

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Monday the 8th day of October, A.D. 1917.

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

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

Present:- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Marley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.

Absent- Collick-1.

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

The following petition was read and it was moved and supported that the prayer of the petitioner be granted with the proviso that the company would comply with any requests made to them by the State Game & Fish Commission relative to fish ladders, chutes etc., as requested by the statutes the motion prevailed.

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

The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Company respectfully represents that it is about to construct a dam across Dead River on the West half of the Southeast quarter of Section 14, in Township 48 North, Range 26 West. Said dam will be approximately 400 feet in length and will be about 60 feet in height where it crosses the bed of the river. It is proposed to use this dam for the purpose of developing the water power on said river. Attached hereto is a small sketch showing the location of said proposed dam and the portion of the river affected thereby.

Said Company further represents that it has acquired from the owners thereof the right and privilege of constructing said dam and of utilizing the water rights upon and along all the descriptions of land which will be affected by said dam or by the pond thereby created: that Dead River is not a navigable stream, from location of the so-called Hoist shown on said sketch, to its mouth at Lake Superior, and that the portion of the river to be used and affected by said dam and storage basin is not suitable for driving logs or other forest products and has never been used for that purpose: and that the construction of the proposed dam and storage basin will not interfere in any way with the use of the upper part of the river and the Hoist for transportation of forest products if so desired by any of the timber owners in that vicinity. It is therefore not proposed to construct a lock, chute or apron for the passage of boats, vessels, rafts or timber through said new dam, such construction being wholly unnecessary.

It is further represented that the construction of this dam will enable the undersigned to use the water so developed along said river in connection with its industrial operations in Marquette County and vicinity, and this will be generally beneficial both to the undersigned and to the County of Marquette,

In consideration of these facts your petitioner respectfully requests leave to construct and maintain a water power dam across Dead River as above specified, and to use the same in connection with its operations.

Any further information which may be desired with reference to the construction of this dam will be furnished on application.

The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co.

By M.M.Duncan,
Vice-Pres. & Gen'l Mgr.

County of Wayne-
City of Detroit. SS.

John M.Tracey being duly sworn, deposes and says, the annexed copy of a notice was taken from The Detroit News, a daily newspaper printed, published and circulated in said City, State and County, and that said notice was published in said newspaper on the 17th, 24th of September and 1st of October A.D.1917, and knows well the facts stated herein, and that he is the foreman of the printers of said newspaper.

John M.Tracey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of October A.D. 1917.

D.H.VanDusen,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar.16,1920.

State of Michigan,)
County of Marquette.) ss.

Edw. H.Doran being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Principal Clerk of the Marquette Chronicle, a Daily Newspaper printed and published in the City and County of Marquette, State of Michigan, that the annexed printed notice was duly published in said Newspaper on the 15th, 22nd, 29th of September: 6th day of October A.D. 1917.

Edw.H.Doran.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 8th day of October, A.D. 1917.

Aug.F.Rohl.

Notary Public, Marquette Co., Mich.

My commission expires Jan.21,1922.

A communication from the Secretary of the State Association of Supervisors requesting this Board to elect delegates to the next annual meeting of the association was read and it was moved, supported and carried that the Chairman appoint two Supervisors to act with him as delegates. The chair appointed Supervisors Ewing and Vandenboom.

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Notice of petition to be made by said company to be made of said Board of Supervisors

delegates to Association of Supervisors annual meeting

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The following application was read and Mr. Sporley was unanimously elected to succeed himself as Superintendents of the Poor, 2nd District for the ensuing three years. It was also moved and supported that his salary be fixed at \$1200.00 beginning January 1st, 1918; the motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.

Nays-none.

Mr. Sporley elected Superintendent

Marquette, Mich., October, 8th, 1917.

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

I hereby make application for the position of Superintendent of the Poor for the Second District. If elected I will faithfully fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

Yours respectfully,
C.L. Sporley.

Requests for donations were received from the Holy Family Orphanage at Marquette Good Will Farm at Houghton and Children's Home at St. Joseph. It was moved and supported that the board make donations as follows:

- \$100.00 to the Holy Family Orphanage.
- \$100.00 to the Good Will Farm.
- \$ 50.00 to the Children's Home.

The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays-none.

