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At the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County commenced and held at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Monday the tenth day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the Chairman not being present the board was called to order by the County Clerk at ten o'clock A.M.

Present Messrs. Broad, Connors, Cummings, Dwyer, Heibbert, Maas and Sigle. 7.

Absent, Messrs. Christopher, Ellis, Hall, Harvey, Johnson, Kirkpatrick, James Pascoe, Read, Sandberg, Sedgwick, Sproul, Stevens and Chairman 14.

There being no quorum present on motion of Mr Connors, the Board took a recess until two o'clock P.M.

At two o'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the Chairman and the roll was called by the Clerk.

Present Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connors, Cummings, Dwyer, Ellis, Harvey, Heibbert, Johnson, Maas, Pickands, Read, Sandberg, Sigle, Sedgwick, Stevens and Chairman. 17.

Absent Messrs Hall, Kirkpatrick, James Pascoe, and Sproul. 4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Presentation of Petitions and communications

The following communications were received, read, and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation

Auditor General's Office

Lansing, Mich. October 6th 1881

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 1881.

The amount of State Tax apportioned to your County under various acts of the Legislature is as follows to wit.

University - Aid. Act No. 32. 1879		250 00	
" General and other Expenses Act No. 60. 1881		459 88	
Normal School - Current Expenses Act No. 100. 1881		120 37	
" " Training School Act No. 227. 1881		154 32	
Agricultural College General and other expenses Act No. 21. 1881		308 45	
" " Experiments with Ensilage Act No. 288. 1881		6 17	
State Public School Act No. 120. 1881		257 10	
Michigan School for the Blind - Current Expenses Act No. 47. 1881		114 17	
Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. Gen. and other " Act No. 92. 1881		256 79	
State Reform School. Boys Current Expenses Act No. 45. 1881		219 14	
" " " " Building and Special. Act No. 52. 1881		103 40	
Michigan Reform School, girls. Building & Gen. Expenses Act No. 112. 1881		608 33	
State House of Correction - Building etc. Act No. 90. 1881		23 88	
Asylums for Insane - Eastern. Building etc Act No. 97. 1881		500 00	
" " " " Working Capital Act No. 223. 1881		92 59	
" " " Michigan. Building etc Act No. 285. 1881		326 54	
" " " New Building etc Act No. 225. 1881		308 64	
Repairing South Steps at Capital Act No. 22. 1881		30 86	
Board of Fish Commissioners Act No. 57. 1881		49 38	
State Board of Health Act No. 241. 1881		12 35	
Military Purposes Act No. 171. 1879		353 53	
General Purposes Act No. 282. 1881		2498 00	7053 91
County indebtedness to State to be included in County tax - Act No. 63. 1881			
Aggregate of Tax and Indebtedness to be apportioned			7053 91

You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your County at their session in October 1881

Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice

Very Respectfully

W. Irving Latimer

Auditor General.

County Treasurer's Office

Marquette Mich. Oct. 10th 1881

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County
Gentlemen

I submit herewith statements
from the Auditor General as follows viz
Taxes of 1880 rejected \$ 71.75
" " previous years charged back 565.35
Total 637.10

Very Respectfully
John E. Ward
County Treasurer

Office of the
Superintendent of the Poor of Marquette County
First District

Marquette Mich. Oct. 10th 1881

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Mich.
Gentlemen

As required by law, the Board of Superintendents of the Poor hereby report to your honorable board the sum which in their judgement will be required for the support of the poor of the County for the year ending September 30th 1882, and they report the sum required to be Twenty One Thousand (21,000) dollars

Yours Respectfully
H. E. Warner
Scty Board Supts of the poor.

Reports of Standing Committees.

By the Auditing Committee

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

	Name of Claimant	What For	Am't claimed	Allowed
2087	Michigan Asylum	Clothing and Maintenance etc.	76 08	76 08
2088	H. S. Taft M.D.	Examination of Insane	5 00	5 00
2089	J. A. Desjardins M.D.	do	5 00	5 00
2090	Jos. Vivian	Watching Insane person	21 60	referred to full board
2091	B. D. Jones	Justice Fee	7 13	7 13
2092	do	do	3 53	3 53
2093	do	do	3 48	3 48
2094	do	do	4 34	4 34
2095	Edward S. Hardy	do	3 09	3 09
2096	do	do	3 09	3 09
2097	John G. O'Keefe	do	4 55	4 55
2098	do	do	4 53	4 53
2099	do	do	4 46	4 46

2100	John L. O'Keefe	Justice Fee	3 09	3 09
2101	" " "	" "	5 25	5 25
2102	" " "	" "	3 09	3 09
2103	" " "	" "	4 13	4 13
2104	" " "	" "	11 54	11 54
2105	" " "	" "	5 90	5 90
2106	" " "	" "	3 05	3 05
2107	" " "	" "	3 15	3 15
2108	Henry Davis	" "	4 48	4 36
2109	Cornelius Kennedy	" "	9 90	8 50
2110	" " "	" "	3 35	2 75
2111	Henry J. Hopkins	Juror in Justice Court	60	60
2112	Peter Beaman	" " " "	60	60
2113	Jos. Vannier	" " " "	60	60
2114	Walter Moore	" " " "	60	60
2115	W. Erbelding	" " " "	60	60
2116	Peter Dolf	" " " "	60	60
2117	James S. Young	" " " "	1 00	1
2118	Thomas Dwyer	" " " "	1 00	1
2119	Jos. Vannier	" " " "	1 00	1
2120	Herman Hadrack	" " " "	1 00	1
2121	Edmund Powell	" " " "	1 00	1
2122	Leroy M. Spencer	" " " "	1 00	1
2123	Robert Hirth	Witness	1 10	1 10
2124	Henry Stone	" " " "	1 10	1 10
2125	Lion Marleau	" " " "	1 10	1 10
2126	Henry Brattle	" " " "	1 60	1 60
2127	Robert R. French	Constable Fee	2 33	2 33
2128	" " "	" "	7 13	7 13
2129	" " "	" "	3 88	3 88
2130	" " "	" "	3 88	3 88
2131	" " "	" "	4 67	4 67
2132	" " "	" "	1 84	1 84
2133	" " "	" "	3 41	3 41
2134	" " "	" "	2 95	2 45
2135	" " "	" "	3 14	3 14
2136	" " "	" "	4 11	4 11
2137	" " "	" "	1 84	1 84
2138	Edward Morgan	" "	9 89	9 89
2139	Jas Harvey	" "	16 75	7 15
2140	Dan McViech	" "	2 82	2 82
2141	" " "	" "	12 80	9 80

2.75
3.55
3.60

1.66
6.00
6.80

2142	John Harbour	Constable Fee	5 30	3 88
2143	Joe. Richardson	" "	2 05	2 05
2144	" "	" "	1 53	1 53
2145	" "	" "	4 06	4 06
2146	" "	" "	5 06	5 06
2147	Jacob Dalf	" "	2 81	2 81
2148	Byron D. Jones	Coronere "	10 35	7 25
2149	Edward E. Weiser	" "	6 12	4 87
2150	John Westgren	" "	8 90	6 31
2151	" "	" "	5 24	5 24
2152	" "	" "	5 24	5 24
2153	Thomas Smith	" "	3 60	3 60
2154	Samuel Bennett	Constables Fee at Inquest	2 50	2 50
2155	William Rundle	" " " "	5 21	4 71
2156	Robert R. French	" " " "	4 01	4 01
2157	Fred J. Eggan	" " " "	3 25	3 25
2158	Robert Purcell	Juror at Inquest	3 00	3 00
2159	Andrew C. Seass	" " " "	3 00	3 00
2160	S. P. Kline	" " " "	3 00	3 00
2161	L. A. Marsell	" " " "	3 00	3 00
2162	Phillip B. Kirkwood	" " " "	3 00	3 00
2163	Geo. O. Houston	" " " "	3 00	3 00
2164	Carl W. Weinberg	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2165	Walderman Hertz	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2166	Albert Heath	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2167	John H. McCabe	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2168	Cornelius Lynch	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2169	Martin Welch	" " " "	2 25	2 25
2170	William O. Mara	" " " "	1 50	75
2171	P. C. Beanelton	" " " "	1 50	75
2172	Alfred Whitman	" " " "	1 50	75
2173	R. Fremian	" " " "	1 50	75
2174	J. H. Spear	" " " "	1 50	75
2175	H. F. Handford	" " " "	1 50	75
2176	John Mockler	" " " "	1 50	75
2177	Philip Jones	" " " "	1 50	75
2178	Moses B. Loutboff	" " " "	1 50	75
2179	Joseph Groock	" " " "	1 50	75
2180	Silas T. Hewitt	" " " "	1 50	75
2181	John Mallaney	" " " "	1 50	75
2182	Andrew D. Cook	" " " "	3 75	3 75
2183	John H. McCabe	" " " "	3 75	3 75

2184	John C. Menhenot	Juror at Inquest	3 75	3 75
2185	John Bastedo	" " "	3 75	3 75
2186	Joe Mitchell	" " "	3 75	3 75
2187	August Munson	" " "	3 75	3 75
2188	E. R. Ely	" " "	2 25	2 25
2189	Wm. Murdock	" " "	2 25	2 25
2190	John W. Jochim	" " "	2 25	2 25
2191	John Mallanney	" " "	2 25	2 25
2192	J. E. Salonde	" " "	2 25	2 25
2193	Joe Lath Jr.	" " "	2 25	2 25
2194	Wm. F. Chrum	Witness " "	75	75
2195	Joe Richardson	" " "	75	75
2196	Edward Lweeney	" " "	75	75
2197	A. H. Mickels	" " "	75	75
2198	John Hemmilton	" " "	75	75
2199	Mrs. Peter Myher	" " "	75	75
2200	Mrs. John Bastedo	" " "	75	75
2201	Joe. Manfolk	" " "	75	75
2202	John Mateon	" " "	75	75
2203	Samuel Santhony	" " "	38	38
2204	Louie Johnson	" " "	38	38
2205	Byron D. Jones	Taking Testimony at Inquest	6	Rejected
2206	Verran's Godshall	One coffin	12 00	12 00
2207	H. H. Harney	Services at Inquest	1 50	1 50
2208	Patrick Farrell	" " "	1 50	1 50
2209	Henry Centremont	Use of team " "	3 00	3 00
2210	William Deitcher	Digging Grave	3 00	3 00
2211	Hager & Johnson	one Coffin	6 50	6 50
2212	Edward S. Hardy	Services drawing Jury	2 00	2 00
2213	John E. O'Keefe	" " "	2 00	2 00
2214	Hager & Johnson	Mattress for Jail	8 25	8 25
2215	Edward Fraser	Lumber " "	7 00	7 00
2216	Byrne & Blackwood	Fitting gas pipe in Jail	17 34	17 34
2217	Andrew F. Lodin	Whitewashing Jail	15 00	15 00
2218	H. H. Stafford	Medicines for prisoners	17 45	17 45
2219	R. Freeman	Repairs in Jail etc	4 50	4 50
2220	L. P. Cravy	Printing	4 00	4 00
2221	Margutte Gas Light Co	Gas consumed in Court House	60	60
2222	" " " "	" " " Jail	9 60	9 60
2223	" " " "	" " " Court House	3 30	3 30
2224	" " " "	" " " Jail	13 50	13 50
2225	John Jeffrey	Board of Prisoners	387 50	387 50

