

Ishpeming Township.

State tax	1556.73
County tax	1830.29
Township Contingent tax	600.00
Highway tax	900.00
School District No 1	3400.00
Library Tax	100.00
Bridges & Culverts	200.00

Ngauance Township.

State Tax	465.75
County Tax	547.59
Township Contingent tax	400.00
Highway tax	200.00
School District No 1	300.00
Bridge tax	100.00

Marquette Township.

State Tax	848.55
County Tax	997.66
Township Contingent tax	550.00
Highway tax	650.00
School District No 1	300.00

Skandia Township.

State Tax	574.20
County Tax	675.11
Township Contingent tax	700.00
Highway tax	414.00
School District No 1	1100.00
Highway labor tax	828.00

West Branch Township.

State tax	229.68
County tax	270.04
Township Contingent tax	500.00
Highway tax	250.00
School tax	1200.00

Sando Township.

State Tax	287.10
County Tax	337.55
Township Contingent tax	250.00
Highway tax	250.00
School District	750.00

W. H. Johnston, Chairman.

There being no further business before the meeting it thereupon adjourned until Wednesday November 22nd 1899. at the hour of 11 O'Clock A. M.

L. T. Morgan
Chairman.

W. A. Ross
Clerk

"November 22nd 1899"

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

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

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Brisette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Giel, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuemper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Munn, Fox Roberts, Peter Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rives, Rosewall, Smith, Soble, Seibelock, Wagner, Nelson & Chairman = Total 34. Absent Supervisors Engvall, Holley, Johnson, Powell and Sness = Total 5.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Minute Inspector

A Communication from Wm. Z. Karck requesting the appointment of County ~~Minute Inspector~~ was read; and, as there was no vacancy in the said office, the chair pronounced the communication out of order.

Register of Deeds for Compensation

A Communication from Joseph H. Priemer, Register of Deeds, relating to extra compensation for work supplied the State Tax Commission as well as the compensation now paid "Abstract Clerk" being insufficient, as to the amount of work done, was read and upon motion laid upon the table.

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The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and same adopted by the following Yea & Nay Vote: = Yea: Brisette, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Giel, Harris, Hallgren, Johnston, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuemper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Munn, Fox Roberts, Peter Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rives, Rosewall, Smith, Soble, Seibelock, Wagner, Nelson & Chairman = Total 34. Nays: None.

The regular monthly reports from the County Clerk, The Secy of the Poor Board, The County Game Wardens, and the Superintendents of the poor, were read and upon motion ordered filed.

Under the head of unfinished business, the matter pertaining to compensation for the Register of Deeds & the County Treasurer for work done for the State Tax Commission, as well as the matter relating to the County Game Wardens, which was laid over from last meeting, was upon motion & proper second, laid over until the next meeting.

There being no further business before the board it thereupon adjourned until Wednesday December 27th at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

D. J. Morgan, Chairman

W. A. Rose
Clerk

December 27th 1899

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the twenty seventh day of December A. D. 1899, at 11 O'clock A. M.

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

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present: Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Gill, Harris, Johnston, June, Kemp, Kaapala, Keuffer, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Murray, Powell, Hox Roberts, Richard Roberts, Reed, Ryan, Rosewall, Smith, Scott, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman = Total 29. Absent Supervisors, ^{Briquette} Fitch, Goodman, Gingress, Hallgren, Holley, Johnson, Rivis, Suesse, and Trebilcock = Total 10.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and upon motion adopted.

The following communication was read, and upon motion accepted and adopted and Supervisors Pendell and O'Neil were given seats, and assigned to the same committee formerly held by their predecessors:

Marquette Mich, Dec 19th 1899

W. A. Rose Esq.

Comy-Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. City.
Dear Sir.

At an adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council, held December 18th 1899, at 8 O'clock P. M. George L. O'Neil was appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council as Supervisor of the Fifth Ward of the City of Marquette, in place of John A. Rivis, resigned; and Frank Pendell was appointed and confirmed as Supervisor of the Sixth Ward of the City of Marquette; in place of Seymour H. Holley, deceased.

Yours Truly,

Dan. J. Donovan, Ex. Recorder.

The bond of the Sheriff in the sum of \$10,000 with H. O. Young and Fred Broadbent as sureties was read and upon motion approved and ordered filed.

The Report from the Auditing Committee was read, and same adopted by the following Yeas and Nays vote = Yeas: Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Gill, Harris.

O'Neil and Pendell Supervisors.

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Johnston, June, Kemp, Koopala, Keuffer, Lyone, Manning,
Magnusen, Murray, O'Neil, Powell, Hos Roberts, Richard
Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Snik, Scoble, Wagner, Wilson
and Chairman - Total 30 Days - None.

The reports from the Probate Judge; relating to the ex-
amination of Eliza Running and Stephen Gustaf for
insanity, were read and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of the Secy of the Poor Board, the County
Game Wardens and the Superintendents of the poor, were
read and upon motion filed.

Hunter's
License
fund.
disposal
of.

The following resolution was received and read and some
adopted unanimously.

Resolved,

That the County Clerk of this County, be instructed to
to draw warrants in payment of the salaries of the
County Game Wardens for the quarter ending December 31st
1899. out of the fund created by the sale of Hunter's Licenses,
and if the fund should not be sufficient, the balance if any
to be paid out of the general fund.

Mark E. Elliott.

There being no further business before the board it
whereupon adjourned until Wednesday February 14th
A.D. 1900. at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

J. T. Morgan
Chairman

W. A. Rose
Clerk

"February 14th 1900"

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The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 14th day of February A.D. 1900, at 11 O'clock A.M.

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

He well being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Russell, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Lyons, Manning, Magnuson, Murray, O'Neil, Powell, Ross Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman - total 33
Absent, Supervisors Gill, Guigraie, Hallgren, Keuffer, Pendell, and Sues - total 6.

The following communication was received, read and placed on file;

I do hereby apportion to the several counties comprising the twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit of Michigan. The salary of the official stenographer thereof, (pursuant to Act No 103 of the Public Acts of 1897.) according to the number of cases committed in such counties respectively during the year 1899, as follows, to wit:

County	No. of Cases	Apportionment.
Dickinson	51	\$192.12
Delta	128	482.12
Iron	66	248.58
Marquette	130	489.64
Menominee	156	587.56
	531	\$2000.02

J. W. Stone

Circuit Judge of the 25th Jud. Cir. of Mich.

Auditing
Reports
found in
official
Boarding
bills files
in
File
No
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A communication from the executive committee of the State Association of Supervisors was read and upon motion filed.

The Report of the Auditing Committee was received and read, and same adopted by the following. Yeas & Nay Vote = Yeas: Russell, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Forsberg, Fitch, Goodman, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Lyons, Manning, Magnuson, Murray, O'Neil, Powell, Ross Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Scoble, Trebilcock, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman, total 33 = Nays None.

Repair
of

Building
Atten

The
Poor House

Committee
to investigate

affairs
of same

Grace
Furness
Lopes
Report on
discharge
of
special
committee

The following report from the standing Committee, was read and upon motion same was adopted

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

Gentlemen:

Your committee on Superintendents of the poor would respectfully report that on Feb 13th they made an inspection of the County Poor House. They found Mr Samuel Barry and his amiable wife in charge of the affairs of the institution. The inmates at present consist of 19 males and 4 females, making 23 in all, a much smaller number than they usually have, and from investigation we found the affairs of the institution were being conducted in an able and efficient manner.

Your committee would further report that upon examination they found the building in a very bad and dilapidated condition throughout, so much so that we would urge that immediate steps be taken to prepare plans to re-arrange and put the old building in good repair as soon as warm weather sets in in the spring, or to build a new one, of the two. Your committee would strongly advise the building of a new one. And in order that the board may be enabled to act more intelligently in the matter, we would recommend that a special committee of three be appointed, with Authority to engage an architect to go over the old building and report more thoroughly than your committee possibly could do as to its condition and needs, at our next meeting; and also be prepared to give us an idea as to what the cost of a new building would be, of such size and dimensions as would likely be required within the next 25 years, all of which is respectfully submitted. D. W. Powell, Chairman.

The chair then appointed as such committee, Supervisor Powell, Fred Johnson.

The special committee upon the Grace Furness Fox matter, made a verbal report through its chairman H. H. Johnston. That they were unable to adjust the lot matters concerning said property in accordance with the resolution adopted by the board at its meeting held July 26th 1899. Whereupon it was moved, supported and carried that the report be accepted and the committee discharged.

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

The report from the Probate Judge, relative to the commitment of Johanna Nelson, an insane person, to the Muskegon Hospital, was read and ordered filed.

After discussing the Grace Farnow Tax matter for as Com. the board thereupon adjourned until Thursday March 29th A.D. 1900. at the hour of 11.00 O'Clock A.M.

D. T. Morgan
Chairman.

W. A. Ross
Clerk

"March 29th 1900"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Thursday the twenty-ninth day of March. A.D. 1900. at 11 O'Clock A.M.

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

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, Brisette, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Hick, Gell, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kueffer, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Munay, O'Neil, Powell, Hor Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosenthal, Snik, Suss, Scottle, Tebick, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman, total 34
Absent, Supervisors Forsberg, Goodman, Guigraze, Hallgren and Pendell = total 5.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following communication was received and read and upon motion Mr Alfred West was given a seat
Ishpeming Mich March 27, 1900.