Mr. Bronson of Ishpeming addressed the board in behalf of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau and at the conclusion of his remarks requested that the Board appropriate \$2000.00 to the Bureau. It was moved and supported that the Finance and Taxation Committee be instructed to add to their budget the sum of \$2000.00 under the provisions of Act No. 83 of the Public Acts of 1913, the motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-33.

Nays-Ewing, Field, Graff and Olson-4.

Appropriation of \$2000.00 to the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau

Mr. Mangum of Marquette addressed the Board in behalf of the Marquette Agricultural Society and asked the Board to appropriate as large an amount as possible. It was moved and supported that the Finance and Taxation Committee place in their budget the sum of \$4000.00 for this Society the motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell-35.

Nays-Bellstrom and Field-2.

Appropriation of \$4000.00 to the Marquette Agricultural Society

The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee was read and it was moved and supported that the report be adopted and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee with instructions to place on the budget \$2000.00 for purchasing and maintaining Parks in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 90 P.A. 1913, and also that the Chair appoint three (3) members of this Board as a permanent park committee in accordance with the above mentioned statutes. The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell-37.

Nays-none.

Appropriation of \$2000.00 to the Highways and Bridges Committee

The Chair appointed the following, Bush, Trembath and Perkins to be known as Committee on Public Parks.

Committee on Public Parks appointed.

Marquette, Michigan, Oct., 6, 1917.

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

Your committee on highways and bridges beg leave to report that at a meeting held at the County Road Commissioner's office in Ishpeming Oct. 3, together with Mr. Sawyer we went into the matter of maintaining public parks in the county of Marquette under provision of Act 90, Public Acts of 1913, and recommend that the same be adopted and the sum of One thousand dollars for purchase and One thousand dollars for maintenance of same be appropriated for next year.

Respectfully submitted,
John Stickney,
J.M. Bush,
W.S. Ewing,
Joseph F. Labold,
R. Matthews,
V.R. Fahlstedt.

October, 8th, 1917.

The following reports of the Highways and Bridges Committee were read and adopted and ordered filed.

Marquette, Michigan., October, 6, 1917.

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

Your committee on highway and bridges beg leave to report that we have inspected road in West Branch township and recommend that the clerk be authorized to draw an order on county treasurer for Four Hundred (\$400.00) Dollars payable to West Branch township as was authorized at our July meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
John Stickney,
J.M.Bush,
W.S.Ewing,
Joseph F.Labold,
R.Matthews,
V.R.Fahlstedt.

Marquette, Michigan, Oct. 6, 1917.

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

Your committee on highway and bridges beg leave to report that we have inspected crossings on Marquette to Michigamme road and would recommend that the clerk write the railway companies urging the following changes: On crossing 1/2 mile east of Eagle Mills on South track cattle guard and fence be moved east 35 feet from center of roadway and crossing extended east 6 ft: crossing on Y at Eagle Mills be made 24 feet. Each crossing on Republic branch west of Humboldt depot be made 28 feet. Crossing on the C. & N.W. Ry. at Dishneau should be made 28 feet.

Respectfully submitted,
John Stickney,
J.M.Bush,
W.S.Ewing,
Joseph F.Labold
R.Matthews,
V.R.Fahlstedt.

Marquette, Michigan. Oct. 6, 1917.

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

Your committee on highway and bridges beg leave to report that the contract has been let for finishing up one and one-half (1 1/2) miles on Big Bay road for Fourteen (\$1400.00) Hundred Dollars, which includes brushing out, gravelling and putting in extra culverts.

Respectfully submitted,
John Stickney,
J.M.Bush,
W.S.Ewing,
Joseph F.Labold,
R.Matthews,
V.R.Fahlstedt.

The following communications and reports were read and referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

Auditor General's Department.

Lansing, Mich., September 26, 1917.

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

Sir:- You are hereby notified that a State Tax has been apportioned to the several Counties of the State according to the last returns of the aggregate valuation of taxable property therein made to this office, and as equalized and determined by the State Board of Equalization at their session in August, 1916.