2226	John Jeffrey	Taking M. Ryan to Ineane Asylum	65 75	65 75
2227	Bailey Bros.	Sundries	2 25	2 25
2228	E. Q. Stafford & Bros	1/2 doz Cuspadores	3 30	3 30
2229	L. P. Crary	Printing	15 50	15 50
2230	" " "	"	3 50	3 50
2231	Rover & Groce	Sundries	10 00	10 00
2232	A. P. Swineford	Advertising examination etc	2 10	2 10
2233	M. H. Maynard	State Board of Equalization Services & Expenses attending meeting of	150 00	150 00
2234	Ed Smith	Expenses	11 19	11 19
2235	H. H. Stafford	Sundries	1 80	1 80
2236	John Jeffrey	Expenses	8 96	8 96
2237	Chas C. Eggers	Binding	1 50	1 50
2238	William Rowland	Express charges	90	90
2239	" "	" "	1 25	1 25
2240	" "	" "	90	90
2241	" "	" "	75	75
2242	" "	" "	75	75
2243	Waleon & Palmer	Sundries	24 05	24 05
2244	" " "	"	7 85	6 75
2245	Wm Rowland	Expresage	3 74	3 74
2246	John Northmore	Per Diem & et al School Examiner	14 06	14 06
2247	James Pickands & Co	2 Vault Doors etc	213 11	213 11
2248	Peter Dolf	Sundries	4 89	4 89
2249	Timothy Caffney	Board of prisoner	22 70	22 70
2250	" "	" " "	4 37	4 37
2251	John Jeffrey	Expenses to Houghton	11 50	11 50
2252	D. H. Merrill	One oak door	4 50	4 50
2253	H. Gregory	Building Flue for boilers and material	154 66	154 66
2254	Newett & McCarthy	Advertising & et.	3 85	3 80

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

L. D. Harvey
William Sedgwick } Committee
Edward A. Maas }

Marquette Mich. Oct. 15th 1881

On motion of Mr Cummings, the report of the Auditing Committee was accepted and adopted, and the amounts as recommended by the committee ordered paid by year and days as follows. Yeas Messrs Broad

Christopher. Connors. Cummings Dwyer. Ellie Harvey
 Hibbert. Maas. Sandberg. Siegel. Sedgwick. Stevens and
 chairman. 14

Says none

On motion of Mr Sedgwick the claim of Joseph Vivian amount-
 ing to \$21.65 for watching Edward Thompson insane person
 was ordered paid after the same has been certified to by the
 Supervisor of Champion Township.

Mr John Jeffrey Sheriff presented his report for the year
 ending Sept. 30th 1881 which was read and on motion of Mr Stevens
 accepted and ordered placed on file

Mr Henry E. Warner Secretary of the board of Superintendents of the
 Poor presented the following report which was read and referred to
 the committee on County Officers accounts.

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

In compliance with law the Board of
 Superintendents of the Poor of Marquette County Mich. respectfully
 submit the following. being their annual report for the year ending
 September 30th 1881

Financial

The receipts and expenditures of the Board during the year have
 been as follows

Expended in maintaining the County Poorhouse	
Food	2229 34
Fuel	350 22
Clothing	368 09
Keepers Salary	450 00
Labor	298 80
Medicine	1157 25
Medical Attendance	185 00
Transportation	88 94
Funeral Expenses	70 50
Furniture and Utensils	209 73
Improvements on Building	147 79
Repairs	48 48
Light Wagon	112 50
Cow	70 00
Fencing and Labor on farm	74 84

Horse shoeing and repairs to Wagon

16 75

Ice

24

Tools and Implements

18 05

Grain and Feed

89 56

Oil, Soap etc

130 52

Expended in giving Outside relief.

Food

10729 66

Fuel

1232 17

Clothing

422 29

Rent

356 85

Medical Attendance and Medicine

2017 53

Funeral Expenses

332 75

Transportation

442 91

Miscellaneous

333 01

Total

15867.17

Total amount drawn from Poor Fund

22002 53

Cash Deposited with County Treasurer

42 60

Nett amount drawn from Poor Fund

21959 93

Poor House

There has been maintained at the Poor House during the year as follows

Number of inmates Oct 1st 1880

26

Number Admitted during year

80

Total

106

Number of deaths

8

Number discharged

64

Number remaining Oct. 1st 1881

34

106

Average maintained during the year

37

The cost of maintaining the poor house exclusive of amounts paid for stock improvements and repairs, The average number of inmates and the cost of maintenance per capita for the year indicated was as follows

Year	Cost of Maintenance	Average No of Inmates	Average cost per Capita
1875	\$5771.52	16 1/2	\$313.36
1876	4855.99	17 1/4	273.47
1877	4402.65	27	163.43
1878	4364.06	34 1/2	126.50
1879	4269.25	29	147.22
1880	4134.00	27	156.85
1881	3829.53	37	157.55

Temporary Relief

The Expenditure in giving outside relief by districts was as follows.

	First	Second	Third	Total
	District	District	District	
Food	\$1257 65	\$6530 85	\$2941 16	\$10729 66
Fuel	409 23	570 50	252 44	1232 17
Clothing		89 56	332 73	422 29
Rent	230 00	24 00	102 83	356 83
Medical Attid & Medicine	324 85	823 32	869 36	2017 53
Funeral Expense	86 75	197 00	49 00	332 73
Transportation	148 40	157 30	137 21	443 91
Traveling Expenses of Superintendents etc	214 00	214 92	118 09	333 01
Total	2456 85	8607 45	4802 84	15867 17

Number of persons to whom relief was given 209 341
 Accompanying are all bills paid by this Board during the year
 which you will find to be full and complete vouchers for its entire
 expenditure

Yours Respectfully

W. E. Warner

Secty Board Supts of the Poor.

On motion of Mr Kearney the board took a recess for one hour.

At Four o'clock P. M. the board was called to order by the
 Chairman, and the roll was called by the clerk. quorum of the
 board present.

Reports of Standing Committees.

By the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Marquette Mich Oct. 10th 1881

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

Your committee would respectfully recommend
 that there be raised as follows for the ensuing year

For State purposes	\$7053. 91
" General Fund	21000. 00
" Poor	21000. 00
Total	<u>49053. 91</u>

James Dwyer
John P. Christopher
A. Sandberg
Committee on Finance and Taxation

On motion of Mr Harvey the report of the committee on Finance and Taxation was accepted and adopted by yeas and nays as follows
Yeas, Messrs Broad Christopher Connor Cummings, Dwyer Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Maas, Rickards, Sandberg, Stevens and Chairman 13
Nays, None

By the Committee on Equalization

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Mich.
Gentlemen

Your committee on equalization beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the assessment rolls of the several Cities and Townships of this County, for the year A. D 1881 and would recommend the following Equalization thereof for State and County purposes to wit:

Cities and Townships	Assessed	Equalized for Mining property	Equalized for State Tax
		County purposes	
* Ishpeming City	696785	635000	460700
* Negaunee City	345445	330000	161600
* Marquette City	519325	480000	
* Marquette Township	73420	60000	
* Ishpeming "	158810	155000	57700
* Negaunee "	42140	40000	
* Foreyth "	166330	170000	4600
* Chocolay "	168135	160000	
* Silden "	113540	115000	32100
* Richmond "	72620	70000	25750
* Ely "	892010	850000	34280
* Republic "	493235	500000	138300
* Michigamme "	214325	205000	51730
* Champion "	200220	200000	74300
Totals	4156540	3940000	1035060

All of which is respectfully submitted

J. F. Stevens
Chairman

Dated Marquette Oct. 10th 1881

An motion of Mr. Sedgwick the report of the committee on Equalization was accepted and adopted by yeas and nays as follows.

Yeas Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connor, Cummings, Dwyer, Ellis, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Maas, Read, Sandberg, Sigle, Sedgwick, Stevens and Chairman, 16. Nays, none

The County Clerk presented the following statement showing the amount of State, County and other taxes to be raised on the tax rolls of the various cities and townships, which was on motion of Mr. Stevens accepted and adopted by yeas and nays as follows.

Yeas Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connor, Cummings, Dwyer, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Maas, Pickands, Read, Sandberg, Sedgwick, Stevens and Chairman, 16. Nays, none.

Marquette City				
State Tax	1092	65	✓	
County tax	4796	95	✓	
Rejected tax	13	86		
City Contingent tax	4500			
" Highway tax	2590			
Water tax	7250			
Fractional School District 1 Tax	14000			
one mill tax	379	52		34662 98
Negaunee City				
State tax	408	92	✓	
County tax	3517	77	✓	
Rejected tax	14	87		
City Contingent tax	863	61		
" Highway "	863	61		
Library tax	250	00		
Fire department tax	1727	22		
School District No. one tax	8000	00		
One mill tax	345	44		15991 44
Michigamme Township				
State tax	372	18	✓	
County "	2185	29	✓	
Rejected "	14	87		
Township contingent tax	1071	50		
" Highway tax	535	75		
School District No. one tax	2734	00		
One mill tax	214	32		7127 91

Champion Township			
State Tax	305	25	✓
County Tax	2131	99	✓
Rejected Tax	3	20	
Township contingent Tax	1000	00	
" Highway Tax	1000	00	
School District No one Tax	4300	00	
One Mill Tax	200	22	8940 66
Marquette Township			
State Tax	145	73	✓
County "	639	59	✓
Rejected "	2	97	
Township Contingent Tax	200	00	
" Highway "	367	10	
School District No. one Tax	400	00	
" " " two "	200	00	
One mill Tax	73	42	2028 81
Foreythe Township			
State Tax	401	64	✓
County "	1812	18	✓
Rejected "	27	31	
Township Contingent Tax	650	00	
" Highway "	350	00	
Library Tax	50	00	
School District No. one Tax	550	00	
" " " three "	130	00	
" " " four "	370	00	
One mill Tax	166	33	4507 46
Lehigh City			
State Tax	423	25	✓
County "	6769	03	✓
Rejected "	7	61	
City contingent Tax	1000	00	
" Highway "	3000	00	
Fire Department Tax	4500	00	
School District No. one Tax	12000	00	
one Mill Tax	696	78	28396 67