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

At the regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Ishpeming held on March 21, 1900, Mr Alfred West was appointed to the office of Supervisor of the fourth ward to fill a vacancy caused by the removal from the fourth ward of said City.

Very Respectfully P. F. Small

Recorder

(Seal)

The following communication was received, read and upon motion placed on file

Marquette Mich. Feb 19th - 1900

The Board of Supervisors, Marquette Co

Marquette Mich.

Gentlemen:

We wish to quote you the following rate of \$8.00 per week in cases of "indigent poor". Any questions you may wish to ask we will be pleased to correspond with you. If you will give this matter your attention you will confer a favor. Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours Very Truly,

St Luke's Hospital

Fred L. Needham Secy.

Auditing
Report
filed with
Board
meetings
Bills in
file # 1

The report from the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote:
Yeas Brusselle, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fitch, Gill, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kupper, Lyons, Manning, Magnuson, Murray, O'Neil, Powell, Robt Roberts, Richard Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Tass, Terble, Tschickel, Wagner, Wilson, West, and Chauman = Total 35, Nays None.

Committee
on
County
Pay

The following report from the special committee, same being accompanied by a report from the architectural firm of Charleton, Gilbert and Demor, was received and read

Marquette Mich

March 29th 1900.

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County - Mich.

Gentlemen:

Your committee to whom was referred, the matter of investigating the condition of the building, known as the County Poor House, would respectfully report, that they together with D. F. Charleton an architect employed for the purpose, have visited the said County House, and made inspection of same and from investigation of our own, and which have been more thoroughly gone into by the said Architect, we together, condemn the said building in the strongest terms possible, as being unsafe and wholly unfit for further use, for this reason your committee would advise and recommend that immediate steps be taken for the erection of a new stone building, large enough to accommodate fifty people, which the architect informs us can be built for from \$12,000 to \$15,000, and in order that it can be started early, and be ready for occupancy by fall, we would recommend the Charleton

Employment of
Architect to draw
Plans &c.

Gilbert and Demar, be employed and instructed to draw plans with specifications and estimated cost of same, and be ready to present them to the new board at their first meeting after election, so that action may be taken without delay for the construction of such a building as is now required. All which together with the report of the Architect is respectfully submitted.

Councilmen, Dr. Powell, W. Fitch & W. H. Johnston.
Upon motion and second the above report was accepted and adopted by the following Yeas and Nays Voted:
Yeas: Brisette, Chase, Commons, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fitch, Gell, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuemper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Munay, O'Neil, Powell, Hos. Roberts, Rufus Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Sues, Scoble, Tubilark, Wagner, Wilson, West and Chaum, total 35, Nays None.

The monthly reports of the Secy of the Poor board, the Superintendents of the Poor, County Game Wardens and the Annual reports of Jail were read and upon motion placed on file.

Insurance
report

The report of the Probate Judge on the proceedings had on, Thomas Gleason, Patrick Reedy, Mary Johnson, Jacob Ehleas and Mary L. Graff. and their commitment to the new County Asylum, were read and ordered filed.

Renewal of
Hospital
Contracts

The following motion was presented and same upon motion adopted.
Motion:

That the contracts now existing between the County and certain Hospitals be and are hereby renewed for the ensuing year, at the same price and on the same terms as those now in force and that a special committee of two be appointed by the Chair to renew said contracts
W. Fitch.

The Chair then appointed as said Committee, Supervisors W. Fitch & Dr. Powell.

Salary
of
Probate
Clerk.

Upon motion of Supervisor Dr. Powell and a proper second, the salary of N. E. Blackburn as Probate Clerk was placed at \$40.00 per month same to date from Jan 1st 1900; said motion being adopted by the following Yeas and Nays Voted = Yeas = Brisette, Chase, Commons, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fitch, Gell, Harris, Johnston, Johnson, June, Kemp, Koopala, Kuemper, Lyons, Manning, Magnusen, Munay, O'Neil, Powell, Hos. Roberts, Rufus Roberts, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Sues, Scoble, Tubilark, Wagner, Wilson, West and Chaum = total 35 = Nays None.

Ely
Bridge

The special committee upon the Ely bridge matter, reported that they had let the contract for the material, which will arrive early in the spring when the construction of the bridge would be consummated.

Chocoma
Road
Improvement

The special committee upon the Chocoma road improvement reported that the road had been completed and the appropriation expended, whereupon the report was accepted and the committee discharged.

The following resolution was then offered by Supervisor Walter Fitch:

Resolved: That the board of Supervisors of Marquette County extend to their chairman David J. Morgan, a vote of thanks for the efficient and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of this body for the past year.

The said resolution was put before the board by the clerk and same adopted unanimously.

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

D. J. Morgan Chairman

W. A. Ross Clerk

"April 25th 1900"

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The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the twentyfifth day of April. A. D. 1900. at 11 O'clock A. M.

Call

for

Fish

Meeting

of

Board.

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

State of Michigan }
County of Marquette } ss

To William D. Rose, County Clerk and Clerk of the board of Supervisors of said ^{Marquette} County, Michigan.
Dear Sir:

You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the board of Supervisors of said County, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, in said County on Wednesday the 25th day of April. A. D. 1900. at 11 O'clock A. M. for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting.

Respectfully,
Reevey, J. J.

W. Fitch, D. T. Morgan, J. H. Rough, J. A. Martin, Mark Elliott, R. Drake, John Mandley, Joseph Fay, Edwin J. Snik, W. Read, D. W. Powell, George Wagner, Jacob Smith and John Connors.

Roll

Call

Whereupon the roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present: Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Glack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Kimball, Johnston, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Mandley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Snik, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner and Wilson - Total 39; Absent None.

W. H. Johnston

Elected

Chairman

It was then moved and supported that W. H. Johnston be elected temporary chairman, the same was put by the clerk and carried unanimously, whereupon Supervisor Fitch moved that the temporary chairman be made permanent chairman which was also carried unanimously.

Special

Auditing

Committee

It was then moved, supported and carried, that the chairman appoint a special auditing committee of five Chair appointed Supervisor Elliott, Fay, Morgan, Rough & Martin.

new

Committee

on

Upon motion of Supervisor Ewing, a new standing Committee be composed of five members, be appointed by the chairman.

Highway &
Bridges
Resolutions

The said Committee to be known as "Committee on Highway and Bridges; said motion was duly carried.

The rules of order governing the proceedings of the last board were upon motion and proper second adopted as the rules of order to govern the present board.

The minutes of the previous meeting were then read and upon motion ordered approved.

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

Insane

The report of the Probate Judge upon the matter of Isaac, O. A. J. Udd an alleged insane, was read, and said party ordered turned over to the U. S. Authorities "as a non-resident" for deportation.

Committee
on
Poor
House
Plans &c.

Supervisor Powell, offered the following motion which was carried; The appointment of a special committee of three members of which the chairman should be a member, to see to the preparing of plans &c. for a new County House. The Chairman the appointed Supervisor Powell and Fitch as such committee to act in conjunction with the chairman.

The board hereupon adjourned until 2 O'clock P. M.

The board was called to order at 2 O'clock P. M. by the chairman W. H. Johnson.

Roll
Call
afternoon
Session.

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present, Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Hirsac, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Smit, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 38, Absent Supervisor Smith - Total 1

Auditing
files with
Engineers
Bills in
file Case
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The report of the Special Auditing Committee, was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote - Yeas = Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Hirsac, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Smit, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman - Total 38 - Nays None.

It was moved, supported & carried that the committee formerly appointed to construct the Ely Township Bridge, be instructed to continue in charge of said work until completed.

Superior Smith arrived and took his seat.

After an informal discussion upon tax matters in general, the board thereupon adjourned until, Wednesday June 13th at the hour of 11 O'clock A.M.

M. H. Johnson
Chairman
W. A. Rose
Clerk

"June 13th 1900"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the thirteenth day of June A.D. 1900.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, W. H. Johnson.

Roll
call

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present: Agotte, Burt, Chase, Commons, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Henry, Hirvas, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman = Total 34.
Absent: Supervisors Drake, Grenier, Kemp, Peack & Smith = Total 5.

It was then moved, supported and carried that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

appv-
of
\$250.00
for
Bridge
across
Escanaba
River
in
Ely
Township.

A petition from numerous residents and taxpayers of Marquette County, praying for an appropriation of two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars, for the purpose of building a suitable bridge and approach across the Escanaba River in Ely Township, was read and upon motion referred to the Committee upon Highways and Bridges with power to act; by the following Yeas and Nays vote: Yeas Agotte, Burt, Chase, Commons, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Henry, Hirvas, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman = Total 34 Nays None.

Road in
Ely & Linden
Townships
Sec's
34, 35, 36 & 25
T47 R28 W

A petition from the taxpayers and residents of Ely and Linden Townships, praying for an appropriation of one hundred and fifty (\$150.00) dollars to assist in building a road through part of Sections 34, 35, 36 and 25 T47 R28 W, was read and upon motion was referred to the Committee upon Highways and Bridges.

Road in
Linden
as
Forey M.
Township

A communication from the Supervisors of Linden and Forey M. Townships setting forth the cost of building a highway along the C & N.W. Ry tracks. (as had been requested by this board at a former meeting held in the month of August 99) estimated at \$2100.00 and asking for an appropriation of \$1200.00 towards building said road, was read and upon motion was referred to the Committee of Highway & Bridges together with all letters and Profile made by the Civil Engineer.

