Ruel Knapp Justice of the Peace presented Bill claiming \$2.00 for Justice fees and 3.00 for 7 days services as member of the Board of Supervisors - Total \$5.00. Which was allowed.

Co. Clerk
\$6.50 Peter White presented Bill claiming \$6.50 for Sundry Services as County Clerk. which was allowed.

On Motion The meeting adjourned "Sine die"
Marquette Oct- 11th 1852

John S. Swenmore Clerk
By Peter White.

I. M. Everett
Chairman of the Board

Monday June 13th 1853

Board met pursuant to Law to equalize Assessment Roll and transact such other business as might come before them - found quorum not present.

Adjournd untill Monday June 20th.

Peter White
Clerk

J M Everett
Chairman

Monday June 20th 1853.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Philo M Everett Chosen Chairman.

Supervisor Everett states that he has not been able to complete the Assessment Roll as yet, and asks the Board to adjourn until Monday next in order to give him more time to complete said Roll.

On Motion the Board proceeded to examine the outstanding Claims against the County.

The following claims were allowed.

Claim of Palmer & Whipple of Detroit for Books and Stationary furnished the County - was allowed \$84.50

Claim of Peter White for Books furnished, Freight paid, Postage and for a Seal for the District Court for this County, amounting in all to Eighteen

dollars and eighty cents, which was allow'd

Claim of S. Dow. Elwood for furnishing
Seal prep for the county clerks office \$5.00
which was allowed.

Claim of Austin Shapley
for transcribing the Records belonging to Mar-
quette County from those of Houghton County
and Registers Certificates, amounting to \$17.99
was allowed.

On Motion of Ruel Knapp the
Board adjourned until Monday next the
27th of June.

Peter White {
Clerk {

J. M. Grossett
Chairman

Monday June 27th 1853

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Supervisor Grossett reports - that the
assessment Roll is not completed - on Motion
Board adj^d until Saturday July 2nd 1853.

Peter White {
Clerk {

J. M. Grossett
Chairman

Marquette Saturday
July 20th 1853

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Affidavit Roll not completed, so board adjourned
Sine die

Peter White
Clerk

J M Everett

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors Met pursuant to Law on Monday Oct 10th 1853 At the District School House in the Town of Marquette.

Present P. M. Everett, A. R. Harlow & Peter White. Clerk.

Meeting adjourned to the house of P. M. Everett

P. M. Everett chosen chairman.

The following claims were presented for adjustment and audited as follows

Bills

Palmer & Whipple of Detroit for Books and stationery furnished the County Treasurer and Clerk amounting to forty six & 18/100 Dollars — was allowed.

Bills

Allen Whiting under Sheriff for fees and sundry services amounting to seventy nine and 37/100 Dollars — was allowed.

The County Treasurer not being in readiness to exhibit and settle his accounts — on motion the meeting adjourned until Monday the 17th day of October next.

P. M. Everett

Peter White
Sec'y.

Chairman

Monday October 17th 1853 Board Met pursuant to adjournment, found no quorum present — on motion adjourned to meet on Monday the 24th inst.

P. M. Everett

Peter White
Clerk.

Chairman

Pursuant to adjournment the Board met on Monday the 24th of Oct.

Present P. M. Everett, Chairman. A. R. Harlow, Justice and Peter White Clerk.

The following claims were presented for adjustment and audited as follows.

Constable's fees
William Abernathy for services rendered in going to Keweenaw Bay with Under Sheriff Whiting after Prisoner - Amounting to eleven dollars and seventy cents - was thought to be too much for the service performed - on consideration it was ⁱⁿ motioned ~~and~~ ordered that he be allowed the sum of eight dollars. It was further ordered that Robert Robinson and Richard Johnson be, ^{allowed} ~~the~~ a like sum for similar services rendered to Under Sheriff Whiting.

Justice's fees
Ruel Knapp Justice for fees two dollars and sixty two cents - was allowed.

A. R. Barney Justice for justice fees, boarding Prisoner Cadotte & etc Amounting to Seven dollars and fifty seven cents - was allowed.

Sheriff's fees
John H. Morse Sheriff fees & amounting to seventeen dollars and eighteen cents - was allowed.

Interpreter's fees
John Roussain for services as Indian Interpreter before the Grand Jury and Court in 1852 the sum of five dollars was allowed.

Clerk's
fee

Peter White for Books, freight on the same and fees as Clerk amounting to twenty dollars and ten cents — was allowed.

Ward's
Bounty

Jonathan Benson Esq for causing the death of a poor wolf by means of Poison — after serious consideration was allowed the sum of four dollars. never was paid & Mr will be

Co. Treas
Report

The County Treasurer Charles Johnson exhibited his accounts and vouchers showing that he has received in all the sum of \$1358.39 and that he has paid out on Surors Certificates the sum of \$164.78 on County orders the sum of \$297.95 making a total of \$454.33 leaving a balance of \$901.16 now in the Treasury subject to order.

Co. Treas
Balance

On Motion it was Resolved; That Charles Johnson be allowed for services as County Treasurer previous to October 10th 1883 the sum of \$25.00 to be paid immediately and the further sum of One hundred dollars for the ensuing year (from Oct. 10th 1883 to Oct. 10th 1884) The latter sum to be paid once in three months Provided Always that said Johnson shall continue to be and to act as such Treasurer and fulfil all the duties of the said Office according to Law.

Appointm
of Sup
of Poor

It was also further Resolved; That this Board appoint James I. St. Clair, Orr Barney, and Allen Whiting to act as the Board of Superintendents of the Poor in and for the county of Marquette for the year ~~188~~ ensuing and ending October 1st A.D. 1884.