Lehigh Township			
State tax	250	86	✓
County tax	1652	28	✓
Rejected "	37	49	
Township contingent tax	1700	00	
" Highway "	775	00	
School District No. one "	600	00	
" " " two "	2000	00	
Fractional School district No. one tax	1300	80	
One mill tax	158	81	847524
Hildon Township			
State tax	201	33	✓
County "	1225	89	✓
Rejected "	59	53	
Township contingent tax	1100	00	
" Highway "	650	00	
School District No. one tax	350	00	
" " " two "	80	00	
Fractional School district No. one tax	2865	00	
One mill tax	113	54	664529
Republic Township			
State tax	878	25	✓
County "	5329	95	✓
Rejected "	17	69	
Township contingent tax	1500	00	
" Highway "	1500	00	
School district No. One tax	3800	00	
One mill tax	493	23	1351912
Richmond Township			
State tax	107	50	✓
County "	746	19	✓
School District No. one tax	600	00	
" " " two "	700	00	
One mill tax	72	63	223631
Chocoley Township			
State tax	388	53	✓
County "	1705	58	✓
Rejected "	68	67	
Township contingent tax	1000	00	

Township Highway Tax	1285	63		
Special " "	600	00		
" Bridge "	350	00		
School District No. one Tax	250	61		
" " " two "	317	62		
" " " three "	278	34		
" " " four "	281	94		
" " " five "	350	00		
" " " six "	263	89		
" " " seven "	250	65		
" " " eight "	150	00		
" " " nine "	445	31		
One mill Tax	168	13	8104	90
Ely Township				
State Tax	1980	65	✓	
County "	9060	92	✓	
Rejected. "	369	03		
Township contingent Tax	4465	00		
" Highway "	4465	00		
School District No. one Tax	350	00		
" " " two "	700	00		
" " " three "	1400	00		
" " " four "	200	00		
One mill Tax	892	01	23882	61

Motions And Resolutions

Mr Dwyer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, that the report of the County Clerk making the apportionment of taxes for the various purposes named in said report among the various Townships and Cities of this County, be and the same is hereby accepted and adopted and that the several sums named in said report, be and the same are hereby ordered to be apportioned among the several cities and Townships of this County in accordance with said report.

James Dwyer.

which was adopted by yeas and nays as follows. Yeas Messrs. Broad Christopher, Connors, Cummings, Dwyer, Harway, Heibbert, Johnson, Macie, Rickards, Read, Sandberg, Sedgwick, Stevens & Chairman, 15 Nays None.

Mr Dwyer also offered the following resolution

Resolved: that the Clerk of this board be and he hereby is directed to apportion the State and County tax to be raised for 1881, to the various cities and townships on the basis of the equalization adopted by this board, and that the taxes rejected by the Auditor General be charged back to the cities & townships from which they were returned delinquent, and that the several Supervisors and assessors be and they are hereby directed to assess on corrected descriptions, when practicable all taxes which have been rejected and charged back on account of imperfection

James Dwyer.

Which was adopted by yeas and nays as follows.

Yeas Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connors, Cummings, Dwyer, Harvey, Kibbert, Johnson, Maas, Pickands, Read, Sandberg, Sedgwick, Stevens and Chairman: 15 Nays None.

On motion of Mr Stearns the rules of order were suspended and and the Board proceeded to the election of a Superintendent of the Poor in place of E. C. Anthony whose term of office has expired.

The first formal ballot resulted as follows For Edward C. Anthony 13, for John O'Leary 1 whereupon Mr Anthony was declared elected Superintendent of the Poor for the ensuing three years.

The following report was presented, read, and on motion of Mr. Stevens laid on the table.

To The Board of Supervisors
of The County of Marquette
Gentlemen.

At your request I attended the meeting of the state Board of Equalization, held at Lansing on the 15th of August. About sixty of the Counties of the State were represented and the errand and purpose of each representative, was to get the valuation of his county reduced, or at least to keep it from being increased. Every representative declared that the appraisements in his County were made at the true cash value of the property, and some contended, and attempted to show that valuations were really above a true value. Upon this subject I endeavored to be silent, but when questioned, I was unable to declare that such was the fact in this County. I did, however, try to show to the Board, that our valuation was too high, and that injustice had been done to us heretofore in this regard.

I think I succeeded reasonably well.

The result shows that while our valuation was increased 25% the valuation of the State at large was increased 28.6%, and this.

although we report an increase in acreage of over 400,000 acres.

I remember that in 1876 I was a member of the Board of Supervisors of this County, that when this subject was then discussed in the Board, in view of the then approaching session of this State Board, I urged upon the Assessors to observe the law in relation of the appraisement of property at its true cash value as an evidence of our good faith. That advice was not followed then, and, if I am correctly informed, has not been observed since.

I am certain that this disregard of law operates to our prejudice before the State Board, and whether it be true or not as alleged, that the law is observed in other Counties, I take the liberty again to urge upon the members of this Board, who act as assessing officers, that they hereafter make their valuations in accordance with law, and I am satisfied that the result will be much more satisfactory and creditable.

In the discharge of this mission, I was absent from my office five days. I herewith send my bill, including expenses \$150.00, which I ask you to allow.

Very Respectfully
M. H. Maynard

Marquette Sept. 14th 1881.

An motion of Mr. Sedgwick the Building Committee was authorized and instructed to purchase and have put in, the necessary apparatus for heating The Court House jail and Sheriff's residence, which motion prevailed by yeas and nays as follows. Yeas. Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connor, Cummings, Dwyer, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Pickands, Read, Sandberg, Sedgwick and Chairman, 13 Nays. Stevens 1.

An motion of Mr. Sedgwick the Board adjourned without day.

William Rouland
Clerk

Peter Pascer

Chairman

Wegaunee Township				
State Tax	97	17		
County Tax	426	39		
Township Contingent Tax	400			
" Highway "	400			
School District No. one Tax	600			
One Mill Tax	42	14	19	65 70

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held pursuant to the following call at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Thursday the 15th day of December A.D. 1881.

To William Rowland

County Clerk.

You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of this County, to be held at the Court House in the City of Marquette on Thursday the 15th day of December A.D. 1881. at half past ten o'clock A.M. for the purpose of Auditing Claims and the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

Dated Marquette Mich. Dec. 7th 1881.

James Pickande	3 rd Ward	City of Marquette
William Sedgwick	3 rd "	" " Ishpeming
W ^m H. Sproul	1 st "	" " Negaunee
L.D. Harvey	Township of Chocoma	
James Dwyer	Second Ward	Marquette
George P. Cummings	Fourth Ward	Marquette
John Conner	First Ward	Marquette City.

The meeting was called to order at half past ten o'clock A.M. by Peter Pascoe Chairman, and the roll being called by the clerk, the following named members were present. Messrs Broad, Christopher, Conner, Dwyer, Hall, Harvey, Hibbert, Pickande, Read, Seigel, Sedgwick, Sproul, Stevens and Chairman 14.

Absent. Messrs Cummings, Ellis, Johnson, Kirkpatrick, Maas, James Pascoe and Sandberg.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Presentation of claims, petitions and Communications.

The following Communication was received, read and on motion of Mr Pickande referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

To the board of Supervisors of Marquette Co.
Gentlemen

I would wish to bring to your Honorable Body's notice, in regard to Prosecuting Attorney, and would wish that some means be taken to compel his attendance when called upon. I would wish to state here that I have, and other Justices has called upon him to come to this place at once, and sometimes it would be a week or more before he could be got here, in some cases we have kept a prisoner in jail here for five days adjourning from day to day, waiting for prosecuting Attorney until we would

have to do something with him, the prisoner. In one case we had a very bad case here, that probably would send prisoner to State prison. but some one thought he was long enough in jail, and broke it open and he left for parts unknown. In other instance we had quite which I had to adjourn from one week to another for near two months, and if those was the only ones would not eng anything, but it is always the same. Now gentlemen I do not send you this to cause any trouble or any thing wrong. it is only that our calls on the Prosecuting Attorney might be more promptly attended to. And as for Mr John S. Adame is a gentleman I think very much of, and would not wish him any wrong but would like to see him sharpened up and come when is wanting, as we up here think it of great importance. Now gentlemen I hope you will act on this and give it your attention.

I am yours very resp.

William J. Doyle.

Justice of the Peace

Dated Dec. 9th 1881

Republic Mich.

The following communication was recieved, read, and on motion of Mr Sedgwick accepted, and ordered placed on file.

Houghton Mich. Dec 7. 1881

Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County Michigan

I do hereby certify that the business of the Circuit Court for the County of Marquette is such as to render the appointment of a Stenographer desirable. I therefore suggest, that you pass the necessary resolution for the employment of one. I suggest this because the Circuit being divided, there is some doubt whether the former resolution, which I understand was passed by you, will authorize such employment in the future. At all events a new resolution will obviate all doubts. I enclose herewith a form of resolution which, as appears to me, will meet the requirements of the Statute. Under the Statute, after the Boards of Supervisors of the several Counties have authorized such employment, the salary of \$2,000 is apportioned by the Judge among the Counties according to the number of cases brought in each County the year preceding. See 2nd Vol. of the Compiled Laws, page 1529.

Very Respectfully

C. B. Grant

Circuit Judge.

Motions and Resolutions

Mr Sedgwick offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Whereas. The Judge of the Circuit Court for this County has certified that the business of said Court is such as to render the employment of a stenographer desirable. Therefore. Resolved. That the said Circuit Judge is hereby authorized to recommend to the Governor the appointment of such Stenographer, in connection with the other Counties in the Circuit.

Wm Sedgwick

Mr Hall offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

Whereas. The Marquette Mining Journal and Magazine from Harold have faithfully published the proceedings of the several meetings of this Board during the year now closing, without charge to the County. therefore. Resolved. that the County Clerk is hereby instructed to publish the Annual reports in the before mentioned papers, at one legal price to each

C. H. Hall.

Mr Pickands offered the following resolution which was adopted. Resolved. That the salary of the Circuit Court Reporter be & the same is hereby fixed at the sum of One thousand ~~_____~~ Dollars \$1,000⁰⁰ per annum payable quarterly

James Pickands

On motion of Mr Christopher adjourned until 1³⁰ P.M.

One o'clock thirty minutes P.M.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman at one o'clock thirty minutes P.M. and the roll called by the Clerk. Quorum of the Board present

Presentation of Petitions and Communications.

The following petition was presented, read and on motion of Mr Sedgwick referred to a special Committee of Three to be appointed by the Chair

Petition

To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Michigan We the undersigned citizens and freeholders of the Town of Ely in said Marquette County respectfully represent that by reason of the great size of the said

Town of Ely, we are prevented from exercising the right of suffrage and are unable to secure the benefits and protection of the Laws of the State of Michigan to which we are rightfully entitled. We do therefore respectfully petition your Honorable Body to set off from said Town of Ely all that part of it lying West of Range 30 West and out of the territory so set off to create a new Town to be called the Town of Crystal Falls. the first election for the organization of the same to be held at such place in the Village of Crystal Falls and at such time as the Order of your Honorable Body shall direct. And your petitioners will ever pray. Dated at Crystal Falls Michigan November 8th 1881.

Names

W. C. Welsh
 S. D. Hollister
 D. C. Lockwood
 Peter Milette
 Michiel King
 J. E. Bower
 Jas. M. Kulig
 H. C. Kimball M.D.
 Wm B. Carlin

Names

George Nickolson
 Martin Ragan
 Geo. Runkel
 J. E. Kelley
 Wm Doucet
 David T. Adams
 A. J. Harding
 Andrew Vandamdaigue

Presented by F. W. Read Dec 15th/81

The Chair appointed the following persons as members of the above Committee. Messrs Sedgwick, Rickande & Ball.