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

University of Michigan- Sec.1, Act 303, 1907	\$ 17,550.00
University of Michigan- Sec.2, Act 203, 1897	50.14
University of Michigan- Sec.29, Act 105, 1915	225.64
University of Michigan- Sec.3, Act 90, 1917	2,925.00
Michigan Agricultural College- Sec.1, Act 114, 1915	9,360.00
Michigan Agricultural College- Sec.5, Act 246, 1895	16.71
Michigan State Normal College- Sec.6, Act 204, 1913	1,671.43
Michigan State Normal College- Sec.4, Act 115, 1917	4,053.21
Central Michigan Normal School- Sec.5, Act 378, 1917	1,866.15
Northern State Normal School- Sec.4, Act 381, 1917	1,485.79

*Investigate road
West Branch
order for \$400.00*

*Inspection of
R.R. crossings*

*Central Big
Bay Road*

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Western State Normal School-Sec.5,Act 107,1915	1,337.14
Michigan College of Mines-Sec.4,Act 374,1917	1,413.18
Kalamazoo State Hospital-Sec.4,Act 380,1917	922.78
Pontiac State Hospital-Sec.3,Act 384,1917	1,320.43
Traverse City State Hospital-Sec.3,Act 369,1917	450.34
Newberry State Hospital-Sec.4,Act 368,1917	956.06
Ionia State Hospital-Sec.3,Act 49,1917	329.70
Michigan State Prison-Sec.4,Act 57,1917	1,524.35
Michigan Reformatory-Sec.3,Act 31,1917	60.17
State House of Correction and Branch Prison,U.P.Sec.4,Act 370-1917.	285.81
Industrial School for Boys-Sec.3,Act 32,1917	242.36
Industrial School for Boys-Sec.5,Act 108,1917	2,728.74
The State Industrial Home for Girls-Sec.3,Act 84,1917.	167.14
The State Industrial Home for Girls-Sec.4,Act 377,1917	1,752.26
Michigan Soldiers' Home-Sec.3,Act 56,1917	3,760.71
Michigan Soldier's Home-Sec.3,Act 50,1917	41.79
Michigan School for the Blind-Sec.4,Act 386,1917	1,291.18
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind-Sec.3,Act 362,1917	83.57
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind-Sec.4, Act 363,1917	605.89
Michigan School for the Deaf-Sec.5,Act 385,1917	2,401.84
State Public School-Sec.4,Act 124,1917	1,268.52
Michigan Home and Training School-Sec.4,Act 372,1917	856.61
Michigan Farm Colony for Epileptic Persons-Sec.4,Act 383,1917	2,600.09
State Sanatorium-Sec.3,Act 95,1917	142.21
State Sanatorium-Sec.4,Act 376,1917	1,480.47
State Board of Fish Commissioners-Sec.5,Act 119,1917	1,139.65
Upper Peninsula Fish Hatchery-Sec.4,Act 248,1917	292.50
Michigan State Library-Sec.5,Act 81,1917	167.14
Michigan State Library-Sec.6,Act 120,1917	41.79
Michigan State Library-Sec.3,Act 283,1917	25.07
State Board of Library Commissioners-Sec.3,Act 242,1917	91.93
Michigan Historical Commission-Sec.10,Act 192,1917	250.71
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 247,1917	125.36
State Board of Health-Sec.3,Act 190,1917	33.43
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 293,1909	206.87
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 164,1915	66.86
Mackinac Island State Park Commission-Sec.4,Act 382,1917	109.48
State Office Building-Sec.4,Act 241,1917	3,342.86
Michigan State Public Park-Sec.4,Act 366,1917	1,002.85
Industrial Accident Board-Sec.7,Act 235,1917	1,170.00
Industrial Accident Board-Sec.3,Act 201,1917	58.50
Maj.General W.R.Shafter Monument-Sec.3,Act 282,1917	83.57
Battle of Shiloh Commission-Sec.4,Act 303,1917	75.21
Rural Agricultural Schools-Sec.18,Act 226,1917	83.57
County Schools of Agricultural-Sec.10,Act 12,1913	133.71
State Board of Geological Survey-Sec.4,Act 361,1917	417.86
State Board of Geological Survey-Soil Survey,Sec.9,Act 373,1917	752.14
State Highway Department-Sec.19,Act 177,1917	585.00
State Highway Department-Sec.2,Act 169,1917	10,028.57
State Highway Department-Federal Aided Roads-Sec.8,Act 99,1917	3,760.71
War Loan Sinking Fund-Sec.7,Act 97,1917	4,178.57
Department of Labor-Sec.37,Act 98,1917	1,086.43
Dairy and Food Commissioner-Sec.12,Act 12,1905	585.00
Salary of Deputy Supt. of Public Instruction and Assistant.Sec.2,Act 22,1917	111.90
Salary of Superintendent of Public Instruction-Sec.2,Act 9,1909	66.86
State Board of Corrections and Charities-Sec.2,Act 33,1917	5.10
Public Domain Commission-Sec.16,Act 151,1917	2,381.79
Michigan National Guard-Sec.78,Act 157, 1915	3,053.05
Michigan National Guard-Sec.2,Act.7,2nd Extra Session of 1912	501.43
Michigan Naval Brigade-Sec.36,Act 149,1917	939.40
Flint Armory-Sec.4,Act 197,1917	501.43