Peter White presented the petition of Mr Edward Taylor praying that certain taxes

Tax
refund

appeared to him on the assessment Roll of the Township of Marquette for the year 1852 and paid by him to the county treasurer by mistake, that said taxes to the amount of four dollars and twenty eight cents (\$4.28) so paid by him may be refunded to him, - it fully appearing that said taxes were assessed to said Taylor on lands belonging to and held by the United States government as a reserve and consequently exempt from taxation - the prayer of said petitioner was granted and the clerk authorized to draw an order on the treasurer for the said amount (\$4.28) in favor of said Taylor.

whereupon the board adjourned sine die
J M Everett

John White
Clerk

Marquette Mich February 1st 1854

at a special meeting of the Board such pursuant
to notice as provided by law — on Wednesday
Feb 1st 1854

The following named accounts were
presented and allowed as follows; to wit;

Reel Knapp for services as member of this board	4.50
Nathan Carpenter for Constables fees	6.00
R J Gravvack for provisions furnished Sheriff	11.98
Phil M Enright for services as Supervisor &c	44.75
	<u>\$66.23</u>

Marquette Mich
Taxes to be collected
have been extended

The Township Treasurer having been unable to collect
the taxes in the Township of Marquette — up to this
date on account of the absence of a great majority of
the persons liable to pay said taxes — it is ordered
and directed that the time for the collection of the
taxes in said Township of Marquette be extended
one month as provided by law in such cases.

Whereupon the board adjourned sine die

Peter White

J M Everett

At a Special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the 26th of June A.D. 1857. Met pursuant to notice as provided by Law. found no quorum present adjourned to meet on Wednesday the 28th instant

Peter White Clerk. A. H. Fair { Chm. Bd. Supervisors

Wednesday June 28. 1857

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present James S. St. Clair and George R. Harlow. J. S. St. Clair chosen Chairman for the remainder of the year. The following accounts presented and audited.

Palmer & Whipple for Books furnished Register of Deeds office the sum of Nineteen dollars.

George J. Barney & account, Sheriff fees etc the sum of Sixteen dollars.

Having the subject of Roads under consideration - On Motion of A. R. Harlow it was

Resolved. That, the Supervisor of the township of Marquette be and is hereby instructed to levy and raise upon the aforementioned Race of the said township for the year 1857, the sum of One thousand dollars as a highway tax, when collected to remain in the township treasury of said township subject to the order of the Board of Commissioners of Highway of said township of Marquette and to be used by them and expended in cutting out and completing the Bay de Noquette Road ^{or} of the surveyed route from the village of Marquette to the line of Delta County (the present legal boundaries of said township of Marquette)

whereupon meeting adj.

Peter White Clerk. A. H. Fair { Chairman

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the 1st day of August A.D. 1887. Held pursuant to notice as provided by Law. Present James F. St. Clair Chairman and A. W. Barney Justice, Peter White Clerk.

Having the subject of Construction of Court House, Jail and County Buildings and purchasing a suitable site for the same under consideration — on Motion it was Resolved, That the Chairman of this board be instructed and duly authorized to locate or select negotiate and purchase a suitable site whereon to build the said County buildings and in extent to comprise five acres if practicable or at least two acres and to agree to pay such sum of money for the same as he may deem just and reasonable, and as soon as the same is secured the said Chairman shall give the Clerk of this board a notice thereof in writing requesting him to give public notice of a time and place that proposals will be received and decided upon by said Chairman for the furnishing of the necessary material and construction such a County Jail (on such site) as the said Chairman may deem for the best interests of this county — and it is further

Resolved; That the said Chairman shall have full power and authority to receive sealed bids and on the day to be specified in the aforementioned notice by the clerk to open the same and award the contract to the person or persons putting in the lowest bids and giving good security that the work will be completed in a reasonable time and in the manner to be provided for in the specifications hereinafter provided for. — And further

Resolved That said Chairman be and is hereby directed to draw up or cause to be drawn such

(over)

(Continued)

Specifications for the said material to be furnished
and work to be done on said tail as he
may deem proper and expedient.

Adjourned without day

Peter White
Clerk

J. R. Clair Chairman

At the Annual Meeting of the Board
of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday
the 9th day of October A.D. 1854 At the County Clerk's
Office - Present James J. R. Clair Chairman and
Peter White County Clerk - found no quorum Present -
and adjourned to meet on Monday the 30th day
of October instant

Peter White
Clerk

J. R. Clair Chairman

At the adjourned ^{Annual} Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County of October 9th, Convened and held pursuant to adjournment at the Office of the County Clerk at the Village of Marquette in said County on Monday the 30th day of October Ad. 1854. Present James J. St. Clair Chairman and A. M. Barney Justice and Peter White County Clerk

Treasurer's Report
Charles Johnson County Treasurer presented his official accounts for settlement - and produced vouchers showing that the sum of \$901.16 remained in his hands at his last annual settlement and that he had received from the Township Treasurer of the Township of Marquette & from Delinquent lands returned for the further sum of \$1538.89 - and had paid out on orders of this board and Jurors Certificates the sum of \$604.95 thus leaving a balance remaining in the Treasury of \$1635.12. All the County orders and Jurors Certificates charged as paid in his accounts were carefully examined and compared with his account - and found to agree and the Clerk directed to write the word "Cancelled" across the face of each one and file the same in his Office. - On Motion - the Treasurers account was accepted.

Rejected Taxes
The Treasurer then reported that the Auditor General had rejected the list of lands returned delinquent for unpaid taxes of 1852 and 1853 for the reason that the returns were not made in accordance with Law and a list of the lands so returned rejected - laid before the board - It was ordered that the Supervisor of the Township of Marquette be instructed to Reassess the said taxes upon the same land upon the Assessment Roll for said Township of Marquette for the current year - (to wit 1854).

(Over)

On Motion Resolved, That the Salary or annual Compensation of the County Clerk and County Treasurer shall be fixed at One Hundred Dollars each - until further order

On Motion Resolved, That the chairman of this board be requested to report - what he has done under and by virtue of - and pursuant to the Resolution of this board adopted at the Special Meeting of August 14th 1854 respecting the purchase of a site for County buildings and the letting of a Contract to build County Jail &c and lay the same before the Board at their next meeting.

On Motion Resolved, That Fifty Dollars of any unappropriated money in the hands of the County Treasurer be set aside as a fund for the indigent poor - to be paid out upon the Certificate of ^{the} Super^s of the poor but such certificates shall be signed by a majority of the said Board of Superintendents of the poor and countersigned by the County Clerk before the Treasurer shall be authorized to pay out any portion of said money - and such money may be applied towards defraying the necessary and actual expense of said poor within for the Year 1854 or ensuing Year.

On Motion Resolved, That Olias J. Norton Allen Whiting and J. W. Collins be and are hereby appointed Superintendents of the Poor of this county for the ensuing Year or until their successors are appointed and qualified

On Motion Resolved: That the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars be levied and raised upon the taxable property of this County upon the Assessment Roll for the coming year - which amount when raised to be used to defray the contingent expenses of the County and to commence the erection of a Court House the ensuing Summer.