Soldiers
Relief
Commission
Secy's
book
Expense

A communication from the Soldiers Relief Commission earnestly recommending an appropriation of \$2.50 per month to cover Secretary's expense account from Aug 1st '96 to Apr 1st '97 being a period of 44 months and amounting to \$110.00: was read and upon motion referred to the Auditing Committee.

Auditing
report
in Board
Proceedings
Filed in
File # 1

The report from the Auditing Committee was read, and same adopted by the following ye & nay vote. Yeas: Ayotte, Bunt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Henry, Herries, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Lyons, Mantley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Roughs, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman - total 34.

Probate
Judge
Reports.

The monthly report of the Probate Judge upon the alleged insanity of Rutha Haight. discharged as sane and John Nelson and Mary Johnson sent to the Newberry Asylum. was read & ordered filed.

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

Committee
upon
Grace
Sumner
matter

The finance committee of the Marquette City Council. were upon motion allowed to address the board upon the question of the Grace Sumner taxes, whereupon it was moved, seconded and carried by the following Ye & Nay vote. That the matter be referred to the former committee, appointed on said matter, composed of Supervisors Johnston, Fitch & Powell. with full power to act in the premises.
Yeas: Ayotte, Bunt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Henry, Herries, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Lyons, Mantley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Roughs, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman = Total 34. Nay None.

There being no further business before the board it thereupon adjourned to Wednesday the 15th day of August, at 11 O'clock A.M.

W.A. Ross
Clk.

"Aug 13th 1900"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the fifteenth day of August. A. D. 1900.

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

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, But, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Hironas, Kelo Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 34.
Absent, Supervisors Ayotte, Drake, Pearce, Rosewell and Thnen - Total 5.

Upon motion and second the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Sault's
New
Road
&
Sagor
long
Mountain

A Petition signed by numerous taxpayers and homeleaves praying for an appropriation sufficient to place the Sault's Head road in a passable condition and to do something with Sagor long Mountain. ~~Which~~ which said road traverses, was read and referred to the Committee upon Highways and bridges with power to hire competent surveyor and report upon same at the next meeting.

A Communication from State Game & Fish Warden, annulling the appointment of Deputy Game Warden Dief. and appointing in his stead Timothy J. Maury, was read & ordered filed.

Auditor's
Report in
Board
Proceedings
Bills
in
file #3

The report of the Auditor's Committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote - Yeas. But, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Hironas, Kelo Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman Total 34, Nays none.

The following reports from the Committee upon Highways and bridges were read and same upon motion adopted.

Marquette Mich

Aug 14 = 1900

Report
of
Committee

To the Honorable chairman and board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Gentlemen.

Your Committee to whom was referred the communication

on
Road
through
Tilden
and
Ely
Townships

of residents of Tilden and Ely Township. Asking for an appropriation of \$150.00 for the purpose of building a road through a portion of said Township. would respectfully recommend that said petitioners be requested to furnish maps showing location of said road, together with profile, specifications and estimated cost of same.

Respy. Submitted, Committee.

DuPonell, J. H. Martin, W. Felt, W. Slung, J. W. Reed.

from same Committee.

Marquette Michig.

August 14, 1900

Report
of
Committee
on
road
through
Jurin
and
Forsyth
Townships

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

Your committee to whom was referred the communication from the Supervisors of Jurin and Forsyth Townships relative to the building of a highway through said townships to "Little Lake" would respectfully report, that although accompanied by maps showing location of said road, and a profile of same, that are now specifications attached, without which your committee were unable to arrive at any satisfactory conclusion, we would therefore recommend that said petitioners be requested to furnish your committee with specifications setting forth the kind of road they intend to build, and the estimated cost of same.

Respy. Submitted, Committee.

DuPonell, J. H. Martin, W. Felt, W. Slung, J. W. Reed.

Settlement
of
Grace
Furnace
Taxes
from
1889
to
1899
inclusive

The following report was read: from the special Committee having such matter in charge.

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

Your committee to which was referred the settlement of the taxes on the so-called "Grace Furnace property", situated in the City of Marquette, report as follows: That settlement has been effected as per statement following.

Statement as to the "Grace Furnace Property" taxes, and how settled.

Year	State taxes & charges	County taxes & charges	City taxes & charges	Total Taxes
1889-90	547.12	722.40	2811.52	4081.04
1891	228.90	832.52	3410.36	4471.78
1892	210.67	847.44	2871.70	3929.81
1893	275.49	1281.55	1594.09	3151.13
1894	272.09	821.46	2381.69	3475.24
1895	453.20	962.02	1923.05	3338.27
1889 1896	182.81	705.25	1122.47	2010.53
1897	196.44	533.45	1148.93	1878.82
1898	151.22	403.68	1058.08	1612.98
1899 1899	231.33	336.48	1015.80	1577.61
	2749.27	7440.25	19337.69	29527.21

Settled as follows:

the motion to adopt the said resolution. having been amended to lay upon the table until the next meeting was placed before the meeting and the said amendment was duly carried.

The board thereupon adjourned until 2 O'clock P.M.

The afternoon session was called to order by the chairman at 2 O'clock P.M. when the following supervisors were found to be present. But, Chase, Corns, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fillet, Fay, Findley, Flack, Gordon, Grenier, Henry, Harris, Meta Johnson, Emil Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sustblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chalm. Total 33, Absent. Ayotte, Drake, Morgan, Pearce, Rosewell & Thoren. Total 6.

The following resolution was then offered.

Whereas: by the report of a special committee appointed by this board, it appears that the present County Poor House is unsafe and unsuitable for the needs of the poor of this County, and that it is necessary for this County to erect a new County poor House. Therefore: be it.

Resolved: by the board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, that there be submitted to the qualified electors of said County, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1900 (Nov. 6th 1900) the proposition to raise by tax the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15000.00) the proceeds to be used solely for the purpose of the erection of a County poor house, in said County of Marquette. The said sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be spread on the assessment rolls for the year 1901 in the several cities and townships of said County, and be it further

Resolved: that the County clerk be, and he is hereby instructed to cause notices of said proposition to be posted in three conspicuous places in each of the several townships and wards in said County of Marquette at least thirty (30) days prior to the said 6th day of November, 1900. And that said County Clerk cause said notice to be published in three of the news papers printed and circulating in the said County of Marquette, for at least three successive weeks prior to the time of holding said election. And be it further.

Resolved, that the form of ballots shall be as follows:

" Shall the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County raise by tax the sum of \$15000.00 and spread upon the various

Submitting to the People the raising of \$15000.00 for a new County Poor House

Same

Continued

assessment rolls of the townships and cities of said County for the year 1901. The said sum of \$15000.00 for the purpose of erecting a County poor house for Marquette County? "Yes."

"Shall the board of Supervisors of Marquette County raise by lot the sum of \$15000.00 and spend upon the various assessment rolls of the townships and cities of said County for the year 1901. The said sum of \$15000.00 for the purpose of erecting a County poor House for Marquette County? "No."

And, be it further:

Resolved: That the County Clerk of said County be, and he is hereby directed to take the necessary steps to cause said proposition to be placed on proper ballots to be distributed in the same manner and by the same persons distributing the regular ballots for said general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A.D. 1900.

D. B. Powell, W. Fitch, W. H. Johnston.

The above resolution was then adopted by the following Yeas & Nays
Vote - Yeas. Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flack, Gordon, Greener, Henry, Harris, Helt Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Newcombe, Powell, Rough, Reed, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chasmin. Total 33, Nays None

Whereupon the board adjourned without day:

W. H. Johnston
Chairman

W. A. Rose
Clerk

"October 8th 1900"

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The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met in annual session at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Monday the 8th day of October A.D. 1900. at 11.00: A'clock A.M.

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

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Corns, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Gay, Findlay, Glack, Goodman, Greiner, Henry, Hinds, Nels Johnson, June, Kimp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewell, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chaumin, total 37
Absent Supervisors, Drake and Erick Johnson, total 2.

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

Protest
against
Turin
Road

A petition from the residents of Turin and Scandia townships protesting against the construction of a road along the line of the C & N. W. Ry. Right of way as set forth in a former petition and asking for an appropriation for the construction of a road through said townships by a different and more acceptable route. was Read and upon motion referred to the Committee upon highways & bridges.

State
Tax

A communication from the Hon Roscoe D. Dix, Auditor General, showing the various amounts apportioned as a State tax to the County of Marquette, under various acts of the State Legislature, and aggregating Forty Seven thousand Three hundred and Seventy Six and ⁹⁴/₁₀₀ dollars (\$47,376.94, was read and referred to the committee upon Finance & taxation

Report
of

Secy

Poor

Board

The following annual report from the Secy of the Poor Board was read and referred to the Committee upon Finance & taxation
Marquette Mich Oct 1st 1900.

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

We have the honor to herewith submit our annual report for the year ending September 30th 1900. Orders drawn on the County Treasurer

In favor of the Poor House	-----	\$5755.72
" " " 1 st District	-----	4522.77
" " " 2 nd " "	-----	17320.67
" " " 3 rd " "	-----	6568.40
By Cash paid County Treasurer	-----	29.19
from 1 st District	-----	34138.37
Balance	-----	\$34167.56
		\$34167.56

Said report also gives the amount of supplies on hand at the poor farm, and also recommends the appropriation of \$35,000.00 for the maintenance of the poor for the year ending September 30th 1901.