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Owosso Armory-Sec.3,Act 117,1917	34.21
Spanish American War Claims-Sec.2,Act 163,1917	763.41
Agricultural Fair Commission-Sec.3,Act 140,1917	835.71
Salaries and Expenses of Inheritance Examiners-Sec.19,Act 336,1917	162.08
Salaries and Expenses of Sec'y of Senate and Clerk of House-Sec.3,367,1917	110.31
Index to Compiled Laws of 1915-Sec.3,Act 152,1917	50.14
Michigan Budget Commission of Inquiry-Sec.7,Act 193,1917	167.14
Salary of Supreme Court CrierAnd Assistant-Sec.44,Act 314,1915	48.47
Joint Penology Commission-Sec.15,Act 265,1913	33.43
Salaries and Expenses Members Board of State Tax Com.-Sec.2,Act 331,1913	184.26
Compensation Members of Legislature-Sec.3,Act 1,1909	1,765.03
Michigan State Training School for Women-Sec.16,Act 259,1917	835.71
Tax for Prisons-Current Expense-Sec.1, Act 150,1917	1,838.57
Tax for State Hospitals-Current Expense-Sec.1,Act 30,1917	22,767.94
Tax for General Purposes-Sec.1,Act 29,1917	26,333.02
Total State Tax	\$ 160,613.24

You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your County at their session in October, 1917. Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice.

Very respectfully,

O.B.Fuller,
Auditor General.

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

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette held in Ishpeming, September 26th,1917, the following resolution was unanimously adopted.

Resolved by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette, that it be and is hereby determined that the amount of tax to be raised in the County road fund in this County for the year 1917, and spread on the assessment rolls of the townships and cities of the County for the said year be and the same is fixed at and determined at the sum of Sixty-five Thousand (\$65,000.00) Dollars, to be expended in accordance with the following estimates, to-wit:

Superintendence & Engineering	\$ 7000.00
Maintenance	12000.00
Equipment	7500.00
Bridge	1500.00
Negaunee-Marquette Road Renewals	7000.00
Surface treatment	2500.00
Marquette South Road: Yalmer-Skandia	6000.00
Ishpeming West Road: Dexter to Johnson's	4500.00
Witch Lake Road: Main road to Lake Laurie Outlet	5000.00
Chenall's to Trout Falls Creek	9000.00
Palmer South Road: Green Creek North	1000.00
Little Lake to Delta Co.Line	2000.00
	<u>\$ 65000.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

W.H.Johnston, Chairman.

Marquette, Michigan, Oct.6th,1917.

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

Gentlemen:

We have the honor, herewith to submit our annual report of receipts and disbursements, also other matters of interest pertaining to transactions of the Board during the year ending September, 30th, 1917.

Amount appropriated	\$50,000.00
Cash paid Co.Treas. 1st Dist.	564.86
Cash paid Co.Treas.2nd Dist.	6.00
Amount overdrawn	<u>2,706.71</u>
	\$ 63,277.57

County Road Report.

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Disbursements:

Orders drawn on Co.Treas. favor 1st Dist.	\$ 3,821.55
Orders drawn on Co.Treas. favor 1st Dist.Drs.& Hospt.	3,290.81
Orders drawn on Co.Treas. favor 2nd Dist.	32,352.90
Orders drawn on Co.Treas. favor 3rd. Dist.	10,424.00
Orders drawn on Co.Treas. favor County Farm	13,387.51
	63,277.57

One hundred eight persons have been inmates of the County Infirmary at different times during the year and, fourteen hundred eight persons have received temporary aid during the year.