The following accounts filed with the Clerk were then examined and audited and the Clerk directed to give orders immediately for the same to wit:

Acct of Palmer & Whipple of Detroit for Books and Stationary furnished this County - (Bal due)	16.38 ✓
Acct of Allen Whiting, Dep't. Sheriffs fees	3.50 ✓
A Buckmaster for Rent of Grand Jury Room	2.50 ✓
Edmundo Warner for transcribing List of land etc	6.00 ✓
Peter White for fees & Cash paid out Sundries	66.87 ✓
A. M. Barney Justice & Constable fees	10.08 ✓
F. M. Everett for Books &c for Judge of Probate	78.25 ✓

On Motion - It was further resolved That upon the written application of any person shewing to the satisfaction of the County Treasurer that such person had paid taxes which are illegal, or that were applied to such person on lands since surrendered back to the United States Government, or that such person paid such taxes through mistake - shew and in such case the said Treasurer is authorized to refund the amounts so paid.

Whereupon the Board adjourned without day.

Peter White
Clerk

Joseph Clair
Chairman

At a Special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Wednesday the thirteenth day of May A.D. 1855-

Met pursuant to notice as provided by law, at the Office of the County Clerk- Present- James J. McElair, Supervisor, W. M. Barney Esqr Justice of the Peace, and Peter White County Clerk.

James J. McElair was chosen Chairman and the following Claims were then presented, examined and audited as follows -

Sherriff fees
Claim of George F. Barney Sheriff for fees in serving sundry processors - Act Sailors services, and board of Prisoners confined in Jail, including the board of Peter Leadott up to June 1st ^{amounting to} sixty eight and $\frac{4}{100}$ dollars - was allowed - and the Clerk directed to issue two orders for the same dividing the amount so as to give one order to Sheriff Barney for the sum of \$41.75 and the other to Henry W Macomber his assistant Jailor for his share of same - being the amount for board of Prisoners in Jail.

Paid for Blankets for Jail
Claim of Peter White & Bro for blankets and bedding furnished Jail - examined and allowed amounting to nineteen and $\frac{4}{100}$ dollars

Paid for supplies for Jail
Claim of the Cleveland Iron Mining Company for locks, bedding &c furnished for the County Jail amounting to Forty and $\frac{4}{100}$ dollars was allowed

Paid for assessment roll
Claim of J. J. McElair for services as Supervisor in making out the assessment roll for the Year 1854 &c amounting to Thirty dollars was allowed

Supervisor Seblain submitted a Report in writing in
 pursuance of the resolution of this Board passed at
 the adjourned annual meeting of Oct 30th 1854 as to
 what had been done in pursuance of the resolution
 adopted at the special meeting of August 14th 1854 in
 regard to the purchase of a site for County Buildings
 and the letting of a contract for the construction of said
 in which report he set forth that he had contracted
 with the Cleveland Iron Mining Company for two acres
 of Land from the East end of Block Seven of said
 Company's division of the Iron Plat of the Village of
 Marquette for which - (if the Board accepted the same)
 the County is to pay the sum of Seven Hundred and
 fifty Dollars.

On motion of A. M. Barney it was
 Resolved -

That this Board accept that part of
 said report relating to the purchase of a site for
 the County Buildings and that the action of the
 Supervisor in pursuance of said resolution of August
 14th 1854 in relation to such purchase be, and is
 hereby approved and confirmed and, Provided that
 the said Cleveland Iron Mining Company will deliver
 to the Clerk of this Board a good and sufficient
 Warranty Deed of the said two acres of land - duly
 acknowledged and executed as required by Law to entitle
 the same to be recorded in the Register of Deeds
 Office for this County -

Then and in such case the
 Clerk of this Board is and shall be authorized to
 draw an order on the County Treasury in favor
 of the said Cleveland Iron Mining Company for
 the sum of Four hundred Dollars payable from the
 funds in the Treasury collected from taxes of the
 Year 1854 and another order for the remainder of
 said sum (being for Three hundred & fifty dollars)
 payable out of money that shall be collected in the
 Year 1855 or any subsequent Year - and further that

the Clerk shall be required ^{to write} in a plain, legible hand across the face of said last mentioned order for three hundred and fifty dollars in red ink the words— "Payable from the taxes to be collected in the Year 1885 or any subsequent Year"— And also that the Clerk be required to give the County Treasurer an Official written notice of the manner in which the said order is drawn, and when payable, &c.

And whereas the said Report further set forth that in pursuance of said resolution of August 14th 1884— he had contracted with Chas Johnson Esqr for the construction of the Jail for this County— for the sum of Eleven Hundred and Eighty Seven dollars to be built in accordance with the specifications attached to the contract which were submitted for the examination and inspection of the Board— Therefore on Motion of A W Barney Esqr it was

Resolved:— That the said report be accepted and the said contract approved, and that both be filed with the County Clerk, and further that at such time as the said Jail shall be completed in accordance with the said contract and specifications, and delivered to and accepted by the Chairman of this Board— The Clerk shall be authorized to issue orders on the County Treasury, in favor of said Chas Johnson, in such sums as may suit his convenience— in all so as not to exceed the contracted price or sum agreed upon that he is to receive for the construction of the said Jail

At the suggestion of the Clerk it was,

Resolved:—

That the different Justices of the Peace of this County be requested and directed in all cases where any person or persons may desire to commence suits— either civil or criminal— They (any of said Justices) shall require such person or persons to give good security

Justices to
require security
for persons

either by bond with one or more sureties or by placing such sum of Money in the hands of such Justice as he may deem safe and proper. Conditioned that such person or persons shall pay all cost of whatever nature accruing out of, or from any such suit.

Provided that the said Justices may deem it just and proper that such person or persons should pay such costs or damages

Whereupon Board adjd without day

Peter White
Clerk

J. J. L. Can

Chas B. Luper

At the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the 8th day of October A.D. 1855 at the Office of the County Clerk in the village of Marquette in said County - found no quorum present and meeting adjourned to meet again on Saturday the 13th day of October next.

Peter White
Clerk

J. J. St. Clair
Chas B. Lefur

At the adjourned annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County commenced and held pursuant to adjournment at the Office of the County Clerk of said County in the village of Marquette on Saturday the 13th day of October 1855.