Reports of Committee.

By the Special Committee on procuring heating apparatus.
 To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette.
 Gentlemen.

Your Committee charged with procuring a heating apparatus for heating the County Court House and jail beg leave to report that after a careful examination of different systems of heating they decided upon heating by steam, & that they entered into contract with Messrs Bush & Runyan of Mansfield Ohio to furnish a complete steam heating system for both buildings so constructed that each building may be operated separately or together, for the sum of twenty-four hundred dollars \$2400⁰⁰. that the work has been done to the satisfaction of & has been accepted by your Committee & your committee asks to be discharged from further consideration of the subject

Wm Sedgwick Chairman
 James Rickande
 Wm H. Sproul
 L. D. Kearney

Marquette Mich.
 Dec 15. 1881

On motion of Mr Keall the above report was accepted and committee discharged

By the Special Committee on Improvements.
To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County
Lints

Your Special committee authorized to make the additions to the Marquette County Court House as contemplated by resolution adopted the 25 day of April last, beg leave to report, that they accepted the bid of H. Gregory of Marquette to build the necessary additions as per plans and specifications as accepted by your resolution of June 13th 1881. for the sum of \$4735⁰⁰. This addition is now complete and accepted by your committee who ask to be discharged

Wm Sedgwick Chair.

On motion of Mr Read the above report was accepted and committee discharged

By the Auditing Committee.

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

Number of Claim	Name of Claimant	What For	Am't Claimed	Am't Allowed
2255	Michigan Lylum	Clothing and patients for quarter ending Oct. 31/81	128 34	128 34
2256	Joseph Vivian	Watching Insane person	21 60	21 60
2257	H. S. Taft M.D.	Examination of Insane person	5 00	5 00
2258	J. A. Desjardins M.D.	" " " "	5 00	5 00
2259	John Jeffery	Expenses taking Ellen Hosking to Kalamazoo	68 75	68 75
2260	do do	do to St Paul after N. Bisson	107 25	107 25
2261	do do	do in case People vs Landrie	8 70	8 70
2262	do do	do summoning Jurors Nov term.	16 86	16 86
2263	do do	do Serving order on Frank Newell	2 00	2 00
2264	do do	do in case People vs Lerowl	5 13	5 13
2265	do do	do Summoning Jurors January term	9 74	9 74
2266	do do	Board of prisoners Oct. & Nov.	379 37	379 37
2267	P. J. Lemick Sheriff Out	Expenses in case People vs Turcott	72 95	72 95
2268	H. A. Young	Justice fee in case People vs Bisson et al	24 50	24 50
2269	William J. Doyle	do do do do " " McDonald	14 35	3 80
2270	do do	do do do do Healey	10 65	3 90
2271	do do	do do do do Beattie	15 15	Referred to full board
2272	do do	do do do do McTaggart	15 25	"

2273	John G. O'Kuffel	Justice fee in case People vs Halech	3 25	3 25
		do do do do do	3 25	3 25
		do do do do do Clark	3 15	3 15
2274	William B. Wallace	do do do do do Fitzwilliam	6 95	6 95
		do do do do do Thomas	4 05	4 05
2275	Byron D. Jones	do do do do do Lemiere	3 84	3 84
2276	E.E. Oeborn	Taking recognizance People vs Biezon	3 00	3 00
2277	Joseph Riorden	Interpreter in Case " " "	8 00	8 00
2278	Robert R. French	Constable fee in case People vs Clark	2 09	2 09
2279	do do	do do do do do Halech	1 59	1 59
2280	do do	do do do do do do	1 59	1 59
2281	Joe Richardson	do do do do do O'Brien et al	10 36	10 36
2282	Jacob Dolf	do do do do do McDonald	4 25	4 25
2283	Antoin Munch	do do do do do Thomas	7 19	7 19
2284	do do	do do do do do Fitzwilliam	4 99	4 99
2285	William Anderson	do do do do do Healy	11 55	11 55
2286	Samuel Santhony	do do do do do Corbis	7 92	6 80
2287	do do	do do do do do M'Taggart	15 92	referred to full Board
2288	do do	do do do do do McDonald	16 50	"
2289	do do	do do do do do Beattie	10 82	"
2290	do do	do do do do do Healy	3 45	3 45
2291	do do	do do do do do Mutter	10 62	9 33
2292	Francis Brown	do do do do People vs Healy	3 85	3 85
2293	Jacob Dimer	Assisting Samuel Santhony	6 48	5 38
2294	F. H. Kearney	Services as Juror in Justice Court	1	50
2295	James Burk	" " " " " "	50	50
2296	Andrew Johnston	" " " " " "	1	50
2297	Edward E. Weiser	" " Justice of the Peace at Inquest	13 60	10 25
2298	John Westgren	" " Coroner " "	5 36	5 36
2299	H. Oliv Young	" " Justice of the Peace " "	6 06	6 06
2300	William Anderson	" " Constable " "	5 70	5 70
2301	Fred J. Eggan	" " " " " "	2 50	2 50
2302	" "	" " " " " "	4 20	4 20
2303	W. L. C. Pearce	" " " " " "	2 00	2 00
2304	F. L. Heischman M.D	Making Autopsy	20 00	referred to full Board
2305	C. S. Lombard " "	" " " " " "	25 00	10
2306	W. E. Harwood " "	" " " " " "	25 00	10
2307	C. S. Lombard " "	" " " " " "	15 00	10
2308	W. E. Harwood " "	" " " " " "	15 00	10
2309	Alex Gload	Digging Grave	3 00	3
2310	John Marth	Services as Interpreter at Inquest	3 00	3
2311	Alexander Loxstrom	" " " " " "	1 00	1

2312	Magnus Westman	Services At Inquest	2 50	rejected
2313	Phillip Jones	" as Juror at Inquest	1 50	1 50
2314	Elie Walcutt	" " " " "	1 50	1 50
2315	John Hanson	" " " " "	1 50	1 50
2316	Austin Kenney	" " " " "	1 50	1 50
2317	Charles Crowley	" " " " "	1 50	1 50
2318	M. B. Toutloff	" " " " "	1 50	1 50
2319	Harry Harwood	" " " " "	3 00	3
2320	C. R. Ely	" " " " "	3	3
2321	O. Jones	" " " " "	3	3
2322	A. H. Myers	" " " " "	3	3
2323	L. S. Curry	" " " " "	3	3
2324	J. Mallanney	" " " " "	3	3
2325	August Osterlund	" " Witness " "	85	85
2326	Andrew Peterson	" " " " "	85	85
2327	Mangus Westerman	" " " " "	85	85
2328	Thomas Swanson	" " " " "	85	85
2329	Aug Jacobson	" " " " "	85	85
2330	Eric Olson	" " " " "	85	85
2331	Christ Olson	" " " " "	85	85
2332	John Lundin	" " " " "	85	85
2333	Andrew Rautio	" " " " "	85	85
2334	Abraham Tomkang	" " " " "	85	85
2335	Henry Jackala	" " " " "	85	85
2336	Jacob Kivalla	" " " " "	85	85
2337	Gust Loxelrom	" " " " "	85	85
2338	August Karwalla	" " " " "	85	85
2339	Joseph Luivas	" " " " "	85	85
2340	Louis Johnson	" " " " "	75	75
2341	Samuel Santhony	" " " " "	75	75
2342	Victor Peterson	" " " " "	75	75
2343	Joseph Bruneau	" " " " "	75	75
2344	John Saworle	" " " " "	75	75
2345	E. G. Wickelrom	" " " " "	75	75
2346	John P. Lundquist	" " " " "	75	75
2347	A. P. Swineford	Printing Examination Schedules &c	12	12
2348	L. P. Erary	"	6	6
2349	Chas A. Eggers	2 Record of Deeds	36	36
2350	do do	1 Common Rule book	12	12
2351	John G. O'Keeffe	Services as Justice of the Peace	2	2
2352	Edward S. Hardy	" " " " "	2	2
2353	Robert R. French	" " Deputy Sheriff	20	20

2354	W. A. Jellison	Lunches for Jurors	6 50	6 50
2355	William Rowland	Expressage	75	75
2356	do do	do	75	75
2357	do do	do	25	25
2358	do do	do	75	75
2359	do do	do	3 25	3 25
2360	do do	do	25	25
2361	do do	do &c	10 45	10 45
2362	H. H. Stafford	1 qt Alcohol &c	90	90
2363	D. W. Kaufman	1 Stamp	5 50	5 50
2364	Freeman Bros	Livery	2	2
2365	E. W. Reed	"	1 50	1 50
2366	James Pickands & Co	1 Ton Soft Coal	6 00	6 00
2367	do do	30 " "	2 25	2 25 00
2368	Marquette Gas Light Co	1/2 " Coke	3 50	3 50
2369	John E. Ward	Wood for Court House	19 00	19 00
2370	Bailey Bros	2 Gall oil	40	40
2371	D. C. Hammond	31 days & nights watching Court House	62 00	62
2372	Mary Harrington	Scrubbing Offices	10 00	10
2373	Marquette Gas Light Co	Gas consumed in Court House	23 40	23 40
2374	" " " "	" " " Jail	21 60	21 60
2375	" " " "	" " " "	21 30	21 30
2376	" " " "	" " " Court House	12 60	12 60
2377	" Water Works	Water consumed in Court House & Jail	29	29
2378	John E. Ward	Insurance on Court House	40	40
2379	H. J. Hopkins	Drain Pipe &c	5 30	5 30
2380	do do	3 Salamanders &c	8 50	8 50
2381	H. Gregory	Addition to Court House	4735 00	4735 00
2382	do do	Extra Work	73 00	58 00
2383	do do	" "	53 90	53 90
2384	Hager & Johnson	Work in Clerk & Register's office & vault	678 65	678 65
2385	do do	Platform for Radiator	3	3
2387	Ross & Grove	Glazing &c	6	6
2388	do do	Kalsomining vault &c in Treas. office	15 40	15 40
2389	James Pickands & Co	Iron	8 34	8 34
2390	Cone & Beale	Forging Bolts	5 00	5 00
2391	R. Miller & Co	Kalsomining	4 50	4 50
2392	Peter Dolf	Sundries	2 16	2 16
2393	H. W. Harvey	Work putting in rods	8 00	8 00
2394	Hutton & Palmer	Sundries	6 30	6 30
2395	Byrnes & Blackwood	Gas fitting &c	47 82	47 82

2396	Bush & Runyan	Furnishing & putting in Steam apparatus in Court House, Jail & Sheriffs residence	2400 00	2400 00
2397	Peter White	Insurance on Jail &c 5 years	175 00	175 00
2398	" "	" " Court House 5 years	280 00	280 00
2399	Dr. Janney	Holding Autopsy	10 00	10 00
2400	L.D. Harvey	Services Superintending improvements on Court House	125 00	125 00

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

L.D. Harvey } Committee
Wm. Sedgwick }

Marquette Mich. Dec. 15. 1881.