Owing to the high cost of living and advanced cost of fuel also the epidemic of typhoid fever and pneumonia, which we had to care for, your Superintendents regret that we end the year with a deficit of twenty-seven hundred six dollars and seventy-one cents (\$2,706.71) which we would respectfully suggest that your Honorable Board charge to the General Fund. We do not think it wise to Ask for less than sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000.00) for the ensuing year, with which amount we hope to be able to care for the indigent poor, also the Doctors and hospital bills of Marquette County.

Therefore, we request that your Honorable Board appropriate the sum of sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000.00) as relief for the Poor of Marquette County.

We note the following supplies on hand at County Farm September 30th, 1917, estimated, viz:

25 tons hay, 100 bu. turnips, 70 bu. carrots, 1200 bu. potatoes, 30 bu. parsnips, 40 bu. beets, 1500 head of cabbage, 300 head celery, and 1700 cords of 16 in. wood.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H.F. Handford,
Sec'y Superintendents of Poor.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 4, 1917.

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

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with Act No. 96 of the session laws of 1849, as amended by Act No. 177, of the Public Acts of 1891: the Marquette County Agricultural Society by its President and Secretary, petition your honorable body to levy the tax authorized by law, viz: 1-10 of one mill, or such proportion thereof as you may deem equitable, for the maintenance of said society: and we especially urge you, owing to our heavy indebtedness and the further fact that our recent fair, owing to the inclement weather put us further behind, to be as liberal as you possibly can.

The undersigned President and Secretary do hereby certify that the sum of one hundred and twenty (\$120.00) dollars has been raised by said Society from the sale of memberships and used for the promotion of the objects of said society.

John D. Mangum,
President.

W.A. Ross,
Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for Marquette County, Michigan, this fourth day of October, A.D. 1917.

John E. Mark,
Notary Public of the Peace, in and for
the City and County of Marquette.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

John D. Mangum,
President,
W.A. Ross, Sec'y.

Office of Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 1, 1917.

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

Gentlemen:-

In compliance with the provisions of Sec. 5 of Acts 253 of the Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1917.

Receipts:

Balance on hand		
Oct. 1, 1916	\$ 197.86	
Appropriation	1500.00	\$1,697.86
Disbursements:		
Orders drawn on County Treas. Nos. 1566 to 1697, both incl.	\$1,246.64	
Bal. on hand Oct. 1, 1917.		\$ 451.22

The demand on this fund has been as large this year as during any previous year and will be fully as large the coming year, as the old soldiers and soldiers' widows are all, or most of them, between seventy-five and eighty years of age and every added year leaves them less able to assist themselves. Every request for relief from this fund has been fully investigated and this money has been used as the law intended it should be and to the best of our judgment.

*Report on
matters of Poor.*

*Report
Mung of Agr. Society*

*Soldiers' Relief
Report*

October, 8th, 1917.

Therefore we consider it our duty to respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred (\$1200.00) as a fund for the relief of the old veterans and the widows of veterans during the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Edward C. Anthony.

Chairman Soldiers' Relief Com.

Cortland E. Moore

Secretary Soldiers' Relief Com.

Statement of Charged back taxes by the Auditor General June 30, 1917.
on State, County and County Road Taxes.

Charged back taxes

	State	County	Co. Road	Total.
Champion Township	2.79	2.16	.69	5.64
Chocolay Township	10.82	7.53	2.40	20.75
Ely Township	1.64	1.37	.44	3.45
Forsyth Township	35.34	22.12	7.12	64.58
Humboldt Township	23.50	35.01	9.17	67.68
Ishpeming Township	.45	.37	.12	.94
Marquette Township	1.56	.63	.20	2.39
Michigamme Township	8.06	1.53	.49	10.08
Powell Township	4.97	3.08	1.00	9.05
Republic Township	5.72	2.79	.22	8.73
Richmond Township	.49	.41	.14	1.04
Sands Township	1.55	1.31	.42	3.28
Tilden Township	5.15	4.22	1.32	10.69
Turin Township	4.95	3.75	1.19	9.89
Wells Township	1.48	.33	.10	1.91
West Branch Township	1.36	.40	.13	1.89
City of Ishpeming	7.83	4.29	1.44	13.56
City of Marquette	20.81	17.36	5.57	43.74
City of Negaunee	5.88	2.55	.84	9.27
Totals.	\$144.35	\$111.21	\$33.00	\$288.56

It was moved, supported and carried that a recess be taken until 11:30 o'clock A.M.