Present James J. St. Clair
Supervisor - Amos R. Harlow Justice and Peter White Clerk

J. J. St. Clair Chosen Chairman -

And the Assessment Roll for the Township of Marquette was taken up for revision & correction and having been found to contain many erroneous descriptions of land and other informalities in the same requiring time, attention and research to rectify &c - therefore on motion of A. R. Harlow it was Ordered, that the Supervisor of said Township be Authorized to employ some competent person to assist him in revising said Assessment Roll and that such person be Authorized to make such additions and alterations as may be necessary to make said Roll conformable to the legal requirements of the Statute relating to the same and further that said Supervisor be Authorized to give an order

Assessment Roll

on the County Treasurer in payment for said work on said Assessment Roll in such sum as he shall deem just and reasonable after said roll shall have been completed and approved by him - But the said order shall in no event exceed the sum of Fifty Dollars.

On Motion - It was Resolved; that the sum of One thousand and Six hundred dollars be raised upon the Assessment Roll of said township of Marquette for the Year 1855 for County purposes and the sum of Two hundred and twenty five dollars for the support of the County Poor and further that the Supervisor of said township be authorized to raise on the said Assessment roll for the use of the Highway fund of said town in repairing of roads & Bridges and paying up the old indebtedness of said fund the sum of Eight hundred and fifty Dollars.

Accounts and Claims against the County were presented and audited as follows - to-wit -

The Cleveland Iron Mining Co the sum of \$86.63

Elijah Atwood for Constables fees 10.33

Allen Whiting " Under Sheriff fees 2.00

August Wicks " Constables " 6.99

Geo Barney as Sheriff taking Paris to Jackson - 3 months salary as Sheriff \$100.00 - provisions furnished said \$42.18 in all to \$142.18

W M Council Ho for Lumber for Jail \$27.84

W C Belhumer for rent of Court room 1855 \$0.00

P White Ho for Supplies &c for Jail 204.66

Davis P Moore Claim for Constables fees amounting to twenty two dollars was examined & cut down to \$15.00

O S Walker on his claim of \$75. was allowed \$15.00

S C Fargo Ho Express Chgs \$4.50 and

Rich Butler for "professional services" was allowed for both his claims the sum of (\$175.00) One hundred and twenty five dollars as payment in full for all services rendered - (if any)

The account and vouchers of Chas Johnson County Treasurer were then examined - showing a balance remaining in the Treasury of Five hundred and thirty one and 7/100 Dollars at this date - which was found to be correct & approved and accepted.

Whereupon the Board Adjourned -

Peter White
Clerk

J J L Cain
Chas B. Supm

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County. met pursuant to notice at the Office of the County Clerk's Office on Tuesday the 4th day of March A.D. 1856

Present James J. St. Clair Supervisor and Chairman A. R. Harlow Justice of the Peace and Peter White as Clerk

The following accounts were presented and audited - to wit

To Chas Johnson for Extra work on the Jail as per agreement with the Supervisor the sum of One hundred sixty six and $\frac{2}{100}$ Dollars

To Peter White & Co for supplies furnished Jail &c the sum of One hundred and thirty nine and $\frac{70}{100}$ Dollars (139. $\frac{70}{100}$)

To J. J. St. Clair for Labor on wood for the Jail the sum of Forty five Dollars \$45.00

To S. D. Elwood & Co for Stationary Two Dollars & Eighty Cents

To Dr A. H. Jones for Medical services to "Poor" Seven Dollars

Whereupon the Board adjourned

Peter White
Clerk

J. J. St. Clair Chairman

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, convened pursuant to notice at the Office of James P. Pendill in the Village of Marquette on Tuesday the 20th day of May AD 1856.

Present James P. Pendill Chairman
Isaac Vanderwerker Justice of the Peace, and
W. H. Maynard Deputy County Clerk -

The accounts of George J. Barney for services as Sheriff and for provisions furnished to the use of said County, amounting to three Hundred twenty one ⁷⁰/₁₀₀ dollars was presented and allowed.

The Board appoints Ariel A. Barney Allen Whiting and John J. McGregor as Superintendents of the Poor - for this County for the term of one year and until their successors are duly appointed -

Whereupon the Board adjourns

W. H. Maynard
Dep. Clerk

J. P. Pendill
Chairman

At the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the 13th day of October A.D. 1855. no quorum was present - Whereupon the Board adjourned to meet again on Monday the 20th inst.

M. H. Maynard
Actg Clerk

The Board convened pursuant to the above adjournment at the Office of J. P. Bendell Supervisor on Monday the 20th day of October 1855.

Present - James P. Bendell, Supervisor
Amos R. Harlow, Justice

Matthew H. Maynard, Actg Clerk

The Board was called to order by the Chairman and proceeded to business.

The following accounts were presented, audited and allowed - to wit:

Ebenezer Warner for making list of land	\$8.00
Allen Whiting Under Sheriff's fees	8.50
R. White & Co	19.49
Geo T. Barney Sheriff's fees	170.47
John Van Stan " "	4.34
John H. Moore use of room	19.00
Isaac Vandewater justice's fees	3.55
M. H. Maynard Atty fees	20.00
Henry Macomber	11.50
Amos R. Harlow justice's "	17.77
Allen Whiting Supt of Poor	5.00

Bills

Charles Johnson, County Treasurer, appears with his Books and Vouchers for examination and settlement showing a balance in his hands of cash amounting to \$361.³⁴ as follows

Balance of General Fund	300.62
" " Poor "	60.75
	\$361.37

James P. Bendell

which upon examination was found to be correct and ordered entered upon the Journal.

On motion of A. R. Harlow it was Resolved: That the sum of One Hundred and forty one dollars and sixty five cents (\$141.⁶⁵) be raised by tax for the amount of State tax apportioned to this County by the Auditor General for the year 1856.

On motion it was Resolved: That the sum of One Hundred fifty dollars (\$150) be raised upon the Assessment roll for the year 1856 for a Poor Fund - and Also: That the sum of Two Thousand four hundred dollars (\$2400) be raised for County purposes for the year 1857.

Allen Whiting and Ariel S. Bayney were appointed by the Board as Superintendents of the Poor for the ensuing year.