On motion of Mr Seigel the above report was accepted and adopted and the Clerk instructed to draw warrants for the amounts as recommended by the committee. by year and name as follows. Year Messrs Broad, Christopher, Connors, Hall, Harvey, Hibbert, Pickands, Read, Seigel, Sedgwick, Sproul and Chairman, 12. Name None.

Claims No. 2271-2272 favor William J. Doyle for services as Justice of the Peace, amounting to \$30.40 was on motion of Mr Harvey allowed at \$16.70

Claims No. 2287-2288-2289 favor Samuel Santhony for services as Deputy Sheriff, amounting to \$43.24 was on motion of Mr Hall allowed at the sum of \$43.24

Claim No. 2304 favor F. L. Hirschman M.D. for holding Autopsy on body of M. Carroll amounting to \$20.00 was on motion of Mr. Sedgwick allowed at the sum of \$20.00

Claim No. 2304 1/2 favor Dr. Janney M.D. for holding Autopsy on body of M. Carroll amounting to \$10.00 was on motion of Mr. Sedgwick allowed at the sum of ten dollars.

Motions and resolutions.

Mr Read offered the following resolution.

Resolved. That the Sheriff as custodian of the County Buildings be and hereby is instructed to hire a suitable person to attend to the Steam apparatus, and act as Janitor of the County Buildings, at a salary of not more than \$50.00 per month

F. W. Read

Which was adopted by yeas and nays as follows. Yeas, Messrs Broad Christopher Connors, Hall, Hearvey, Heibbert, Pickands, Read, Siegel, Sedgwick Sproul and Chairman. 12. Nays None.

Mr. Hall offered the following resolution

Resolved That an allowance be & the same is hereby made to Supervisor S. D. Hearvey, of one hundred & twenty-five 125⁰⁰ dollars for his services during the construction of the additions to the Court House
C. H. Hall.

Which was adopted by yeas and nays as follows. Yeas, Messrs Broad Christopher, Connors, Hall Heibbert, Pickands Read, Siegel Sedgwick, Sproul and Chairman. 11. Nays None.

On motion of Mr Sedgwick the Board adjourned without day

William Rutland
Clerk

Peter Pascoe
Chairman

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held pursuant to the following call at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Tuesday the thirty first day of January A. D. 1882.

To William Rutland

County Clerk of the County of Marquette

The undersigned constituting more than one third of the Board of Supervisors of said County of Marquette do hereby request you to call a special meeting of said Board of Supervisors to be held on Tuesday January 31, 1882 at ten o'clock A.M. at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County.

Dated January 24 1882

Wm. Sedgwick	Supr 3 rd Ward City of Ishpeming
Wm. H. Spruel	" 1 st " " " Negaunee
R. D. Ellis	" " " " Olden
Geo. B. Cummings	" 4 th Ward Marquette
James Dwyer	
John Connor	Dist. Ward Marquette City
L. D. Harvey	Chocomaug
D. H. Read	Negaunee Twp.

The Chairman not being present the meeting was called to order by the County Clerk, and the roll being called the following named members were present, Messrs Broad, Christopher, Cummings, Dwyer, Hall, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Maas, Read, Sandberg, Sigel, Sedgwick, Spruel, Stevens 15.
Absent Messrs Connor, Ellis, Kirkpatrick, James Pasero, Richards, and Chairman - 6.

On motion of Mr Hall, Mr Stevens was elected temporary Chairman.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Presentation of Claims petitions and communications

Mr Henry D. Lyon presented his credentials as Supervisor of the Third Ward of the City of Marquette in place of James Pickens which credentials were on motion accepted and Mr Lyon took his seat as member of the board.

The Resignation of John E. Ward County Treas. was presented laid on the table.

On motion of Mr Hall the Board took a recess until half past one o'clock P.M.

The Board was called to order at half past one o'clock P.M. by Mr J. P. Stearns temporary Chairman and the roll being called by the Clerk there were present Myro Broad, Christopher, Enners, Cummings, Dwyer, Hall, Harvey, Gilbert, Johnson, Lynn, Read, Sandberg, Siegel, Sedgwick, Spruel, Maas and Chairman - 17.
Absent Myro Ellis, Kirkpatrick, James Pascoe and Peter Pascoe, 4

Motions and Resolutions

Mr Harvey presented the following resolution which was adopted.
Resolved that the Prosecuting Attorney present this Board forthwith with a statement showing the amount of money due this County since January 1st 1877 from forfeited recognizances, appeal cases or from any other source wherein the County is interested, giving the dates, title of cause and a statement of what has been done by him toward collecting the same.

Mr Read presented the following resolution which was adopted.
Resolved that the Prosecuting Attorney make a personal examination immediately of all the Justice Dockets in this County and file a written report of the same with the Clerk of this Board as soon as possible.

Mr Harvey presented the following resolution.
Resolved that the salary of the Judge of Probate be and the same is hereby fixed at the rate of Twelve hundred dollars per annum from the first January A.D. 1882, payable quarterly, which was adopted by yeas and nays as follows. Yeas Myro, Broad, Christopher, Cummings, Dwyer, Harvey, Gilbert, Johnson, Maas, Read, Siegel and Chairman 11. Nays nine.

Reports of Committee

By the Committee on County officers accounts,
To the Board of Supervisors.
Gentlemen.

Since the last meeting of the Board, your committee on County officers accounts were informed by some of the County Treasurers bondsmen that they had reason to believe John E. Ward County Treasurer to

a defaulter in office to a considerable amount, and said bondsmen requested your Committee to make an immediate investigation without waiting for the board to assemble. Your Committee immediately proceeded to examine the treasurer's books and accounts, and after several days spent in such examination found that the treasurer was a defaulter to the extent of Eighteen thousand dollars, and upwards. The treasurer himself admitted the defalcation to your committee, and claims to have been ignorant that he was a defaulter until a few days previously and expressed a desire to resign his office which he accordingly did and such resignation is now on file with the County Clerk. Your committee then took immediate steps to convene a meeting of this Board for the purpose of taking action in the premises and in the mean time placed an officer in charge of the treasurer's office. In the absence of the prosecuting attorney, legal adviser of the board. Your Committee consulted private counsel. Mr W^m P. Healey, and have thus far acted under legal advice in the interests of the County. Your Committee are of the opinion that the interests of the County will not be prejudiced in accepting the resignation of the treasurer. Public policy does not require that a defaulter shall be continued in office even for the purpose of investigating his accounts, such investigation can be made equally as well when his successor is appointed. Your Committee therefore recommend that the resignation of John E. Ward County treasurer be accepted, that a successor be appointed and immediate steps be taken to secure the County from loss.

W^m Sedgewick.

W^m H. Sproul.

On motion of Mr. Hall, the Report of the Committee on County Officers accounts was accepted.

Unfinished Business

On motion of Mr. Sedgewick the resignation of John E. Ward, was taken from the table and on further motion the same was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mr. Hall presented the following, which was, on motion, accepted, providing the parties agree to make no contest as to the validity of the late County treasurer's bond in which they are bondsmen.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

The Undersigned bondsmen of John E. Ward, in view of his resignation as County treasurer, respectfully petition your honorable body to appoint Benjamin W. Wright, County treasurer for the unexpired term.

A. W. Myers

John W. Jochim.

Daniel F. Wadsworth.

William F. Swift

William H. Hood.

Ishpeming, Mich Jan 30th 1882.

Mr. Cummings offered the following resolution which was adopted:
Resolved. That the time for settlement of the accounts of the several township treasurers with the County Treasurer be extended till the first day of March next.

Mr. Sedgwick offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved. That the Prosecuting Attorney be and he is hereby directed and fully empowered to take the necessary legal steps, forthwith, to secure the County against loss in the case of the late County Treasurer, John E. Ward, and for that purpose he is authorized and required to commence and prosecute all such suits or other legal proceedings necessary or appropriate.

Resolved That Wm P. Healy is hereby appointed counsel with the prosecuting attorney in any legal proceedings which he may institute in relation to the foregoing.

On Motion of Mr. Hall

The Board took a recess for thirty minutes.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman, at three o'clock P.M. the roll called by the Clerk, quorum of the Board present.

Mr. Christopher offered the following resolution:

Resolved. That John P. Dousman be and is hereby appointed County Treasurer, in place of John E. Ward, whose resignation has been accepted, and that he give Bonds to the County in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

Mr. Read. offered as an amendment that the Board proceed to elect a county treasurer, which amendment was carried.

The following vote was then taken.

First ballot:— John P. Dousman. — 8. votes.

C. H. Ball. — 7. votes.

B. W. Wright — 2. votes.

Second ballot:—

John P. Dousman. — 11. votes

C. H. Ball. — 6. votes

Whereupon the Chairman declared John P. Dousman elected as County Treasurer, to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of John E. Ward.

The Following resolution offered by Supervisor Hall, was unanimously adopted.

Resolved. That a county treasurer to hold during the unexpired term of the late treasurer John E. Ward, be elected at the Annual Spring election to be held on the first Monday of April next.

Resolved. That the Sheriff be and he is hereby directed to give notice of such election by posting three printed notices in each township and ward in the County. at least thirty days before such election, and also cause a notice to be published for three successive weeks in the several newspapers published in the County.

The following resolution offered by Supervisor Sedgwick. —
was adopted:

Resolved. That the Circuit Judge is requested to pass upon the validity and security of the bonds of the treasurer, pending the next meeting of this Board.

Supervisor Sedgwick offered the following resolution. —
which was adopted:

Resolved. That the County Clerk be empowered to take charge of the books and accounts of the late county treasurer, until the County treasurer elect is duly qualified under the Law to assume the duties of his office.

Supervisor Sedgwick, offered the following resolution, —
which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved. That the County Clerk be, and he is hereby required to employ a properly qualified expert to thoroughly examine the books and papers of the late county treasurer, and ascertain if any other delinquencies have taken place besides the ones already presented to the Board.

Supervisor Wall, offered the following resolution. —
which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved. That the following sums be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the general fund for Stationery, postage, and for use of the following county officers: County Clerk, including Court Calendar; \$400.00. Judge of Probate. \$125.00.

On motion of Supervisor Maas the Board adjourned, —
Without date.

William Grueland
Clerk.

Chairman

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held pursuant to the following call at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Thursday the 30th day of March A.D. One thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

De William Rutland

County Clerk

You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County to be held at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Thursday the 30th day of March A.D. 1882, at ten o'clock a.m. for the purpose of Auditing Claims and the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

Dated March 21. 1882.

J. A. Read

Isaac Johnson

W. H. Spruel

J. A. Stevens

R. P. Ellis

James Dwyer

Nath Giblat

A Sandberg.