Upon reconvening at 11:30 o'clock A.M. the Committee on Equalization made the following report, which was read, adopted and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation, by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.
Nays-none.

Whereas, the board of supervisors have examined the Assessment rolls of the several townships and cities of the County, to ascertain whether the relative valuation of the real property in the respective townships and cities has been equally and uniformly estimated.

Whereas, in their judgment it has not been so uniformly and equally estimated therefore.

Resolved, that the valuation of the real property of said townships and cities be, and the same is hereby equalized by adding to or deducting from the valuation of the taxable property of each township or city such sums as in our judgment will produce relatively and equal and uniform valuation of the real property of the county, which so determined by us are entered in the following table in the 5th and 6th columns thereof, respectively, opposite the names of such townships and cities respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of taxable real and personal property of each township and city in said county, as determined and equalized by us, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name and township or city,

A.J. Yungbluth,

Chairman.

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

City or Township.	Real Estate as Assessed.	Personal property as assessed.	Total valuation as assessed.	Amount deducted.	Total Valuation as Equalized.
Marquette City	\$ 8,010,385	\$ 3,171,114	\$11,181,499	\$ 2,236,499	\$ 8,945,000
Ishpeming City	10,868,698	3,431,637	14,300,333	2,860,333	11,440,000
Negaunee City	13,361,886	2,930,450	16,292,336	3,258,336	13,034,000
Champion Twp.	926,573	158,037	1,084,610	216,610	868,000
Chocolay Twp.	470,335	22,150	492,485	98,485	394,000
Ely Twp.	904,555	546,449	1,451,004	290,004	1,161,000
Forsyth Twp.	2,351,380	1,259,325	3,610,705	721,705	2,889,000
Humboldt Twp.	347,545	70,175	417,720	83,720	334,000
Ishpeming Twp.	652,758	364,019	1,016,777	203,777	813,000
Michigamme Twp.	506,830	21,435	528,265	105,265	423,000
Marquette Twp.	354,375	73,100	427,475	85,475	342,000
Negaunee Twp.	129,300	67,650	196,950	38,950	158,000
Republic Twp.	1,136,535	281,020	1,317,555	263,555	1,054,000
Richmond Twp.	744,044	134,186	878,230	175,230	703,000
Sands Twp.	231,700	49,200	280,900	55,900	225,000
Skandia Twp.	664,685	23,400	688,085	138,085	550,000
Turin Twp.	568,695	8,900	577,595	115,595	462,000
Tilden Twp.	1,761,768	132,206	1,893,974	378,974	1,515,000
West Branch Twp.	384,110	3,050	387,160	77,160	310,000
Wells Twp.	524,655	10,700	535,355	107,355	428,000
Powell Twp.	1,174,585	250,200	1,424,785	284,785	1,140,000
Total.	\$45,975,395	\$13,008,403	\$58,983,798	\$11,795,798	\$47,188,000

Assessed Valuation

The following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was read.

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

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

State Tax		\$160,613.24
County Tax		
General Fund	\$120,000.00	
Poor Fund	65,000.00	
Soldier's relief fund	1,200.00	
Marquette Agricultural Society	4,000.00	
Agricultural tax-Act 88 P.A. of 1913	2,000.00	
County Parks Act 90, 1913, purchase 1000.00		
Maintenance 1,000.00	2,000.00	194,200.00
County Road tax		65,000.00
Total.		\$419,813.24

Report of Finance & Taxation Committee

Respectfully submitted,

H.S. Nightingale.
Chairman.

Moved, supported and carried that the report be adopted as read and the same be referred back to the Finance and Taxation Committee for apportionment. The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37. Nays-none.

Moved, supported and carried that a recess be taken until 3:00 o'clock this P.M. Upon reconvening at 3:00 o'clock P.M. the roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37. Absent-Collick-1.