The Assessment Roll for the year 1856 having been revised, the aggregate valuation of the real and personal property of this County was determined at four hundred ninety-three thousand, four hundred fifty six dollars and seventy six cents - (\$493,456.⁷⁶/₁₀₀) -

Whereupon Board adjourned without day
M. B. Maynard -

Actg. Co. Clerk

State Tax

Poor Fund
Assessment

Super. of
Poor app.

Assessment
County

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Marquette County held pursuant to notice at the Office of the Clerk on Monday the twelfth day of January AD 1856

Present James P. Pendill - Supervisor and
Amos R. Harlow - Justice
W. H. Maynard Actg Co Clerk

and pay money for clearing County Lot
It appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that George T. Barney had progressed with the work of fencing, grubbing & grading the County Lot around the jail, in accordance with his contract for the same dated November 29. 1855, so far as to justify the Board in paying him some amount thereon. It was ordered, that County orders drawn on the Contingent Fund of this County, of such denomination as said Barney may desire, and to the amount of Two Hundred dollars, be issued to him - to apply in payment on said contract.

Bill for making Assessment Roll
The claim of J. P. Pendill for money paid for making the Assessment Roll for the year 1855 amounting to Fifty dollars - was presented and allowed - and the Clerk was instructed to draw two County Orders for Thirty & Twenty dollars respectively, in payment of the same - Whereupon the Board adjourned

W. H. Maynard -
Actg Co Clerk

At a Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for
Marquette County held pursuant to notice at the Office of
the Supervisor on Saturday the 23^d day of May A.D. 1854

Present James St. Clair Supervisor Amos R. Harlow
and Silas Smith Justices

A. R. Harlow County Clerk. On motion J. St. Clair
was chosen Chairman. The following accounts

were presented and audited to wit

To George T. Barry Sheriff Fees Board &c 102.18

To Ernst Pletshke Survey and Estimate of

Sect on front of County Lot 7.00

To Franklin Eddy Digging well on County Lot 2 5.00

It was further ordered that the Clerk draw orders on the County
Treasurer to cancel the same. It was further ordered that
a County order be drawn on the Contingent Fund of this
County for the sum of One hundred dollars in favour
of George T. Barry. Said order to be endorsed on a
certain contract between this County & the said Barry
for grading grubbing & fencing County lot

On motion, Resolved. That A. R. Harlow be and he is
hereby Authorised to let or make a contract for grading the
east end of County lot in accordance with the survey of
Ernst Pletshke made and staked on or about the 15th inst
Said contract to be let on the most favourable terms pos-
sible to be had for the County

On Motion

Resolved That the Chairman J. St. Clair
be authorised to advertise for and receive Proposals for
the building of a Court House upon the County lot in
this Village for County purposes. Said Proposals to be recei-
ved until the 13th day of June next when the same will
be examined and acted upon by the board of Super-
visors for this County

On motion

Adjourned to meet at the Office of County Clerk
on Saturday June 13th 1854 at one o'clock P.M.

J. St. Clair Chmn

A. R. Harlow Co Clerk

At a Special meeting of the Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County met Pursuant to notice at
the Office of the County Clerk on Saturday the
13th day of June A. D. 1854

Present J. J. St. Clair
Chairman and A. R. Harlow County Clerk

The following accounts were presented and au-
dited - to wit

Palmer & Luce Bill of Books	
furnished for County in July 1854 -	18.75
Do for Bill of Books dated Jan, 1854	13.50
Do for Rep & Sundries May 1854	12.50
S. D. Blwood	4.63
May 9/54 For Stationary	
A. R. Harlow for Sundry Expenses	
as per Bill on file	7.25
George T. Barny	
Balance of Contract	48.50

On Motion

Adjourned to meet at this place
on Saturday the 20th inst. at 9 o'clock A. M.

A. R. Harlow Clerk

J. J. St. Clair { Chm

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors
held at the Office of the County Clerk on Saturday the
20th day of June A.D. 1857

Present A. S. St. Clair
Chairman of the Board and A. R. Harlow Co. Clerk

The following Accounts were presented and audited
and ordered paid by Draft on the County Treasurer

Nelson Stone

For Constable Fees \$ 1,31 /

A. N. Barny
Charles Johnson
Hubbard Wells
A. H. Jones
G. H. Blaker
H. H. Stafford

For Services as Jurors on Inquest over the
body of of Celena E. Gar May 11th 1857 one dollar each
making the sum of six dollars — \$6,00

Sundry Propositions for the building of a Court House
were received by the Chairman pursuant of a Resolution
of the Board,
Dated May 23rd 1857 were presented and considered
and it was Resolved that we accept the Proposition
of R. H. Garnham & Charles Johnson, which Proposition
reads as follows,

The undersigned propose to
build the Court House for Marquette County ac-
cording to the Plan and Specification for the
same & in accordance with your proposals for the
sum of forty three hundred (\$4300) dollars -
Should a contract be awarded to us we will
furnish such securities as the Board may require

The Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County
Attest

R. H. Garnham
Charles Johnson

Over

Resolved that the Chairman be and he is hereby directed to notify Messrs Farnham and Johnson of the acceptance of their Proposition and to complete with them a Contract in accordance with said proposition and original Plans and Specifications - And also to devote such time as he shall deem necessary and for the interest of the County during the locating and Building of said Court House in the supervising and directing of the same

Resolved

That the Chairman is hereby authorized to negotiate with the Cleveland Iron Mining Co for the purchase of their remaining interest in Block No 4 of said Co's Division of Town Plat. Said purchase if made being intended for County purposes,

Resolved

That the Salary or annual compensation of the County Clerk & Treasurer shall be fixed at two hundred dollars each until further order. Said Salary shall include all charges for Office rent and date from the last settlement with each of those Officers

Resolved - That we do now adjourn

without day
A. R. Harlow }
Co. Clerk

J. J. L. Clain Chm

At the Annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the twelfth day of October A.D. 1857 held at the office of the County Clerk.

Present J. St. Clair Chairman of the Board and Amos R. Harlow County Clerk.

The Board was called to order by the chairman at ten o'clock A.M.

Charles Johnson (by his Deputy M. H. Maynard) Treasurer appeared with his books and vouchers for examination and settlement showing a balance in his hands of four hundred and thirty five dollars and thirty cents (\$435.30) the above account recommitted to the treasurer for redrafting.