The meeting was called to order at ten o'clock a.m. by Peter Passer Chairman and the roll being called by E. D. Hardy Deputy Clerk the following named members were present. Myers Christopher, Amos Dwyer, Ellis, Hall, Hardy, Giblat, Johnson, Isaac, Richards, Read, Sandberg, Sigel, Sedgwick, Spruel and Chairman 16. Absent Myers Broad, Cummings, Kirkpatrick, James Passer, Stevens.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr William W. Williams presented his credentials as Supervisor of the Fourth Ward of the City of Marquette in place of George P. Cummings which credentials were in motion accepted and Mr Williams took his seat as member of the board.

Special Bond of John Jeffery Sheriff in the sum of ten thousand dollars signed by John Jeffery as principal and Henry Murry Edward Britting and E. D. Cyr was presented for approval and in motion of Mr Sedgwick the same was referred to the Auditing Attorney.

Bond of John P. Douman Treasurer in the sum of One hundred thousand dollars, signed by John P. Douman as principal and Thos Norton, John P. Cuthwaite, John A. Joachim, Mallammy Gaway Diamond, Danl. D. Macdough, Beny Briggs, William H. Good, Alex. D. Myers and D. D. Carpenter as sureties was presented for approval and on motion of Mr Sedgwick the same was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

Bond of D. Murty in the sum of two Dollars and twenty five cents to indemnify the county against loss for issue of duplicate warrant to replace warrant # 41547 was presented and on motion of Mr. the Clerk was instructed to issue a duplicate Warrant to said Murty.

On motion of Mr Sedgwick the Board took a recess for fifteen minutes.

The Board was called to order at half past eleven o'clock a.m. Roll called by the Deputy Clerk, quorum of the Board present.

The Prosecuting Attorney to whom was referred the Bonds of John Jeffery Sheriff and John P. Douman Treasurer reported to the Board that the Bond of the Sheriff was correctly drawn and should be approved, and that there was a slight informality in the wording of the Treasurers Bond but thought the Board might safely approve of it as the term of the Treasurer in question was so short, and on motion of Mr Spruell the Chairman and Clerk were instructed to approve of the above Bonds.

The Prosecuting Attorney asked for further time in which to make his report on the examination of Justice dockets. which request was on motion of Mr Read granted.

By the Special Committee to whom was referred the petition of O.O. Helsh and others for the organization of a new township.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County
Gentlemen

Your special Committee instructed to consider and report upon the petition of O.O. Helsh and sixteen other citizens and freeholders of Ely Township, praying that so much of the territory lying west of range thirty (30) west be set off from said township of Ely and out of the territory so set off to create a new town to be called the township of Crystal Falls. Your Committee has given

Carefull construction to the petition and by leave to report the same back to this Board, with the recommendation that the petition be granted and that the necessary steps be taken to create the township asked for by the petitioners.

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Mr Sedgwick
James Richards
C. H. Hall. } Committee

Which report was unanimously accepted and adopted.

Mr Sedgwick offered the following resolution which was adopted. Resolved that the Prosecuting Attorney be instructed to draw up a resolution setting aside the territory named in the petition of O. O. Welsh and others into a new township to be named the township of Crystal Falls and to present the said resolution to this board at the afternoon session for further action.

Mr Sedgwick moved that the Chairman appoint a committee of five to confer with the Bondsmen of the late defaulting County Treasurer for the purpose of hearing anything which they may wish to offer to this board, which motion prevailed and the Chair appointed as such committee Messrs Richards, Sprule, Christopher Read and Maas.

On motion of Mr Connors the board took a recess until half past one o'clock P.M.

The board was called to order at half past one o'clock P.M. by the Chairman and the roll called by the Deputy Clerk. quorum of the board present.

The Prosecuting Attorney presented the following.
In the matter of the application of O. O. Welsh and
others for the creation and organization of a new township.

It appearing to the Board of Supervisors that application has been made and notices thereof have been signed posted up and published in the manner provided by law, and having duly considered the matter of said application, the Board order and enact, That the territory described in said application to wit. All that portion of territory now included in the township of Ely in this county lying west of range thirty (30) west be detached from said township of Ely and erected into a new township to be called the township of Crystal Falls.

And said Board further order and enact that the first township meeting thereof shall be held at Drickets Hall in the village

of Crystal Falls in said township on the third Monday in April A.D. 1882. and that Solomon D. Hollister, William Doucet and Patrick E. Dunn three electors of said township shall be the persons whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting appoint a clerk, open and keep the polls and execute the same powers as the inspectors of election at every township meeting as the law provides.

Which report was accepted and adopted by Yeas and Nays as follows: Yeas Messrs Christopher, Connors, Dwyer, Ellis, Hall, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Richards, Read, Sandberg, Siegel, Sedgwick, Spruel and Chairman Nays Mr Maas.

By the Special committee appointed to confer with the Bondsman of the late County Treasurer.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County
Gentlemen.

Your special committee appointed to meet a committee of the Bondsman of the late County Treasurer John E. Ward by leave to report that before them came Messrs Thadsworth, Good and Myers, three of the said bondsmen and claiming to represent all of the bondsmen on both bonds, given by this officer to the county of Marquette. That this committee of the bondsmen make to the Board of Supervisors of this county through your special committee the following proposition of settlement of their liabilities as bondsmen, under both bonds of the said John E. Ward namely, They offer to pay into the county Treasury the sum of \$10,000 ten thousand dollars upon full and complete release to themselves singly and collectively from all responsibility as bondsmen on the said bonds. In making this proposal they claim the right to retain for their own use and benefit all money, lands and personal property, seized by them as the property of the said John E. Ward and stated by them as amounting to \$6,000 or upwards after their legal expenses have been paid.

Your committee has given careful consideration to proposal made, and reports the same to this board with the unanimous recommendation that it be not entertained.

Which report was on motion of Mr Williams accepted and adopted and the recommendations of the committee concurred in by Yeas and Nays as follows: Yeas Messrs Christopher, Connors, Dwyer, Ellis, Hall, Harvey, Hibbert, Johnson, Richards, Read, Sandberg, Siegel, Sedgwick, Spruel, Maas, Williams Chairman Nays none.

By the Auditing Committee.

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

name of claimant	what for	amts. claimed	amount paid
Michigan Asylum	Board of Insane	166 71	166 71
James Smith	Witness Probate Court	4 25	4 35
William Anderson	" " "	4 50	4 50
J. H. McCabe	" " "	4 50	4 50
Edwin Stone	" " "	4 35	4 35
Samuel Danthony	" " "	4 35	4 35
James Burke	" " "	4 35	4 35
W. P. Tapp	Examination of Insane	5	5
J. A. Desjardin	" " "	5	5
West Publishing Co	Subscription to N. W. Reporter	5	5
Robt. H. French	Services Deputy Sheriff	5 50	5 50
"	" " "	7 50	7 50
Jacob Dief	" " "	40	40
"	" " "	12 50	12 50
John E. O'Ruffe	" Justice of the Peace	2	2
"	" " "	2	2
"	" " "	2	2
Edmond P. Carey	" " "	2	2
"	" " "	2	2
"	" " "	2	2
W. A. Allison	Services for Jurors	13	13
John Halgren	Services as Coroner	6 51	5 01
"	" " "	5 48	5 48
"	" " "	5 48	5 48
"	" " "	5 48	5 48
"	" " "	5 48	5 48
"	" " "	5 37	5 37
"	" " "	5 73	5 73
"	" " "	5 12	5 12
John E. O'Ruffe	" " "	5 06	5 06
J. B. Fitzpatrick	" " "	5 41	5 41
Fred. J. Egan	Constable -	2 50	2 50
"	" " "	4	4
"	" " "	4	4
"	" " "	4	4
"	" " "	2 85	2 85

Fred. J. Eggan	Constable at Inquest	280	280
"	"	41	41
Arthur R. Brunch	"	345	345
Joseph Richardson	"	170	170
Joseph Roberts	Juror	215	215
J. E. Zalinski	"	225	225
Max Endelman	"	225	225
J. Mallamney	"	225	225
E. A. Hadrich	"	225	225
M. B. Doulloff	"	225	225
John Hanson	"	225	225
Alu. Grant	"	1	75
Geo. Day	"	1	75
Martin Ford	"	1	75
Edward Doyle	"	1	75
Frank Wheeler	"	1	75
Peter Connell	"	1	75
John Peterson	"	150	150
Alfred McComber	"	150	150
Charles P. Fodergren	"	150	150
Emad Carlson	"	150	150
Gordon Murray	"	150	150
Wm. Murdoch	"	150	150
C. D. Thorpe	"	150	150
John Anderson	"	150	150
Peter Johnson	"	150	150
Dennis Cleary	"	150	150
James Morrow	"	150	150
Thos. McHale	"	150	150
Peter Johnson	"	150	150
Thos. McHale	"	150	150
James Morrow	"	150	150
Dennis Cleary	"	150	150
John Anderson	"	150	150
C. D. Thorpe	"	150	150
William Verran	"	150	75
Sidney P. Kline	"	150	75
Paul Webb	"	150	75
Byron D. Jones	"	150	75
Eugene Frost	"	150	75
Charles Sundberg	"	150	75
D. M. Paetrick	"	150	150

Old Halseth	Jurat Inquest	150	150
Austin Kinn	" " "	150	150
Freud Johnson	" " "	150	150
John Peterson	" " "	150	150
John Blumett	" " "	150	150
D. M. Packrider	" " "	150	150
Henry Harwood	" " "	150	150
Phillip Jones	" " "	150	150
John Mallanney	" " "	150	150
Chas. P. Dodergun	" " "	150	150
Conrad Carlson	" " "	150	150
Carl Peterson	" " "	150	150
Alfred McComber	" " "	150	150
Gordon Murray	" " "	150	150
John Smith	" " "	150	150
Charles P. Dodergun	" " "	150	150
Conrad Carlson	" " "	150	150
Charles Bunt	" " "	75	75
Jerry Gilbert	" " "	75	75
Thomas Hill	" " "	75	75
Oliver Murphy	" " "	75	75
John Brown	" " "	75	75
Joseph Kinniff	Witness	1	75
Edward Hogan	" " "	1	75
Wimman McLeod	Coffin	725	725
Edward Slattery	Taking care of dead body	5	5
Walter Johnson	Burial case	650	650
August Swalin	Cartage of dead body	1	1
Joseph Dietrich	taking body from Carver	1	1
Edward Hogan	Assisting	1	1
James Richmond	Digging grave	3	3
Timothy Jeffery	Board of prisoners	3269	3269
" "	" " "	24188	24188
" "	" " "	10875	10875
" "	Transportation of prisoners	6125	6125
" "	" " "	6405	6405
" "	Expenses	1027	1027
" "	" " "	790	790
" "	" " "	270	270
" "	" " "	1835	1835
" "	" " "	1904	1904
Jacob Delf	Serving subpoena	6	6