Marquette County
Agricultural Society

The following communication from the Marquette County Agricultural Society and the Soldier's Relief Commission were read and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

Marquette Mich., Oct 3rd 1900.

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

We, the undersigned President and Secretary respectively of the Marquette County Agricultural Society, do hereby certify, that the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) has been realized by the said Society for membership fees; and in pursuance of Act #177 of the Public Acts of 1891. In order to promote the interests of the objects of the said Society, do hereby petition your honorable body to levy the 1/10 of 1 mill tax for the current year.

To F. Palmer.

E. B. Palmer, President M. C. Agric. Socy of said Society.
"Officer Soldier's Relief Commission"

Marquette Oct 1st 1900.

Soldier's
Relief
Commission

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

In compliance with the provisions of section 5, Act 253 Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements during the year ending September 30th 1900.

Balance on hand Oct 1st 1899

\$63.63

Amount appropriated

400.00

Expended during the year

\$303.39

Balance on hand

160.24

463.63

\$463.63

We would respectfully recommend that your Honorable body appropriate the sum of \$500.00 as a Soldier's Relief Fund for the current year.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. D. Blanchard, Secy Soldier's Relief Comm.

The Report of the County Treasurer relating to taxes to be charged back, was read and referred to the Committee on Finance & Taxation.

Report in
Board Proceedings
Minutes
in
File #4

The Report of the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote: Yeas Agosti, Bunt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Greiner, Henry, Harris, Nels Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyne, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rought, Reed, Ryan, Russell, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chas. Lotie 37 = Nays None.

Committee
Report
on
County
Officers
Books,

The report of the Committee upon County Officers' Accounts, reported that they had compared the Vouchers of the Secretary of the Poor Board with his books and found that they agree, that they had checked the vouchers in the County Treasurer's office, against receipts for the year ending Sept 30-1900 and found them agreeing, that they had compared the Clerk's orders drawn with those audited and found them to agree, and also reported a cash balance on hand with the Treasurer of fifty Eight thousand Seven hundred Seventy five and ⁵/₁₀₀ dollars (\$58,775.85). said report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Committee upon Highways & Bridges made the following reports-

Ely
Township
Bridge

Your committee to whom was referred the communication of numerous taxpayers of Marquette County to build a bridge across the Escanaba River in Ely Township, would respectfully report that we have caused the same to be done in accordance with the resolution for same.
Respectfully submitted, Dr. Powell, J. W. Reed, W. J. Fitch, W. D. Ewing, J. H. Martin.
said report was received and ordered placed on file.

Appropriation
of
\$150.00
for
Road
in
Linden
Township.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Residents of Linden Township asking that an appropriation of \$150.00 to assist in building a road along the south line of Section 21 in Township 4, Range 28. West, thence in a south westerly direction to connect with a road already built, in Ely & Linden Townships, would recommend that the amount asked for be appropriated for said work and that the road be constructed according to specifications as made by George P. Cummings, and when completed and accepted by your committee the same be paid for at once.
Respectfully submitted, Dr. Powell, W. J. Fitch, W. D. Ewing, J. W. Reed, J. H. Martin.
Said report and recommendation of appropriation was adopted by the following yeas & Nays vote, Yeas = Gotti, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Gray, Hendley, Hlack, Goodman, Lemier, Henry, Heriase, Helt Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, May, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Plance, Rough, Reed, Ryan, Roswell, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thuen, Wagner Wilson & Chalmers - total 37 - Nays None.

Appropriation
of
\$900.00
for road
from
Linden
to
Little Lake.

Your committee to whom was referred the communication from Jurin and Forsythe townships, asking for an appropriation of \$1200.00 to assist in building a road from Jurin to Little Lake, would respectfully recommend that \$900.00 be appropriated for said work and that said road be constructed according to specifications as made by George P. Cummings and under his direction and when completed the said work to be approved by your committee upon which the said township

to receive their pay.

Said report was adopted by the following Ye & Nay vote. Ye: Ayotte, Bout, Chase, Corns, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Foy, Giddlay, Hark, Lardman, Gencin, Henry, Kivras, Mels Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Many, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Reacle, Rough, Read, Ryan, Russell, Smit, Smith, Sundlow, Thren, Wagner, Wilson & Chair - totl 37- Nays None.

Sault's
Head
Road.

{ From the same committee, reporting adversely upon any appropriation for the improvement of Sault's Head road. which said report was approved and ordered filed.

The regular monthly reports of Game Wardens; Downing & Maney the annual report of the inspectors of the Jail. the reports of the Secy of the Poor Board, were read and ordered filed.

The following annual report the County Treasurer must receive read and ordered filed.

	Receipts	Disbursements.
Cash on hand Oct 1-1899.	\$63,722.81	
Taxes of 1899	128,260.55	
Delinquent taxes, interest & collections.	55,274.17	
Liquor taxes	63,631.07	
Primary School fund	18,416.00	
State of Michigan Liability Settlements	19,648.28	
Tax sales	14,350.17	
Library fund	11,381.50	
Cour Costs, Abstracts, & Foreclosure	754.15	
Deer Licenses, State & County	672.25	
Teachers Institute fund	108.50	
Poor fund. 12 th District	29.19	
Soldiers Relief fund.	12.00	
Delinquent taxes to Township & Cities.		\$70,041.58
Primary School fund		18,567.00
Library fund.		785.43
Liquor Tax		68,302.25
Registrar of Deaths		182.50
Circuit Court Orders.		135.00
Phones		217.50
U. P. Hospital		1698.98
List of Court Convictions		7.00
Insurance		144.00
Water rates		63.90
Genl Fund Warrants		42,833.23
Jurors warrants		2415.10
Poor Fund Warrants,		34,172.43
Amount forward.	\$366,260.64	\$239,565.90

	Receipts.	Disbursements.
Carried forward	\$366,260.64	\$239,565.90
Writers Warrants		710.40
Soldiers Relief Warrants		248.39
Teachers Institute fund.		86.96
State App. Deer License		398.00
State of Michigan Indulgent Settlements 1882 to 1899 State Tax		66,475.14
Sept 30 th 1900. Balance Cash on hand		58,775.85
	<u>\$366,260.64</u>	<u>\$366,260.64</u>
Appropriation of Cash Balance Sept 30 th 1900.		
General Fund.		\$51,578.86
Soldiers Relief fund.		227.24
Teachers Institute fund.		98.69
Library Fund		819.50
County right of way.		103.16
Estate of deceased persons.		494.79
Due Cities & Townships		5453.61
		<u>\$58,775.85</u>

Condensed Trial Balance, Sept 30th 1900.

	Dr.	Cr.
Cash.	\$58,775.85	
General Fund Warrants.	42,883.23	
Jurors Certificates	2,415.10	
Poor fund (overdrawn)	4,143.24	
Witness Certificates	710.40	
Delinquent County Taxes 1882 to 1899	49,591.39	
State of Michigan	9,065.78	
Collection fees		\$1,846.39
Interest		5,514.34
General Fund		152,797.19
Soldiers Relief fund.		227.24
Teachers Institute fund.		98.69
Library Fund.		819.50
Delinquent taxes		180.08
County Right of Way.		103.16
Estate of deceased persons.		494.79
Due Townships.		5453.61
	<u>\$167,534.99</u>	<u>\$167,534.99</u>

The annual report of the County Clerk, was received and read, and same ordered placed on file. The summary of which is as follows.

Orders Drawn.

General warrants,	\$43. 214. 14
Jurors Certificates	2. 453. 50
Witness Certificates	709. 90.

Delinquent Taxes

Tolue tax & interest	\$53. 953. 73
Collection fee	<u>1. 320. 44</u>
Tolue	<u>55. 274. 17</u>

Poor Report

Amount expended during fiscal year. \$34. 167. 56

Money Paid County Treasurer

Oct 1st 1899 to Sept 30-1900. Inc. \$2,873. 09

The monthly reports of the Superintendents of the Poor for the months of July, Aug & Sept 1900, and the annual report of Joseph Hergouin were received and read and same ordered filed.

The reports from the Probate Judge relative to the alleged misanthropy of John Otto Larson, Alfonso Belodeau, Adolph Beatty and Alphonse Bertrand were received read & ordered filed.

Salary Committee { It was then moved, supported and carried that a special Committee of three be appointed to adjust salaries for 1901 & 1902 - Chairman appointed as such committee Supervisors, Fitch, Read and Elliott.

H. B. Krogman School Examiner { It was then moved, supported and carried that we proceed to elect a school examiner.
Upon motion the Secretary of the board was instructed to cast a ballot for the unanimous election of H. B. Krogman, same being done, the chair announced the election of H. B. Krogman as school examiner for 2 years

Supt. Poor, 1st Dist. C. D. Blanchard Elected. { It was then moved, supported and carried that the Secretary cast the full vote of the board for C. D. Blanchard to succeed himself as Supt of the Poor of the 1st district. The same having been done, the Chair declared the unanimous election of C. D. Blanchard Supt of the Poor of the 1st District for three years.