The following accounts were presented and audited and ordered paid viz

A. R. Harlow for lumber for jail cellar	5 44
Allen Whiting Balance for services as Overseer of the poor	2 00
A. H. Jones Use of House for District Court	15 51
George T. Barry Sheriffs Fees Board &c	75 43
A. R. Harlow Justices costs	10 01
John Atwood Furniture for clerks Office	24 00
A. R. Harlow Fence for county lot	20. 00
M. H. Maynard Drafting Contract (Court Hb)	8 00
Burt & Chase Printing Notice of Supr. Meeting	2 50
Richard Butler Professional services	15 00
Charles Johnson Treasurers Salary to Oct 1/57	111 11
A. R. Harlow Co Clerks Salary to Oct 1/57	44 45
James J. St. Clair Attending County Board	97 50

Voted to adjourn until Saturday the 24th day of October inst. at one o'clock P.M.

A. R. Harlow

Secretary of Bd.

J. St. Clair

Chairman of Co Board

At the Adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors held at the Office of the County Clerk on the twenty fourth (24) day of October no Quorum being present on Motion adjourned to meet at same place on the 28th inst. at ten o'clock A.M.

A. R. Harlow Clerk of Board of Sups. J. St. Clair Chairman of Board of Supervisors

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At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors for Marquette County held at the office of the County Clerk on the 28th day of October Present J. St. Clair Chairman and A. R. Harlow Clerk

The following Bills were presented and audited and ordered paid to wit:

Bills
C. D. Elwood Stationary 16.00 ✓
P. M. Everett Freight 1.00 ✓
D. C. Whitwood Iron Chafe 304.00 ✓
Patrick Mc Gill Attending Court 4.00 ✓
A. N. Penny Services as overseer of poor 8.45 ✓
John Rousaw as Interpreter 12.50 Allowed 7.50 ✓

Expenditures
The County Treasurer account was presented and accepted showing a balance in his hands in favor of the Contingent Fund of four hundred and thirty two and 44/100 seven one hundredths (\$432.54) dollars. Balance of Poor Fund in the Treasury two and 43/100 (\$2.43) dollars Total Four hundred and thirty five and 30/100 dollars

On Motion it was Resolved that the sum of One hundred and eighty five and $\frac{3}{4}$ dollars be raised by Tax for the amount of State Tax apportioned to Marquette County

And the sum of fifteen dollars and forty five cents be raised by tax for the amount of State tax Apportioned to Schoolcraft County by the Auditor General for the year 1854

Total amount of State Tax for Marquette & Schoolcraft \$200,82

On Motion it was Resolved that the sum of three hundred dollars be raised upon the Assessment Roll for the year A.D. 1854 for a Poor Fund

It was further

Resolved that the sum of one thousand dollars be raised upon the Assessment Roll for the year A.D. 1854 for the building of a Court House

Also that the sum of four thousand hundred be raised upon the Assessment Roll for the year A.D. 1854 for County purposes

Dilas & Smith Cornelius Donkersley

a & Ross were appointed by the Board as Superintendents of the Poor for the year A.D. 1854

The Assessment Roll for the year 1854 having been revised the aggregate valuation of the Real and Personal Property of Marquette & Schoolcraft Counties was determined at eight hundred and eighty three thousand three hundred and ~~thirteen~~ dollars and sixty five cents (883,313,65)

Whereupon the Board adjourned with out day

Amos B. Gharlow
Secretary of the Board
of Supervisors

[Signature]

Chairman of the Board
of Supervisors

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held Pursuant to Notice at the Office of the County Clerk on the 29th day of January A.D. 1858 A Quorum being present the meeting was called to order by the Chairman J. St. Clair.

The following Accounts were presented and audited viz

To C. J. Barry for services as Sheriff and Jailor \$5,41
 " J. St. Clair " Attendance on County Board 300
 " A. N. Barry " Justice Fees 6,41
 " A. R. Harlow " Salary to April next 100.00
 " Johnson & Tarnum Payment on Court House 515.00

Bills

On Motion it was Resolved

That at such times as Messrs Johnson & Tarnum shall be entitled to any payments on a certain contract with this County for building a Court House that the Clerk of this Board be authorised to draw and the Chairman to countersign orders on the County Treasurer to meet the terms of said contract.

Paym'ts on Court House

Resolved

That the Board of Supervisors do hereby appoint Peter White Esquire as the Agent of the County of Marquette to settle all Claims existing between the said County and the State of Michigan, and the said White is hereby authorised to receive all money due the County of Marquette either on General or Special tax and receipt for the same

Same business
 County & State

It was further Resolved

That the Treasurer of the Township of Marquette be allowed until

Resolved
that the
money
collected
be
paid
over
to
the
County
Treasurer
on
the
first
day
of
March
next

the first day of March next wherein to account for³⁹
and pay over to the County Treasurer the money
collected by him for State & County purposes

Whereupon Board adjourned with
out day

A B Harlow
Clerk

J J S Clair
Chairman

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County convened agreeable to Notice at the Office of the County Clerk on the 22 day of April A.D. 1858

Present James J. St. Clair Chairman of the Board and Supervisor E. C. Hungerford of Seal Lake

The following Accounts were presented and Audited by the Board

Peter Whites For \$30. Allowed	30.00
M. H. Maynard 1.50 "	1.50
Charles Johnson Treasurers Salary (months from Oct 1st 1857 to April 1st 1858)	100.00
M. H. Maynard for Services as Prosecuting Attorney from Jan 1st 1858 to April 1st 1858.	50.00

On Motion Resolved

That the Salary of Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Marquette be and it is hereby fixed at the sum of two hundred dollars per Annum commencing the 1st day of Jan 1858 & continuing during the Pleasure of the Board

On Motion

Resolved That the Board do now Adj. with out day

A. R. Harlow
Clerk

J. J. St. Clair
Chairman

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County convened agreeable to Notice at the Office of the County Clerk on the Seventh day of August A D 1858

Present James St. Clair Chairman of the Board and C. B. Hungerford Supervisor of the Township of Teal Lake.

Petition received from members of the Presbyterian Society requesting the use of the Court room (when not otherwise employed for) Religious Worship, during the coming year.

On Motion of J. P. St. Clair the above request was complied with the Society being responsible for its proper and careful usage.