Jacob Doy	Services as Deputy Sheriff	788	788
"	"	1840	1840
W. S. O'Beare	Constable	280	280
"	"	240	240
"	"	345	195
Robt. P. Bunch	"	159	159
"	"	173	173
"	"	205	205
"	"	182	182
"	"	218	218
"	"	218	218
"	"	218	218
"	"	1394	1394
"	"	205	205
"	"	1081	991
Joe Richardson	Deputy Sheriff	811	405
"	"	1031	831
"	"	1151	946
"	"	1929	1854
Antrim Munch	Constable	544	364
"	"	640	430
John S. O'Ruffel	Justice of the Peace	1347	1337
"	"	1490	1490
"	"	320	320
Edward S. Wards	"	3	3
William B. Wallace	"	1208	1208
W. O. Young	"	2125	2125
William J. Doyle	"	550	550
"	"	545	380
"	"	765	395
Gerry Davis	"	7	7
M. McCallum	Services as Juror in Justice Court	1	1
Thomas Canning	"	1	1
John Cannon	"	1	1
A. S. Johnson	"	1	1
John P. Christopher	"	1	1
William P. Everts	"	1	1
William O. Brien	"	1	1
David Clifford	"	1	1
John Rich	"	1	1
Andrew Johnson	"	1	1
J. Treddle	"	1	1

Thomas Pithino	Services as Juror in Justice Court	1	1
John Pours	" " " " "	1	1
A. Morrish	" " " " "	50	50
John Vail	" " " " "	50	50
M. J. Canning	" " " " "	50	50
Ernie Puitzer	" " " " "	50	50
Charles Perry	" " " " "	50	50
William Bayfield	" " witness	140	140
Malcolm Wallis	" " " " "	140	140
Thomas McTaggart	" " " " "	140	140
Thomas Andrews	" " " " "	140	140
Thomas McNulty	" " " " "	140	140
Frank Kearney	" " " " "	140	140
William J. Darlington	" " " " "	140	140
William Duruel	" " " " "	140	140
Michael Tully	" " " " "	48	48
John Shea	" " " " "	48	48
Phillip McCullough	" " " " "	48	48
Charlotte Jenkins	" " " " "	50	50
John Ship	" " " " "	50	50
Mic. Simmons	" " " " "	50	50
Johannah Sullivan	" " " " "	50	50
John Bear	" " " " "	50	50
Peter Jacobson	" " " " "	50	50
John Fitzgerald	" " " " "	98	98
James Goldsmithy	" " " " "	98	98
Edward Pierce	" " " " "	98	98
American Express Co	Appurage	50	50
H. H. Bittel	Telegraphing	75	75
E. D. Harey	Expressages	85	85
Chas. A. Eggers	Index to files	250	250
" " "	Books etc	46	46
J. P. Cray	Printing Bonds etc	8	8
H. K. Volk	Services in Treas office	3	3
A. P. Pineford	Publishing Liquor tax upon	2240	2240
C. S. Griffey	" " " "	2240	2240
L. O. Cray	Blankets etc	2250	2240
" " "	" " "	1350	5
" " "	" " "	5	5
Joe Rouville	Hauling saw dust	2	2
George Cinklin	Cleaning clocks	550	550
William Rowland	Telegraphing	558	558

William Grueland	Telegraphing CT	849	849
" "	Freight	87	87
" "	Expenses	45	45
" "	Freight	2	2
" "	Expenses	15	15
Marquette Gas Light Co	one ton Coke	650	650
Walter Johanson	Vault work etc	14934	14934
" "	Sundries	7693	7693
A. H. Reed & Co	Shoveling CT	450	450
J. E. Swift	one Pump for Boiler	875	875
Iron Bay Mfg Co.	one Damper	104	104
Emmet Beale	Blacksmith work	5	5
Andrew Blodden	Plastering in Jail	5	5
J. A. Desjardin	Medical Attendance	18	18
M. H. Manhard	Sundries	1623	1623
" "	"	6656	6656
" "	"	650	650
W. J. Hopkins	Repairs on Truck	75	75
" "	30 tons Bricks	950	950
" "	Plumbing work at Court House	831	831
" "	" " Jail	3682	3682
M. H. Manhard & Co	Sundries	1150	1150
" "	Repairs on vault doors	650	650
" "	one Coal Rake	180	180
" "	15" nails	95	95
" "	Sundries	2225	1675
James Pickard & Co	Angel Iron	32	32
" "	one Bar Astoria	7	7
" "	Sundries	1553	1553
" "	"	873	873
" "	"	135	135
" "	10 tons Coal	75	75
J. H. Bailey	Sundries	250	250
David Bros	"	150	150
Goodrich	Removing snow from Court House	10	10
" "	Painting CT	6260	62
Byron Blackwood	Plumbing CT	1284	1284
A. H. Andrews & Co	one Dish	4150	4150
C. H. Hanson	one seal for Probate Court	12	12
" "	one Die	135	135
" "	two Rubber stamps	4	4
John Hallam	Repairing roof on Jail	7	7

Daniel Brittain	Work in Probate office	880	880
Allin Pruntis	" " " "	5	5
E. O. Stafford Bro	Sumaries	465	465
Marquette Saw Light Co	gas for Jail	2010	2010
" " " "	" " " "	2010	2010
" " " "	" " " "	1440	1440
" " " "	" " Court House	780	780
" " " "	" " " "	1620	1620
" " " "	" " " "	990	990
D. S. Hammond	Services as Janitor	50	50
John Connors	" " Supervisor	2184	2184
James Dwyer	" " " "	2184	2184
James Richards	" " " "	1560	1560
W. D. Lynn	" " " "	312	312
Geo P. Cummings	" " " "	1560	1560
William W. Spraul	" " " "	2736	2736
Docas Johnson	" " " "	2736	2736
Nathaniel Gilbert	" " " "	3192	3192
Andrew Sandberg	" " " "	2880	2880
Charles W. Hall	" " " "	1920	1920
William Pedgwick	" " " "	3360	3360
Harry Sigel	" " " "	2352	2352
S. D. Harvey	" " " "	2436	2436
D. H. Read	" " " "	2376	2376
Joe Kirkpatrick	" " " "	1032	1032
J. D. Stearns	" " " "	5208	5208
Richard S. Ellis	" " " "	3528	3528
Josiah Broad	" " " "	3168	3168
E. A. Macas	" " " "	3672	3672
Peter Pascoe	" " " "	4944	4944
James Pascoe	" " " "	672	672
John P. Christopher	" " " "	5292	5292
S. D. Harvey	Services as	2890	2890
W. W. Stafford	Sumaries	1105	1105
John Jeffery	Expenses	825	825
" " " "	" " " "	404	404
J. E. Sherman	Services with expert	12	12
S. D. Harvey	as Supervisor in Committee	1740	1740
William Pedgwick	" " " "	24	24
E. A. Macas	" " " "	1836	1836
William Pedgwick	" " " "	3805	3805
" " " "	" " " "	1788	1788

J. D. Harvey	Services as Supervisor in Comm.	15 12	15 12
Geo Barnes	" with Report	14	14
Edward D. Hardy	" " Committee	3	3
S. W. Read.	" as Supervisor in Comm.	25	25
W. H. Spruel	" " " " "	30 24	30 24
" "	" " " " "	17 9 11	17 10 4

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

Marquette Mich March 30th 1882.

J. D. Harvey
E. A. Macos

Committee

Which report was on motion of Mr Pickands accepted and adopted, and the clerk instructed to issue warrants in the County Treasurer in favor of the claimants named in said report for the amounts as recommended by the said Committee by Deed and ways as follows. Deed Myers Christopher Connors Dwyer, Ellis, Ball, Harvey, Gibbons, Johnson, Macos, Pickands, Read, Sandberg, Sigel, Sedgwick, Spruel, Stevens, Williams and Chairman &c.
Ways None.

Mr Pickands offered the following resolution

Which was unanimously adopted.

Resolved that a committee of three be appointed by the chair from the members of the Bar of the County to confer with the Supervisors of Delta and Menominee Counties, either directly or through the members of the Bar of said Counties, on the matter of payment of special compensation to the Circuit Judge of this Judicial Circuit and that said Committee be and they are hereby requested to report their action and recommendations to this Board at its next meeting.

James Pickands.

The Chair appointed in the above committee Messrs Adams, Kealy and Ball.

The following communication was presented, read and on motion of Mr Connors accepted and ordered placed on file.

Marquette Mich March 15th 1882.

To the Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County Mich.

I herewith hand you my resignation
as superintendent of the Poor, the same to take effect not later than
May 1st next.

Yours Respectfully

Henry E. Warner

On motion of Mr Richards, Edward P. Hardy was elected to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr Henry E. Harnes Superintendent of the Poor.

Mr Henry E. Humphrey who was employed as expert to examine the Books and accounts of John E. Hard late County Treasurer presented his report which was read and on motion of Mr Ball accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mr Dedgwick offered the following resolution
which was adopted.

Resolved that the Prosecuting Attorney be and he hereby is authorized to employ associate counsel to assist him in the Prosecution of the case of the People vs. John E. Hard if the Prosecuting Attorney shall deem it necessary.

Mr Harvey offered the following resolution
which was adopted.

Resolved that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to settle with Mr Henry Humphrey for expenses and services as expert in examining the late County Treasurer's accounts Marquette March 30th 1882.

Mr Harvey also offered the following resolution
which was adopted.

Resolved that the sum of one hundred and twenty five dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund payable to the order of the County Treasurer for stationery and postage for use in his office.

Mr Richards offered the following resolution
which was adopted.

Resolved that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to be published in some paper in this County the report of Mr Humphrey together with all reports and resolutions before this board connected or pertaining to the investigation of the accounts of the Treasurer's office at such time as may be considered safe and proper by the law officers connected in the case.

On motion of Mr Ball the board adjourned without day.

William Rutland
Clerk

Peter Pascoe

Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County held pursuant to the following call, at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County, on Monday the first day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two

To William Rowland

County Clerk.

You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County to be held at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County on Monday the First day of May A.D. 1882. at ten o'clock A.M. for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

Dated Marquette April 20th 1882.

J. F. Stevens
James Pickands
Alfred Desjardin
Martin E. Foard
E. A. Maas
Maurice E. Gaffney
C. W. Hall
J. F. Donahoe

The Board was called to order at ten o'clock A.M. by William Rowland County Clerk and the following named Supervisors were present

John Conner	First Ward	Marquette City
Martin Foard	Second "	" "
J. Pickands	Third "	" "
G. P. Cummings	Fourth "	" "
A. Desjardine	First "	Negaunee "
M. E. Gaffney	Second "	" "
A. Bertrand	Marquette Township	
L. D. Harvey	Chocoma	"
F. W. Read	Negaunee	"
J. F. Stevens	Foreyth	"
E. B. Howard	Schpeming	"
Peter Pascoe	Republic	"
J. P. Christopher	Michigamme	"
J. F. Donahoe	Third Ward	Schpeming City
Jos. Kirkpatrick	Richmond Township	
E. A. Maas	City	"
A. F. Ellis	Hilden	"
L. Doty	First Ward	Schpeming City.

On motion of Mr. Hearsey James Pickande was elected temporary Chairman:

Mr. George M^cAllister presented his credentials as Supervisor from the township of Champion in place of James Pascoe which were accepted and ordered placed on file and Mr. M^cAllister took his seat as member of the Board.