The election of the { It was then moved, supported and carried that the Secretary cast the full vote of the board for F. M. Moore, J. E. Sherman, and W. A. Rood as the Board of County Canvassers. Same

County
Cassessors.

being done, the chair announced the election of F. M. Mone, J. E. Shuman and W. H. Rood, as the Board of County Cassessors for 2 years.

Compensation
4 or
Per day.

It was then moved, supported, and same adopted by the following yeas & nays vote, that the individual members of the "County Cassessors Board" receive compensation at the rate of \$4.00 per day. Yeas. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Kiivas, Nels Johnson, June, Kimp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Rood, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman, total 37 - Nays none.

The board thereupon adjourned to meet at 3.00: O'clock P. M.

The afternoon session was called to order at 5.30 O'clock P. M. The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Kiivas, Nels Johnson, June, Kimp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Rood, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - total 37. Absent Drake and Erick Johnson - total 2

The committee upon equalization made the following report, which upon motion was adopted by the following yeas & nays vote, and then referred to the committee upon Finance and Taxation.

Yeas. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Kiivas, Nels Johnson, June, Kimp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Rood, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman - total 37. Nays none.
Report.

Whereas: The board of Supervisors has examined the assessors rolls of the several townships and cities of the County to ascertain whether the relative valuation of the real property in the respective townships and cities has been equally and uniformly estimated, And, Whereas: In their judgment it has not been so uniformly and equally estimated. Therefore.

Resolved, That the valuation of the real property of said townships and cities be and the same is hereby equalized by adding to or deducting from the valuation of the taxable property of each township and city such sums as in our judgment will produce relatively an equal and uniform valuation of the real property of the County, which sums so determined by us

All entered in the following table in the fourth and fifth columns thereof, respectively opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively, and that the aggregate valuation of all real and personal property of each township and city, in said county as determined by us be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name of such township or city.

City or Township	Real Estate as assessed	Personal Property as assessed	Net Valuation as assessed	Amount Added	Dist. Deducted	Net Valuation as equalized
Marquette City	2,645,990	1,543,925	4,189,915		689,915	3,500,000 ✓
Saginaw City	6,807,221	1,792,411	8,599,632		3,349,632	5,250,000 ✓
Hesperia City	3,037,135	1,023,495	4,060,630		1,035,630	3,025,000 ✓
Charley Township	107,280	7,480	114,760		16,760	98,000 ✓
Lurin "	121,500	8,750	130,250	92,000		222,250 ✓
Frayth "	294,765	26,990	321,755	77,245		399,000 ✓
Richmond "	133,675	33,600	167,275	54,975		222,250 ✓
Linden "	444,906	99,470	544,376		141,876	402,500 ✓
Ely "	131,370	1,175	132,495	114,255		246,750 ✓
Humboldt "	111,720	5,824	117,544	64,456		182,000 ✓
Champion "	618,894	265,195	884,089		339	883,750 ✓
Michigan "	366,847	103,232	470,079	33,921		504,000 ✓
Republic "	733,205	375,255	1,108,460		84,710	1,023,750 ✓
Saginaw "	171,965	1,500	173,465	253,535		427,000 ✓
Hesperia "	67,240	2,575	69,815	57,935		127,750 ✓
Marquette "	125,702	18,665	144,367	88,383		232,750 ✓
Skandia "	83,740	1,525	85,265	72,235		157,500 ✓
West Branch "	37,275	500	37,775	25,225		63,000 ✓
Sands "	58,370	975	59,345	19,405		78,750 ✓
Totals	16,098,750	5,314,542	21,413,292	953,570	5,318,862	17,046,000

W. Fitch.

Chairman

Whereupon the board adjourned to meet at 7.30 O'Clock P.M. to receive the report of the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

The evening session was called to order by the chairman at 8.15 O'Clock P.M. when the following supervisors were found to be present. Beut, Chase, Connor, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Flork, Gremir, Henry, Kinnas, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Pearce, Roush, Reed, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner and Chairman = Total 28 - Absent Supervisors, Ayotte, Drake, Findlay, Goodman, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, Marten, Powell, Rosewall, Thoren and Wilson total 11.

The following reports from the Finance and Taxation Committee were

read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote:
 Yeas: Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay,
 Flack, Greiner, Henry, Kirwan, June, Kemp, Lyons, Mauley, Murray,
 Morgan, Newcombe, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Suther,
 Wagner and Chairman - Total 28. Nays none.

Your Committee on finance and taxation having had under con-
 sideration the various taxes for 1898 and previous years charged back
 and rejected by the Auditor General, respectfully recommends that the
 same be charged up to the several townships and cities in which
 the lands lie, and that said taxes be assessed against the said
 lands where practicable, and that the same be entered in a
 separate column on the respective assessment rolls, as "Rejected
 taxes" as follows.

Champion Township - - - - -	State taxes	County taxes	Totals
Chocoma " - - - - -	28.45	125.03	153.48
Ely " - - - - -	2.88	94.55	96.93
Forsyth " - - - - -	2.72	4.02	6.74
Humboldt " - - - - -	2.95	2.61	5.56
Isperding " - - - - -	6.29	4.74	11.03
Isperding City - - - - -	7.07	8.91	15.98
Marquette " - - - - -	.78	9.26	10.04
Marquette Township - - - - -	16.32	252.51	268.83
Michigan " - - - - -	5.46	5.18	10.64
Negaunee " - - - - -	9.97	44.71	54.68
Negaunee City - - - - -	13.04	17.33	30.37
Republic Township - - - - -	2579.67	5264.79	7784.46
Richmond " - - - - -	10.34	18.70	29.04
Richmond " - - - - -	5.64	7.83	13.47
Sards " - - - - -	4.59	3.23	7.82
Skandia " - - - - -	4.35	5.34	9.69
Silden " - - - - -	2.18	5.15	7.33
Surin " - - - - -	2.22	1.21	3.43
West Branch " - - - - -	1.44	.88	2.32
Marquette Co. Refused Co. tax		157.36	157.36
Totals.	\$2645.86	\$6033.34	\$8679.20

D. J. Morgan.

Chairman.

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

Your committee on finance and taxa-
 tion, having had the matter under consideration, would
 respectfully recommend that there be raised by taxation

The current year, as follows.

State Tax	\$ 47,376.94
County Tax, "Genl Fund"	40,000.00
Poor Fund	30,000.00
County Agricultural Society	1,070.56
Soldiers relief Fund.	400.00

Appportioned as follows.

Cities & Townships.	State Tax	County Tax
Marquette City	9727.75	14674.81
Iskpening "	14591.63	22012.22
Negaunee "	8407.56	12683.23
Chocolay Township	272.38	410.90
Richmond.	617.71	931.85
Linden.	1118.69	1687.60
Ely.	685.81	1034.57
Humboldt	505.84	763.09
Champion	2456.26	3705.39
Michiganville	1400.80	2113.17
Republic	2845.37	4292.39
Iskpening	1186.79	1790.33
Negaunee	355.06	535.64
Marquette	646.90	975.88
Skandia	437.75	660.37
West Branch	175.10	264.15
Sands	218.87	330.19
Lurin	617.71	931.85
Horsyth	1108.96	1672.93
Totals.	47376.94	71470.56
		118,847.50

D. J. Morgan.

Chairman.

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

Your committee on finance and taxation to whom was referred the matter of reporting on the several taxes to be raised in the Cities and Townships of said County for the current year, report as follows, and recommend that the amount of taxes set opposite the names of said Cities and Townships be authorized to be raised, as follows.

Marquette City

State Tax	\$ 9,727.75
County Tax	14,674.81

General tax	22,000.00
School tax	40,000.00
Library tax	3,386.55
Specul Assessment tax	558.15
One mill tax	3,386.55

Regaume Cij

State Tax	8,407.56
County tax	12,683.23
City tax fund "Genl Purposes"	4,060.63
Street & Highway fund	4,060.63
Fire Dept fund	3,045.48
Specul tax fund	3,045.48
Library Fund	250.00
School Dist Tax	25,000.00
One mill tax	4,060.63

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State tax	14,591.63
County tax	22,012.22
City Contingent tax	3,000.00
Highway tax	4,000.00
Fire tax	3,000.00
School tax	46,000.00
One mill tax	8,599.63

Chocology Sup.

State tax	272.38
County tax	410.90
Township Contingent tax	600.00
Highway tax	286.83
Highway labor tax	553.65
Specul Highway tax	400.00
School Dist tax	1,600.00
One mill tax	114.76

Lurui Sup.

State tax	617.71
County tax	931.83
Township Contingent tax	600.00
Highway tax 44-23 & 4424	
Highway labor tax 44-23 & 4424	
School Buidig fund	
School District tax	800.00
One mill tax	130.25

Zoragth Sup.

State tax	1108.96
County tax	1672.93

Township Contingent tax	500.00
Highway tax	1162.27
Bridge tax	232.45
School Dist #1 Tax	1800.00
One mill tax	321.75

Richmond Twp.

State Tax	617.71
County Tax	931.85
Township Contingent tax	500.00
Highway tax 47.26	300.00
Highway tax 46.26	100.00
School Dist Richmond Township tax	1700.00
One mill tax	167.27

Felden Twp.

State tax	1118.69
County tax	1687.60
Township Contingent tax	1000.00
Highway tax	1000.00
School Dist #1 Tax	6500.00
One mill tax	544.37

Ely Twp.