The following bills were then presented to the Board and Audited to wit,

George T. Burny 313.49 Allowed 253.86

with interest from date

E. H. Ormsby 17.51 Allowed in full 17.51

Mark English 4.50 " " " 4.50

G. H. Sando 152.28 Allowed in full.

(with interest from date on fifty

Dollars of the above at ten per cent 152.28

W. S. Barker 15.00 Allowed 15.00

J. W. Beardsley 4.00 " 4.00

Dustin Atwood 7.50 " 7.50

On motion Resolved

That the keeper of the County Jail be directed to employ such persons as are now confined or hereafter may be confined in the said Jail in accordance with the provision of Section 10 and 11 of Chapter 201 of the Compiled Laws of this State of the year 1854

On motion

It was further Resolved that the clerk be authorized to draw a draft in favour of G. D. Barry on the Treasurer of this County payable on the first of Feb next for the sum of One hundred and seventy Dollars with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum said to be used to defray the expenses of taking Prisoners to the State Prison at Jackson.

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Jesse

Whereupon Board Adjourned

A. R. Harlow
Clerk of Board of
Supervisors

J. St. Clair

Chairman of Board

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County on Monday the eleventh day of October A.D. 1858 at the Office of the County Clerk in said County. Present J. St. Clair Supervisor of Marquette & Chairman of the County Board and E. C. Hungerford Supervisor of Teal Lake Township and A. R. Harlow Clerk of the Board.

The Assessment Roll for Marquette and Teal Lake Township were taken up ~~for~~ revision and correction and for the purpose of equalising the same, the aggregate valuation of the assessment roll for the County of Marquette for the year A.D. 1858 was found to be \$21,565.⁸³/₁₀₀.

On Motion, Resolved that the sum of one hundred and eighty five ⁸⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars be raised on the Assessment Roll for the amount of Tax Apportioned to Marquette County and the sum of fifteen and ⁴⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars be raised on the same Roll for the amount apportioned to Schoolcraft County.

Resolved that the sum of Five hundred Dollars be raised by tax upon the Assessment roll for a Poor Fund for the ensuing year and that the further sum of Four Thousand five hundred and sixty ⁸³/₁₀₀ Dollars be raised to meet the general expenses of the County for the current year.

The following Bills were presented and Audited by the Board and they were ordered paid

	Amt	Allowed
A. R. Burney	15 51	15 51
James J. McLean	21 23	21 23
E. C. Hungerford	12 72	12 72
P. M. Everett	6 00	6 00
W. Warren Isham	7 50	7 50

	Amount	Allowed
George G. Barry	166.13	166.13
Mark English	20.00	20.00

Co. Treasurer's Salary
 On Motion Resolved that on and after the first day of January A.D. 1859 the compensation of the County Treasurer shall be the sum of Three Hundred Dollars per Annum Payable Quarterly.

Delinquent Tax list Returned
 The Treasurer having presented a statement of lands rejected by the Auditor General for sundry reasons it was thereupon resolved that the Supervisors of Marquette & Leal Lake Township be directed to reassess in their proper place all lands within their Townships which have been rejected on account of indefinite descriptions.

On Motion Board adjourned to meet in this place on the ~~Second~~ Tuesday in November next ensuing.

A. R. Hurlow
 Clerk of Bd of
 Supervisors

J. J. Van
 Chm

November 8th A.D. 1858 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present James I. St. Clair Chairman of the Board and E. C. Hungerford Supervisor of Seal Lake Township and A. R. Garlow Co. Clerk.

Treasurer's Report
Charles Johnson Treasurer by his Deputy M. H. Maynard appeared with his Books and Vouchers for examination and settlement. showing a balance in his hands of Six hundred and forty six and ¹⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars. On Motion the Treasurers Account was corrected and placed upon the files.

The following bills were presented and Audited by the Board and the following amounts ordered paid by the Board

Bill

H. R. Mather	for 15 0	Allowed 15 0
M. H. Maynard	" 32 00	" 32 00
E. C. Hungerford	6 36	" 6 36
E. C. Cady	15 00	" 15 00
G. G. Barry	36 75	" 36 75
J. I. St. Clair	2 12	" 2 12
A. J. Hopkins	18 00	" 18 00
Chas Johnson	150 00	" 150 00

Bill
Matthew H. Maynard, A. N. Barney & J. P. Hutchinson were appointed by the Board Superintendents of the Poor for the County of Marquette

On Motion Board Adjourned
A. R. Garlow
Clerk of Bd of Supervisors
J. I. St. Clair
Chm Bd

January 13th 1859, pursuant to previous Notice the Board of Supervisors met at the Office of the County Clerk. Present James D St Clair Supervisor of Marquette Township Clerk of the Board and Ednaid C Hungerford Supervisor of Real Lake Township -

~~J. St Clair~~ ^{Resigned} the office of Chairman of said Board which was accepted -

Whereupon, - on Motion of J. D. St Clair, E. C. Hungerford was Chosen Chairman for the balance of the Year

After which the following Claims against the County were introduced

Johnson & Tammis, for extra services on Court House

Amount Claimed \$200.00 Allowed 200.00

T. T. Hurley, for Labor grading Court House Slat

Amount Claimed \$450.00 Allowed \$450.00

W. F. Fennell 2 Bills for Fencing up Pasture in Jail

Amount Claimed \$41.00 Allowed \$41.00

Louis Schnutgen Bill for Lumber and in Jail

Amount Claimed \$32.00 Allowed \$32.00

G. H. Sands Bill for Pasture in Jail

Amount Claimed \$3.00 Allowed \$3.00

R. H. White Bill for Lumber and in Jail

Amount Claimed \$17.27 Allowed \$17.27

are of which one allowed & ordered paid \$33.27

after which on Motion it was resolved,

That the Supervisor of Marquette Township be requested, and he is, hereby authorized to take the general supervision of the property of the County located at the Village of Marquette and to manage the same, as he shall deem for the best interest of the County

Also Resolved

That this Board adjourn to meet at the Clerk's Office on the first day of March next

J. D. St Clair
Clerk of Board

E. C. Hungerford
Chairman

March 1st 1859. Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Supervisors held at the Office of the County Clerk. Present
 E. C. Hungerford, "Chairman," Supervisor of Tualuma Township
 & J. S. Clair, Supervisor of Marquette Township and Clerk of the Board - After the Board was Organized - The following bills were presented and Allowed

✓	J. B. Williams	for painting Desk for Treasurers Room	\$2.50
✓	C. W. Vandekristine	" " " "	14.00
✓	P. M. Corbett	Coal for Court House	2.25
		No further for business appearing	18.75

On motion Resolved

J. S. Clair

(Clerk)

That this Board Adjourn "Sine die"

E. C. Hungerford

Chairman

May 17th 1859. Pursuant to previous notice a meeting of the Board of Supervisors was held this day at the office of the County Clerk.