On motion of Mr. Stevens the Board took a recess until two o'clock thirty minutes P. M.

The Board was called to order at half past two o'clock P. M. by James Pickande temporary Chairman, and the roll being called by the Clerk the following named supervisors were present.

Messrs. Bertrand, Christopher, Connors, Cummings, Dejeardine, Donahoe, Doty, Ellis, Ford, Gaffney, Harvey, Howard, Kirkpatrick, Mace, M^cAllister, Peter Pascoe, Pickande, Read and Stevens. 19

Absent Messrs. Hall and Hibbert. 2.

On motion of Mr. Stevens the Board proceeded to ballot for permanent Chairman whereupon Mr. Peter Pascoe having received the unanimous vote was declared elected.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Read offered the following resolution which was adopted. Resolved. That the rules of the last Board be adopted as the rules of this Board until further ordered.

L. W. Read.

Mr. Kirkpatrick offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved: That an additional Standing Committee of this Board be appointed to consist of three members and to be known as the "Committee on Superintendents of the Poor" whose duty it shall be to meet at least once every three months (and oftener if necessary) and examine the accounts, and reports of said Superintendents: and also into the matter of furnishing supplies for the Poor House, and its management; and the furnishing of temporary relief: and into such other matters, which may be of importance to the County, and to make report to this Board the result of their examination coupled with any suggestions that they may deem beneficial and of interest to the County, in the matter of said County Poor, its management, and its property.

Resolved. further that said Committee have power to cause such reports

and statements to be made by the said Superintendents, and filed with the Secretary of the Board, as they may direct touching upon said County Poor
 Jos. Kirkpatrick.

The following petitions were presented, read and on motion of Mr. Rickards said petitions were referred to a special Committee of three to be appointed by the chair with instructions to report at this session of the board; and the chair appointed as such committee Messrs. Cummings Kirkpatrick and Read.

Petition

To the Honorable.

The Board of Supervisors
 of the County of Marquette Mich.
 Gentlemen.

The undersigned free holders of the Township of Ely in the County of Marquette in the State of Michigan, hereby make application to your Honorable Board of Supervisors of said County, at your regular meeting in May 1882 for a separate organization for Township purposes of the following territory to wit.

Commencing at (or near) the point of intersection of the West line of Range number 33, with the boundary line between the States of Michigan and Wisconsin. Thence running North along said range line to the point of intersection with the North line of Township No. 44 North. Thence West along said North line of Township 44 to the point of intersection with the boundary line between the Counties of Ontonagon and Marquette being the west line of range number 37.

Thence South on said line to the boundary line between the States of Wisconsin and Michigan. Thence South-easterly along said boundary line to the place of beginning. The territory comprised within said boundaries to be known as "Iron River Township".

R. J. Selden

D. C. Mackinnon and others.

Dated April 4th A. D. 1882.

Crystal Falls Mich. Mich. 23/82.

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

We resident freeholders of the town of Ely in your County, respectfully petition that you will set off a new township from said town of Ely, comprising all that portion West of the West line of.

Range thirty (30) West, to be called Crystal Falls Township.

We already have a population of not less than three hundred (300) centered about the village of Crystal Falls which must daily increase and being practically over one hundred & twenty five (125) miles travel from our town or County seat. We want full power and authority at once to quell disturbances and execute the laws, and your petitioners will ever pray.

The Crystal Falls Iron Company by
 Jas. H. Elmore its Superintendent
 J. T. Howe
 S. D. Hollister and others.

On motion of Mr. Stevens the board took a recess for thirty minutes.

The Board was called to order at four o'clock P.M. by the Chairman and the roll called by the Clerk. Quorum of the Board present.

The Chairman thereupon announced the following standing committees for the ensuing year.

Finance and Taxation

Messrs. Cummings, Desjardins, Maas, Connors and Donahoe.

Equalization

Messrs. Hall, Christopher, Kirkpatrick, Stephens, Ellis, Gaffney & Bertrand.

Auditing Committee

Messrs. Harvey, Pickands and James Prescoe.

County Officers Accounts

Messrs. Stevens, Howard and Dole.

Superintendents of the Poor

Messrs. Kirkpatrick, Harvey and Howard.

Supplies and expenditures

Messrs. Read, Hibbert and Ford.

Presentation of Claims, Petitions, and Communications.

The following petition was presented and on motion of Mr. Donahoe referred to a special committee of three to be appointed by the Chair.

Marquette Mich. May 1. 1882.

Board of Supervisors of Marquette County Marquette.
 Gentlemen.

I desire to purchase the North West quarter of South west quarter of Section thirty-five Town forty eight N. R. 25 West which I understand is owned by the County. I will negotiate with any committee you may appoint.

to sell and transfer the same.

Respy. Yours.

Jacob Delf.

The Chair appointed as Committee on above petition. Messrs
Hearsey, Connors and Foard.

Mr Pickands offered the following resolution.

Resolved. That the sum of Five Hundred dollars be and the same
is hereby allowed to C. B. Grant, Circuit Judge for services rendered
to this County.

James Pickands.

which was adopted

By yeas and nays as follows. Messrs Bertrand, Christopher, Cumminge,
Dejardn, Donahoe, Dely, Ellis, Gaffney, Hearsey, Leonard, Kirkpatrick,
Maas, W. Allister, Pickands, Read, Stevens, and Chairman 17.

Nays. Mr Connors 1.

Bond of Edward J. Hardy Superintendent of the Poor in the sum of two
thousand Dollars signed by Edward J. Hardy as principal and
Frederick C. Clark, Egbert J. Mabee, J. W. Jacobs and Byron C. Robbins
as sureties, was presented for approval and on motion of Mr. Kirk-
patrick. the same was ordered approved.

Bond of Benjamin W. Wright as County Treasurer in the sum of One
hundred thousand dollars, signed by Benjamin W. Wright as principal
and Daniel F. Hadesworth, John H. Joshim, William L. Swift,
W. Alin Young, Frederick Braetad, T. F. Donahoe, Charles Ham
L. C. Tilleon, William W. Rood, as sureties was presented for approval
and on motion of Mr Stevens. the same was ordered approved.

By the Committee to whom was referred the Petition of R. A. Seldon and
others, freeholders, asking that certain territory be detached from the
Township of Ely and a new Township to be erected to be known as the
Township of Iron River.

In the matter of the application of R. A. Seldon and others
for the division of the Township of Ely by detaching certain territory
therefrom and the organization of a new Township to consist of the territory
so detached - It appearing to the Board of Supervisors that application
has been made and that notice thereof has been signed, posted up and
published as in the manner required by law; and having duly consider-
ed the matter of said application; the Board order and enact that
the territory described in said application to wit. Townships forty-two (42)
forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) North of Range thirty-four (34) thirty-five

(35) thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37) West. be and the same is hereby detached from the Township of Ely and that the said territory so detached, be and is hereby erected into a Township to be known by the name of the Township of Iron River. The first annual township meeting thereof, shall be held at the house of H. R. Selden in said new Township on the twenty-ninth day of May. A. D. 1882. at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and at said meeting Henry Standby, Elisha Morgan and Richard L. Selden three electors of said Township shall be the persons whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting, appoint a Clerk open and keep the polls and exercise the same powers as the inspectors of election at any township meeting as the law provides.

By the committee to whom was referred the Petition of R. L. Selden and others freeholders, asking that certain territory be detached from the Township of Ely and a new Township be erected to be known as the Township of Iron River

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

Gentlemen.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of R. L. Selden and others, asking that certain territory be detached from the Township of Ely, and erected into a new Township, to be known as the Township of Iron River respectfully report, that they have carefully and fully considered the said application and finding all the proceedings regular, unanimously agree that the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted, and your Committee report the accompanying resolution, and recommend its adoption by the Board and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Geo. C. Cummings }

Joseph Kirkpatrick }

F. W. Read. }

Committee.

Resolution.

In the matter of the Application of R. L. Selden and others for the division of the Township of Ely by detaching certain territory therefrom and the organization of a new township to consist of the territory so detached,

It appearing to the Board of Supervisors, that application has been made and that notice thereof has been signed, posted up and published as in the manner required by law; and having duly considered the matter of said application, the Board order and enact that the territory described in said application to wit: Townships forty-two (42) forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) North of Rangee thirty-four (34) thirty-five (35) thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37) West. be and the same is hereby detached from the Township of Ely, and that the said territory so detached, be and is hereby erected

into a township to be known by the name of the Township of Iron River.

The first annual Township meeting thereof, shall be held at the house of H. H. Selden, in said new Township, on the twenty-ninth day of May A. D. 1882. at 9 o'clock in the forenoon; and at said meeting Henry Stanley, Elisha Morgan and Richard L. Selden three Elders of said Township shall be the persons whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting, appoint a Clerk, open and keep the polls, and exercise the same powers as the inspectors of election at any Township meeting as the law provides.

On motion of Mr. Stevens the above report was accepted and adopted, and the committee discharged.

By the committee to whom was referred the Petition of J. H. Elmore Superintendent of the Crystal Falls Iron Company and others, freeholders asking that certain territory be detached from the Township of Ely and a new Township erected to be known as the Township of Crystal Falls.

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

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of J. H. Elmore, Superintendent of the Crystal Falls Iron Company, and others, asking that certain territory be detached from the Township of Ely and erected into a new township, to be known as the Township of Crystal Falls, respectfully report that they have carefully and fully considered the said application, and finding all the proceedings regular, unanimously agree that the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted, in part only to wit: That the following described territory be detached from said Township of Ely, and erected into a new township to be called the Township of Crystal Falls viz; Townships forty-two (42) forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) North, of Range thirty-one (31) thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33) West. And your committee report the accompanying resolution and recommend its adoption by the Board, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

Geo. C. Cummins }
Joseph Kirkpatrick } Committee.
J. H. Read }

In the matter of the application of J. H. Elmore Superintendent of the Crystal Falls Iron Company and others for the division of the Township of Ely by detaching certain territory therefrom, and the organization of a new Township to consist of the territory so detached.

It appearing to the board of Supervisors that application has been read

and that notice thereof has been signed, posted up and published as in the manner required by law, and having duly considered the matter of said application the Board order and enact that a portion of the territory described in said application to wit: Townships forty-two (42) forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) North, of Ranges thirty-one (31) thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33) West, be and the same is hereby detached from the Township of Ely and that the said territory so detached be and is hereby erected into a township to be known as the Township of Crystal Falls.

The first annual township meeting thereof, shall be held at Doucette Hall (so called) in said new Township on the twenty-ninth day of May. A.D. 1882, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and at said meeting Solomon D. Hoffister, William Doucette and Patrick E. Dunn ^{three inspectors of said township} shall be the persons whose duty it shall be to preside at such meeting appoint a clerk, open and keep the polls and exercise the same powers as the inspectors of election at any township meeting as the law provides.

On motion of Mr Donahoe the above report was accepted and adopted and the Committee discharged.

On motion of Mr Pickands the Board adjourned without day.

William Rowland

Clerk

Peter Pascoe

Chairman