State tax	685.81
County tax	1034.57
Township Contingent tax	800.00
Highway tax	705.00
Bridge tax	200.00
School Dist #1 Tax	1600.00
One mill tax	132.49

Humboldt Twp.

State tax	505.84
County tax	763.09
Township Contingent tax	900.00
Highway tax	600.00
School Dist #1 Tax	1200.00
One mill tax	117.54

Champion Twp.

State tax	2456.26
County Tax	3705.39
Township Contingent tax	1600.00
Highway tax	1000.00
School tax	3500.00

Wichassee Twp.

State tax	1400.80
County tax	2113.17

Township Contingent tax	1000.00
School tax	5500.00
One mill tax	470.08
<u>Republic Twp.</u>	
State Tax	2845.37
County tax	4292.39
Township Contingent tax	1000.00
School Dist #1 Tax	9500.00
Highway tax T46 R30 W	250.00
Highway tax T47 R30 W	250.00
<u>Edpewig Twp.</u>	
State tax	1186.79
County tax	1790.33
Township Contingent tax	800.00
Highway tax	900.00
Bridge tax	200.00
Library tax	100.00
School Dist tax #1	2400.00
One mill tax	173.46
<u>Negaunee Twp.</u>	
State tax	355.06
County tax	535.64
Township Contingent tax	200.00
Highway tax	200.00
School Dist #1 Tax	200.00
One mill tax	69.81
<u>Marquette Twp.</u>	
State tax	646.90
County tax	975.88
Township Contingent tax	500.00
Highway tax	700.00
School dist #1 Tax	300.00
One mill tax	144.37
<u>Skardin Twp.</u>	
State tax	437.75
County tax	660.37
Township Contingent tax	800.00
Highway tax	425.00
Highway labor tax	850.00
School tax	1600.00
One mill tax	85.26
<u>West Branch Twp.</u>	
State Tax	175.10
County tax	264.15

Township Contingent tax	500.00
Highway tax	250.00
Highway labor tax	
Library tax	
School tax (all purposes)	1200.00
One mill tax	37.77
<u>Sands Twp.</u>	
Shut tax	218.87
Comp tax	330.19
Township Contingent tax	300.00
Highway tax	296.75
School tax	900.00
One mill tax	59.34

D. J. Morgan
Chairman.

The special Committee upon salaries, requested more time to consider, which was granted them until next meeting.

There being no further business before the board it then adjourned until Friday November 2nd A.D. 1900. at 11 O'clock A.M.

W. H. Johnston
Chairman

W. A. Ross
Clerk

"November 2nd 1900"

The Honorable board of supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Friday the second day of November A. D. 1900. at 11 O'Clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Johnston

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornish, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodenow, Gremier, Henry, Hurvas, Johnston, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Martin, Munay, Morgan, Powell, Pease, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Thoren, Wagner & Wilson - Total 36
Absent, Supervisors Manley, Newcombe and Sundblad - Total 3

Upon motion the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Auditing Report
filed with
Original
Minutes
Bills in
file Case
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The report of the Auditing Committee was received and read and same adopted by the following yeas & Nays Vote. Yeas. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornish, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodenow, Gremier, Henry, Hurvas, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Martin, Munay, Morgan, Powell, Pease, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman - Total 36, Nays None

2nd Petition
on
June &
Skandia
Improvement

The Committee upon highways & bridges reported adversely upon the second petition from residents of June & Skandia townships, which report was read and upon motion was duly adopted.

The reports from the County game warden were read and upon motion ordered filed.

There being no further business before the board it thereupon adjourned until Wednesday December 19th A. D. 1900. at 11 O'Clock A. M.

Mr. Johnston
Chairman

W. A. Ross
Clerk

"December 19th 1900"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the Nineteenth day of December, A.D. Nineteen hundred, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, W.H. Johnson.

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Gremier, Henry, Herwas, Nels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman = Total 36
Absent, Supervisor Burt, Rosewall and Thoren = Total 3.

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

Change
of
Corduroy
from
20 to 16 ft
Juni and
Forsyth
Road

A Communication from Frank Faquar & James Findley, the Township Committee having in charge the construction of a road through Juni and Forsyth townships, asking permission to change specifications from a 20 ft Corduroy to a 16 ft: was upon motion referred to the Committee on Highway & Bridges, with instructions to use their discretion in the matter.

relating
to
Cont. Treas'
Adam Kargos'
money
lost in
Millkism
Bank.
committee
in
original
minutes

A communication from Adam Kargos, relating to the fund left in the defunct Millkism Bank was read and upon motion, it was duly carried that the board accept a demand note for \$1642.16. Endorsed by the bondsmen of the said Adam Kargos. Said note bearing 5% int per annum. The said motion was duly carried by the following Yeas & Nay Vote. Yeas. Ayotte, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Gremier, Henry, Herwas, Nels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman = Total 36 = Nays None.

Auditing Report
in
Original Minutes
Bills
in file
Case # 5

The Report of the Auditing committee was received and read and same adopted by the following yeas and nay vote. Yeas: Ayotte, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Gremier, Henry, Herwas, Nels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manley, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman = Total 36 = Nays None.

Upon motion the rules were suspended and a motion then made that

a special Committee of 3 be appointed by the Chair to canvass the vote cast at the November election, upon the proposition to raise \$5000.00 by tax for a new County House, the same being supported and carried, the Chair appointed as such committee, Supervisors Wagner, Martin and Murray.

Carp
River
Bridge

The Special committee appointed to construct a bridge over Carp River, reported that the work had been completed at an aggregate cost of \$493.60, whereupon the report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

The report of the Probate Judge upon the alleged insanity of Adolph Beatty Jr, Clara Johnson, and William Terrell were read and orders filed.

The monthly reports of the Secy of the Poor Board, the County Game Wardens, the Superintendents of the Poor, and the County Clerk were received, read and orders filed.

Hunters
License

The following resolution was then Read.

Marquette-Michigan, December 19th 1900.

Resolved:

That the County's share of moneys arising from the sale of Hunters licenses for the season of 1900 be used in payment of the salaries of the County Game Wardens for the quarter ending December 31st 1900. and the quarter ending March 31st 1901. so far as the said sum realized will apply, the balance, if any (of said salaries for said quarters) to be paid out of the "Fund fund", and that the County Clerk be instructed to act in accordance therewith.

W. Filch,
Superior.

for
1900.

The same was adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote: Yeas: Ayotte, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Filch, Fay, Findlay, Flack, Goodman, Greiner, Henry, Kervin, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lys, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Norcombe, Powell, Peane, Rough, Rev. Ryan, Sax, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman = total 36 = Nay - none.

relation
to
Purchase of
Bridges
on
Huron
&
Don Range
R.R.

Supervisor F. W. Reed, called the boards attention to the abandonment of the Huron and Don Range R.R., and suggested the purchase of the wooden bridges along said right of way by the County, and the said right of way used as a County Road. The matter was upon motion referred to the Committee on Highways and bridges.

The bonds of the following officers elect, having been approved by the prosecuting attorney as to the form; were upon motion approved by the board, in the sums as below stated.

John Bengtson, Sheriff	\$1,000.00
Wm A. Ross, County Clerk	200.00
" " " " , Register & Chancery	1000.00
Cornelius J. Donohoe, C.C. Commissioner	300.00
Leino P. Cray, Coroner	1000.00

Census of
Voted
in
New
County
House

The special committee to canvass the vote on the proposition to spread \$15000.00 upon the tax rolls for the building of a County House, reported the carrying of said resolution by a majority of 3100 votes. Whereupon the following resolution was offered

Resolved:

That this board of Supervisors having examined the certificates and statements and canvassed the votes cast upon the proposition to raise by taxation the sum of \$15000. for the purpose of building a County poor House for Marquette County, hereby declare that the whole number of votes cast on said proposition were 4574 of which number 3837 were "Yes" and 737 were "No". The same being carried by a majority of 3100 votes

D. W. Powell.

The said resolution was carried by the following yeas & nay vote. Yeas: Ayotte, Chase, Cormor, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Friday, Flack, Goodman, Greiner, Hays, Harrier, Nelson, Johnson, Eric, Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Morgan, Newcombe, Powell, Peane, Rough, Read, Ryan, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Wagner, Wilson & Chami, total 36 = Yeas Nine.

The following resolution was offered by W. Fitch, Supervisor,

Security
Bond

Moved that the bond of the County Treasurer be fixed at the sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) with sufficient sureties; and that a special committee of three be appointed by the chairman with power to approve said bond: The same being carried unanimously, the chair appointed as such committee Supervisors Fitch, Read and Elliott.

The board thereupon adjourned until Wednesday February 6th A.D. 1901. at 11 O'Clock A.M.

W. Johnson
Chairman

W. A. Rose

Clerk

"February 6th 1901"

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County on Wednesday the Sixth day of February A. D. 1901

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, at 2:00 O'clock P. M., owing to the non-arrival of the train from the west.

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, But, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Hay, Findley, Hlack, Lordman, Giesner, Henry, Hurias, Nels Johnson, Erik Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Markley, Martin, Morgan, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Reed, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoen, Wagner, Wilson^{2d} Chairman total 36. Absent Supervisors, Gottle, Mungy & Newcombe, total 3.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

relating to
detaching
territory
and
adding
same to
Delta Co.