Present J. P. Rudick Supervisor of Marquette Twp
 " E. C. Hungerford " " " " " " " " " "

at which time the following business was transacted
 An order was voted to be drawn on Treasurer favor of
 T. T. Hurley, Ballance due for Grading Court House of \$50.00
 Bill of T. T. Hurley for extra work ~~on same~~ ~~for~~ out of \$24.00
 " " Coal bills for Paints & fuel " \$13.47
 men present and allowed a draw drawn for the several
 amounts

On Motion Resolved

That J. P. Rudick be authorized to
 let a contract for building a fence around the Court
 House lot and making such improvements as he may
 deem proper upon the lot, also to procure suitable
 furniture for the Court House

On Motion adjourned without day

J. P. Rudick E. C. Hungerford
 Clerk John

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors held this Tenth day of October A.D. 1859 at the office of the County Clerk

Present E.C. Hengford
Supervisor of Township of Argonne & Chairman of the Board and J.T. Vreda Supervisor of Marquette Township - also present J.J. McCham Clerk of the Board

The Assessment Rolls for the Townships of Marquette and Argonne were presented for revision and Equalization

The Aggregate Valuation of property in Marquette County as shown by said Rolls for the Year 1859 amounts to \$863,238.25

On Motion Resolved

That the

Sum of \$441.65 be assessed upon the Taxable property of Marquette Co and the Sum of \$36.80 upon same being the Amount of State tax apportioned to Marquette and Schoolcraft Counties - for the Year 1859

On Motion - Resolved

That the Sum of Three Thousand Dollars be raised upon the Taxable property of Marquette and Schoolcraft Counties to defray the Contingent Expenses of Marquette County for the Current Year

The following accounts were presented and allowed as follows

		amt	allowed
✓	Daniel Rutledge for money on loan from	\$160.76	= 160.76
✓	Campbell & Co for material and fuel	7.24	= 7.24
✓	Peter White for money paid for taxes on parcel lands	31.12	= 31.12
✓	Amos W. Bactor commission on sale of land	\$383.91	383.91
✓	Geo Brunnington levy bounty	8.00	8.00
✓	Paul Wilson " "	8.00	8.00
✓	Mark English Sinner of Board	24.26	24.26
✓	J.H. Clair " Sinner	23.35	23.35
✓	" " Money advanced from C. Hoan	39.00	39.00
✓	E.C. Hengford Sinner as Supervisor	10.72	10.72
		685.26	

Amount of Bill that over		amt	allows
Bills	Wm. Shaw for printing Elec Notes	2,50	2,50
	" " " Tax Receipts	24,00	24,00
	J. P. Rudell for freight on bank note	209.46	209.46
	Davis & Williams for painting Court House	69.25	69.25
	R. S. & Williams Shufflers	106.35	106.35
	W. L. Minton Co	31.00	31.00
	Charles Goldsmith, paid tax trial	4.89	4.89
			467.45

On motion of J. P. Rudell Resolved

That the sum of

One Hundred Dollars for annum be allowed
The Hon Daniel Goodwin for Extra Compensation for his
services as District Judge in the County of Marquette
Said Allowance to Commence the first day of January
1858 and to continue until further ordered by
the Board

On motion of J. P. Rudell Resolved

That the all lands

rejected by Auditor General of the tax roll of 1858 for
informality in return be reassessed the persons owning
said lands on the tax roll for 1859 by the Supervisors of the
several Townships in which such lands are located

The Treasurer by his Clerk J. H. Cain presented his
account with the County for the current year with accompanying
vouchers, and there was found to be in his hands the
sum of Four thousand and Seventy Seven ^{volleys} and Eighty three Cents
belonging to different funds which account was declared
Satisfactory

On motion adjourned 'Till next

J. H. Cain
Clerk

E. C. Hungerford
Chairman

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held at the office of the Clerk on Saturday the 17th day of March A.D. 1858. There were present James P. Reed, Supervisor of Marquette Township and E. C. Hensford Supervisor of St Ignace on motion James P. Reed was appointed Chairman

The following are now presented and account to you

✓ Silas C. Smith for money paid for taxes, sold for land in Houghton County for 1857	23.48
✓ Pay to A. M. P. Co. State Tax wrongly paid for 1857	6.39
✓ S. C. Elwood for Record of said land	14.00
✓ Mass. English for virus as daily bonds of Bureau	30.00
✓ Rich. Mass. Tax <u>Callap</u>	17.85
✓ Purification Church for Rent in Court House	18.00
✓ Upton Co. for plot on Red documents	2.12
✓ Capt. Legg for worn horse to carry documents for Sunday	1.50
✓ Timothy Leach for repairs in Court House Lot	100.00
✓ James P. Reed for sundries furnished for	16.03

Application was made in accordance with previous notice for the organization of a Township to be called "Chocolate" Joseph W. Edwards Attorney for the petitioners, who presented certified Returns that the requisite notices of such Application had been printed and posted according to Law, and asked that all the Townships in Marquette County being in Range Twenty four "34" and Township "35" North, Commencing at Township Forty two "42" and ending with Township No. Forty seven "47" After hearing, and examining into the merits of said Application, the Board of Supervisors did set off Townships Forty two "42" Forty three "43" Forty four "44" Forty five "45" Forty six "46" and Forty seven "47" North of Range Twenty four "34" North into a Township to be called "Chocolate" and did order that the first Election for Township officers in said Township be held on Monday the second day of April A.D. 1858, said Election to be held at the office of Edwards & Company near the mouth of "Chocolate River" and that Charles Frothingham, E. P. Remington & Alexander Pitzer be appointed as Disputers of Election - also that Saul D. Roberts be appointed to post the requisite notices of such Election

J. P. Reed
Clerk

J. P. Reed
Chairman