A communication from the Supervisors of Forsyth and Larin Townships, relating to a bill pending in the State Legislature to detach from this County surveyed townships 42 & 43 North Range 24, 25 & 26 west and add same to Delta County was read, whereupon the following Resolution was offered and duly adopted.

Resolved:

That we, the board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, do hereby condemn such bill, and do earnestly protest to our legislature against its passage.

Further Resolved:

That the Clerk forward copies of this resolution to our Senator and Representatives, and that they be, and are hereby, requested to use all honorable means to prevent any such bill becoming a law.

A communication from the Association of State Board of Supervisors was read and ordered filed

Appointment
of
D. H. Johnson
School
Examiner

The following communication from the board of appointors of School examiners was read and upon motion the action of the board was concurred in

At a postponed meeting of the Co Board of Examiners held at the office of the Judge of Probate, it was moved and carried that Supl. D. H. Johnston be elected to fill the vacancy as examiner caused by the death of H. B. Bryman

Charles Kellogg, Chairman
F. D. Davis, Secretary
O. B. Walden

Since first
file # 6
other in
file # 7
report in
Proceedings.

The report of the Auditing Committee was received read, and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote = Yeas: But, Chase, Conners, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flack, Goodman, Gremier, Henry, Hinweis, Nels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Morgan, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sudblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chaumon, total 36 = Nays None.

The report of the Superintendants of the Poor Committee, was read and ordered filed.

Report of
Committee
on
Purchase
of
Right of Way
of
Huron Bay
and
Iron Range
R.R.

The following report from the Committee on Highways & Bridge was read.

"Your committee to whom was referred the matter of negotiating for the purchase of the Bridge and Right of Way on the line of the Huron Bay and Iron Range Rail Road. Beg leave to report that they have had the bridges estimated and Roadway examined by Mr Geo. P. Cummings and find it would be desirable for the County to purchase the bridges ten in number and right of way of said Road running through Michigan and Champion Townships, North to the County limits about 14 miles.

Your committee after negotiating with the owners are able to report that the bridges and roadway can be bought for two thousand dollars, and would recommend the purchase of same by the County to be used as a County Road, and the prosecuting Attorney be requested to arrange for the proper transfer of the same to this County.

Dw Powell, W. Fitch, W. Read, W. Henry, J. H. Martin,

The above report was duly adopted by the following Yeas & Nays. Yeas: But, Chase, Conners, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flack, Goodman, Gremier, Henry, Hinweis, Nels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Morgan, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Read, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sudblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chaumon, total 36 = Nays None.

The report of the Probate Judge upon the alleged insanity of Philomena Chalifour was received, read and ordered filed.

The following report from the Special Committee upon salaries was received and read.

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

County
Salaries

County Probate Judge.	as per Statute
" Sheriff	\$1200.00 per annum
" Clerk	2000.00 " "
" Treasurer	3400.00 " "
" Pros. Atty	1800.00 " "
" Muni Inspector	1800.00 " "
" Com. of School	1500.00 " " while incumbent devotes entire time to the duties of office, otherwise as per Statute
" Supr Pwr, 1 st Dist	800.00 per annum
" " 2 nd "	900.00 " "
" " 3 rd "	750.00 " "
" Abstract Clerk	50.00 per month addition the fees for making abstracts, these fees to be regulated by the board.

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

Adoption
of
same

W. Fitch, Mark Elliott, F.W. Reed = Committee
The above report was adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote. Yeas. Bent, Chase, Corns, Dallin, Drake, Elliott, Evening, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flock, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Harris, Nels Johnson, Emil Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Mauley, Martin, Morgan, Powell, Pearce, Rough, Reed, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson & Chairman, total 36 - Nays none.

The monthly reports of the Secretary of the poor board, the County Game Wardens, and the Superintendents of the Poor were read and ordered filed. * The bonds of the County Treasurer, Emanuel Thengland in the sum of \$50,000.00 and of George Brown, C.E. Commissioner in the sum of \$5000.00, were read & approved.

Resolution
drawing
order
for
Bridges
&
Right of Way
to
Hem Borg
and
Dan Ruge
R.R.

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor Reed.

Resolved: That an order be drawn on the County Treasurer for \$2000.00 in favor of "The Detroit Construction Company" in presentation of the paper transfers of Bridges and Right of way. Carried by this resolution.

F.W. Reed.

Same being adopted by the following Yeas & Nays vote, Yeas. Bent, Chase, Corns, Dallin, Drake, Elliott, Evening, Fitch, Fay, Findley, Flock, Goodman, Grenier, Henry, Harris, Nels Johnson, Emil Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Mauley, Martin, Morgan, Powell, Pearce, Reed, Rough, Ryan, Rosewall, Sunk, Smith, Sundblad, Thoren, Wagner, Wilson and Chairman, total 36 = Nays none.

The board thereupon adjourned until Wednesday March 27th A.D. 1901, at 11 o'clock A.M.

M. Johnson
Chairman
W. E. Ross
Clerk

"March 27th 1901"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the twenty-seventh day of March, A.D. nineteen hundred and one.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, at 11 O'clock A.M.

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Flock, Goodman, Greenier, Henry, Hewes, Kels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sudds, Thoren, Wagner, Nelson and Chairman Total 35.
Absent Supervisors, Fitch, Morgan, Rough & Read = Total 4

Communications
from
Hospitals
for care of
Indigent Poor

A communication from St Mary's Hospital and one from St Luke's Hospital, relative to the care of the indigent poor for the ensuing year, were read and upon motion each were laid upon the table until the next meeting.

Auditing
Report
with preceding
bills in
file # 8
and possible
in file # 6

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following yeas and nays Vote = Yeas, Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Flock, Goodman, Greenier, Henry, Hewes, Kels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sudds, Thoren, Wagner, Nelson and Chairman Total 35 Nays None.

Poor
House
Plans.

The following report from the Committee upon Highways & Bridges, was read.
Marquette Mich March 27/1901

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

Your committee to whom was referred the matter of having plans and specifications prepared for a new County bonded, moved respectfully report, that we engaged Messrs Charlton, Gilbert and Demor, architects, to prepare same. which has been done, under the inspection of your committee and has been submitted to the State Board of Corrections & Charities and is accepted by your committee and we now present the same for adoption by this board.

DW Powell & W.H. Johnson

Upon motion the same was adopted by the following Yeas and Nays vote, Yeas, Ayotte, Burt, Chase, Cornors, Dalton, Drake, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Findlay, Flock, Goodman, Greenier, Henry, Hewes, Kels Johnson, Erick Johnson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Manly, Martin, Murray, Newcombe, Powell, Pearce, Ryan, Rosewall, Sisk, Smith, Sudds, Thoren, Wagner, Nelson & Chairman Total 35 Nays None.

The report of the Probate Judge upon the alleged insanity of Susan Jennings was read and ordered filed.

The Monthly reports of the Game Wardens, the Secretary of the Poor board, and the Superintendents of the Poor, and the report of the Inspectors of Jails, were received read and ordered filed.

Upon motion of Supervisor Wagner a vote of thanks was extended to the Chairman W. H. Johnston for the efficient and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the board for the last year, which motion being put before the board by the Clerk was unanimously carried, the chairman then in a few remarks thanked the board for the courtesy extended.

Whereupon the board adjourned without day.

W. A. Ross
Clerk

"April 23rd 1901"

The honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Tuesday the twentythird day of April A.D. 1901 at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk when the following call was read.

Marquette Mich April 15th 1901

State of Michigan }
County of Marquette } 33

To William A. Ross, County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Sir,
You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said County, on Tuesday the 23rd day of April A.D. 1901, at 11 O'clock A.M. for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting.

Respectfully Yours,

D. W. Powell, Joseph Fay,

Myrick, E. J. Sisk, Joe H. Rough, John Mandley, James Tebilevsk, Charles But, Leon Sundblad, Frank Frei, Philo P. Chase, Jacob Smith, A. J. Agnew, C. F. Sundstrom, Dennis Ryan, Stephen Kemp, John Connors, Mark Elliott, D. J. Morgan, D. H. Dalton, J. E. Donoghue, J. C. Findlay, John Thomas, Bernard J. Goodman, Joseph Borabe and Anthony Richards.

Whereupon the roll was called and the following Supervisors were found to be present; Agnew, Ayotte, Borabe, But, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fitch, Fay, Frei, Findlay, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Mandley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, O'Mera, Powell, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Stickney, Sisk, Sundblad, Jas. Tebilevsk, John Tebilevsk, Thomas and Wilson.
Total 39 - Absent none.

It was then moved, supported and carried that Mr Walter Fitch act as temporary chairman.

The temporary chairman then upon motion appointed as a special Auditing Committee. Supervisors Elliott, Chase, Fay, Ewing and Rough.

The "rules of Order" governing the former board were upon motion adopted as the "Rules of Order" to govern this board.

Chairman { It was then moved by Mr Hay, that the temporary Chairman be made permanent Chairman. which motion was put, by the Clerk & was carried unanimously. whereupon Mr Walter Fitch was declared elected Chairman for the ensuing year.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and upon motion approved.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at 2 O'clock, P. M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman Walter Fitch at 2 O'clock P. M.

The roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Agnew, Ayotte, Barabe, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Frei, Findlay, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Mandley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, O'Mera, Powell, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Stickney, Sunk, Sundblad, Jos Liebelack, John Liebelack, Thomas, Wilson and Chairman. Total 39 = Absent none.

Probate Clerk { A Communication from the Probate Judge relative to the appointment of a Probate Clerk by the board at a salary of \$25.00 per month. was read and upon motion laid upon the table.

Auditing Reports { The report of the special Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following yea & nay vote. Yea = Agnew, Ayotte, Barabe, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Frei, Findlay, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Mandley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, O'Mera, Powell, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Stickney, Sunk, Sundblad, Jos Liebelack, John Liebelack, Thomas, Wilson & Chairman - total 39 = Nays None

The Monthly reports from the County Clerk, Secy of the Poor board, Superintendents of the poor, and the County Game Wardens were read and upon motion were placed on file.

Committee on { The report of the Probate Judge, relative to the alleged insanity of Clay Hokanson was read & ordered filed.

Election of the { The following resolution was then offered.

Resolved.

That a committee of three of which the Chairman

New Poor House

Poor

House

Enclaves

Committee

Hospital
Committee
on
Pensions

of this board should be a member" be appointed by the Chair, to have charge of the erection of a New County House for the Poor with instructions to advertise for bids and let a contract as soon as practicable for the erection of said building according to plans and specifications already prepared and adopted by this board, and that they be authorized and empowered to act in all matters appertaining to the erection and completion of said building and to employ such assistance as they may require.

D. W. Powell

It was then moved & supported that the above resolution be adopted. An amendment to said resolution was offered by Supervisor John Lubilcock that the committee be increased to 5 members, the same being supported, and the amendment put to vote, the same was declared lost by the Chair. The original resolution was then voted upon and same carried. In accordance herewith the Chair appointed as associate members of the Committee, Supervisors Powell and Morgan.

It was then moved by Supervisor Fay, that a Committee of 3 be appointed by the Chair to make renewal contracts with Hospitals & Doctors for the care of the indigent poor of the County for the ensuing year and submit same to the Board at its next meeting for approval, the same being supported and carried. The Chair appointed as such committee, Supervisors Fay - John Lubilcock - and O'Mera.

The board hereupon adjourned until Wednesday June 5th A.D. 1901, at the hour of 11 O'Clock A.M.

W. J. J. J.
Chairman

W. J. J. J.
Clerk

"June 5th 1901"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette Co met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court house, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the fifth day of June, A.D. Nineteen hundred and one. at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Walter J. Lisk.

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present. Agnew, Agotte, Borabe, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Frei, Fridley, Godman, Gustafson, Hodgson, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Mandley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Stikney, Smit, Sundblad, Jas. Tebilevick, John Tebilevick, Thomas, Wilson and Chairman, total 37 Absent Supervisors O'Mear and Powell - total two.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and upon motion approved.

Petition
for
aid
in

Completing
Road
in
Skandia
Township

The following petition was read and upon motion referred to the Committee upon highways & bridges.

"To the Hon. The Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich.
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, residents and freeholders of the township of Skandia; respectfully petition your honorable body to appropriate the sum of Seven hundred dollars (\$700.) to aid in completing the public highway, running easterly from the State Road through T. 46 N. R. 23 W. in said Township of Skandia. And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

John Wilson, Frank Johnson, Albert Sandberg, A. J. Haglund.
and thirty others.

Game
Warden

The Oath of office of Henry E. Skellan, the new appointee to the office of County Fish and game warden, was received read and same ordered filed.

John Harrington
to
file

W. J. O'Meara
Place

The following communication was received and read and upon motion John Harrington was given a seat as a member of the board and was by the chairman appointed to the same committee assigned to his predecessor.

Received June 5th 1901

Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette Mich.

There being a vacancy in the office of Supervisor

of 3rd ward of Negaunee City caused by removal of Mr. J. O'Meara. The bearer John Harrington is entitled to sit from such ward, he being the alderman whose term of office soonest expires.

Thomas Connor, Mayor.
Recorder.

Auditing
Report in
Proceedings
= file in
file 9
Auditing
bills in
file 6

The Report of the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following Ye & Nay vote = Ye Agnew, Agotte, Barabe, Burt, Chase, Connor, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fox, Hei, Findley, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, Harrington, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Mandley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, Putada, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jack Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Thibault, Auk, Sundblad, Jr. Subscribed John Sundblad. Thorse, Wilson and Stamm, total 38 = Nays None.

Report of
Committee
on
Contract
for
Poor House

The following report from the special committee was received and read and upon motion was ordered filed.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

The special committee having in charge the execution of the County poor house, reports that it has let the contract for the work to Lipsitt & Sinclair for the sum of (Thirteen thousand nine hundred seventy-eight) \$13,978.00 and have had executed a suitable bond covering the contract. The work has already been commenced and by the terms of the Contract will be completed by October 1st next.

Marquette Minn

June 5th 1901

D. W. Powell

J. S. Morgan,

W. Filch

} Committee.

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Reports

The Committee upon Hospital & Contagious Disease contracts reported that they had perfected contracts with Hospitals and doctors throughout the County and that same was ready for the ratification of this board, said report was ordered filed.

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

The report from the Parole Judge relative to the alleged insanity of one Alexander Morrison was read and same ordered filed.

The following motion was offered by Supervisor D. L. Morgan

Relative
to the
Payment
of
Estimates
on
Poor House
Contract

On the presentation of certificates given the contractor by the Architects from time to time estimating on work done on the County Poor House contract, duly countersigned by the special committee, the Clerk of this board be and is hereby authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the amount of money called for by such certificates.

D. J. Morgan.

Said motion was adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote = Yeas Agnew, Ayotte, Barabe, Burt, Chase, Connors, Dalton, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Frei, Findley, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, Harrington, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lindberg, Manley, Morgan, O'Donoghue, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Rector Smith, Rudelson, Stickney, Smit, Sundblad, Joe Lubilewicz, John Lubilewicz, Thomas, Wilson and Chairman = total 38 - Nays none.

Adoption
of
Hospital
Contracts.
Same
found
in
Miscellaneous
file Case

The following motion was offered and same carried unanimously on motion:

That the report of the special committee upon Hospital and Doctors contracts for the care of indigent poor and of contagious diseases, be received and adopted, and that the Chairman of this board, together with the special committee, be instructed to execute the contracts, in accordance with said report and the provisions of the several contracts, after which the said special committee be discharged.

Mark Elliott, Supervisor.

Goose Lake
Road
improvement

The following resolution was offered and upon motion same was referred to the committee upon highways and bridges to report at the next meeting.

Resolved:

That the committee on highways and bridges be instructed to examine that portion of the new County road between the City of Regence and Goose Lake and decide upon necessary repairs and at the same time be empowered to authorize them, made under contract or otherwise, at an expense not exceeding \$500.00.

J. E. O'Donoghue

Committee to
attend the
meeting of the
State Board
of Equalization

Upon motion Messrs Frank A. Bell and Myron J. Shemard were appointed to attend the State Board of Equalization, in the interest of this County.

There being no further business before the board it thereupon adjourned to meet Monday June 24th at the hour of 11 O'Clock A.M.

W. J. Fitch Chairman

Shannon W. K. R. Clerk

"June 24th 1901"

The Honorable board of Supervisors of Marquette County. Met pursuant to adjournment, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Monday the twenty fourth day of June, A.D. Nineteen hundred and One, at 11 O'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Walter Fitch.

Upon the roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present, Agnew, Borabe, Chase, Cormore, Dallan, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fie, Findlay, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, Harrington, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lundberg, Mandley, Morgan, Powell, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Shetkey, Snik, Sundblad, Jos. Tribileck, John Tribileck, Thomas, Wilson & Chairman total 36.

Absent Supervisors Ayotte, But & O'Donoghue = total 3.

Upon motion the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with.

Audit report
with
proceedings.

Bills in
file Case
9

Small post
bills in
Case # 6

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and same adopted by the following Yeas & Nays Vote. Yeas: Agnew, Borabe, Chase, Cormore, Dallan, Elliott, Ewing, Fay, Fie, Findlay, Goodman, Gustafson, Hodgson, Harrington, June, Kemp, Lyons, Lundberg, Mandley, Morgan, Powell, Richards, Roberts, Rough, Ryan, Jacob Smith, Richard Smith, Sundstrom, Shetkey, Snik, Sundblad, Jos. Tribileck, John Tribileck, Thomas, Wilson & Chairman = total 36 = Nays None.

Refusal

to

make

repairs

in

Goose Lake

Road

The following report from the Highway & Bridge Committee was received and read and same upon motion adopted.

Marquette Mich June 20th 1901

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette Co. Michigan

Gentlemen: Your committee to whom was referred the communication from J. E. O'Donoghue & others, relative to repairs on the Goose Lake Road between that place & Negaunee, moves report that upon examination, we find that no repairs have been done on said road by the township or City of Negaunee since 1897, where there was expended on the same by Marquette County, about \$3000.00 and your committee is of the opinion that the township and parties most benefited should at least keep the said road in repair, and in consideration of the large amount already expended by the County on said road, your committee would respectfully recommend that the amount asked for be not allowed.

Committee - D. W. Powell, D. J. Morgan, Mark Elliott.

John Mandley, W. S. Ewing, John Shetkey.