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The following reports from the Finance and Taxation Committee were received and read and are as follows:

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

Gentlemen:

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

State Tax		\$160,613.24
County Tax		
General Fund	\$120,000.00	
Poor Fund	65,000.00	
Soldiers relief fund	1,200.00	
Marquette Agricultural Society	4,000.00	
Agricultural tax Act 88 P.A. of 1913	2,000.00	
County Parks Act 90, 1913 Purchase 1000.00		
Maintenance 1,000.00	2,000.00	194,200.00
County Road Tax		65,000.00
Total.		\$419,813.24

The Same to be Apportioned as Follows:

	State	County	Co. Road.
Ishpeming City	\$ 38,938.20	\$47,080.78	\$ 15,758.25
Negaunee City	44,363.67	53,640.82	17,953.93
Marquette City	30,445.99	36,812.73	12,321.46
Champion Township	2,954.40	3,572.21	1,195.64
Choccolay Township	1,341.05	1,621.49	542.72
Ely Township	3,951.69	4,778.05	1,599.24
Forsyth Township	9,833.26	11,889.55	3,979.51
Humboldt Township	1,136.83	1,374.56	460.07
Ishpeming Township	2,767.20	3,345.86	1,119.88
Marquette Township	1,164.06	1,407.48	471.09
Michigamme Township	1,439.76	1,740.84	582.67
Negaunee Township	537.78	650.24	217.64
Powell Township	3,880.21	4,691.62	1,570.32
Republic Township	3,587.49	4,337.69	1,451.86
Richmond Township	2,392.79	2,893.16	968.36
Sands Township	765.83	925.98	309.93
Skandia Township	1,872.03	2,263.50	757.60
Tilden Township	5,156.58	6,234.91	2,086.87
Turin Township	1,572.50	1,901.33	636.39
Wells Township	1,456.78	1,761.41	589.56
West Branch Township	1,055.14	1,275.79	427.01
	\$160,613.24	\$194,200.00	\$65,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

H.S. Nightingale,

Chairman Finance and Taxation Committee.

Moved and supported and carried that the report of Finance and Taxation Committee be adopted and that the taxes thereon mentioned be levied and apportioned according to said report. The report was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Egan, Elmes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.
Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Finance and Taxation, having had under consideration the various taxes of 1913 and prior years charged back and rejected by the Auditor General, respectfully recommend that the same be charged up to the several townships and cities in which 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 roll as "rejected taxes".

Total State, County and County Road Taxes.

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Marquette City	\$43.74
Ishpeming City	13.56
Negaunee City	9.27
Champion Twp.	5.64
Chocolay Twp.	20.75
Ely Twp.	3.45
Forsyth Twp.	64.58
Humboldt Twp.	67.68
Ishpeming Twp.	.94
Michigamme Twp.	10.08
Marquette Twp.	2.39
Republic Twp.	8.73
Richmond Twp.	1.04
Turin Twp.	9.89
West Branch Twp.	1.89
Powell Twp.	9.05
Sands Twp.	3.28
Tilden Twp.	10.69
Wells Twp.	1.91
Total.	\$ 288.56

Respectfully submitted,
H.S.Nightingale,
Chairman.

Moved and supported that the report be adopted as read, the motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Egan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.

Nays-none.

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

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

Marquette City.

State Tax	\$ 30,445.99
County Tax	36,812.73
County road Tax	12,321.46
Special assessments taxes Int.	78.03
Special assessments	1,466.64
City tax, general purposes	81,900.00
School tax	61,000.00
One mill tax	11,181.50
Rejected tax	43.74
Total.	\$235,250.09

Ishpeming City.

State Tax	38,938.20
County Tax	47,080.78
County Road Tax	15,758.25
City contingent fund	36,000.00
Highway fund	35,000.00
Library fund	7,000.00
Fire fund tax	14,000.00
Water fund tax	2,500.00
School tax	65,000.00
One mill school tax	13,300.33
Sewer fund	7,500.00
Rejected tax	13.56
Total.	\$283,091.12

Taxes to be raised.

Negaunee City.

State Tax	\$ 44,363.67
County Tax	53,640.82
County Road Tax	17,953.93
City tax general fund	55,000.00
Street & Highway Tax	45,000.00
Fire fund tax	14,000.00
One mill tax	16,292.33
School tax	50,000.00
Library tax	1,000.00
Rejected tax	9.27
Special tax for payment of debts and Int. on bonds	16,292.33
Total.	\$ 313,552.35

CHAMPION TOWNSHIP.

State Tax	2,954.40
County Tax	3,572.21
County road tax	542.72
Township contingent tax	1,000.00
Highway improvement tax	350.00
Road repair tax	350.00
School tax	1,575.00
One mill tax	492.48
Rejected tax	20.75
Library tax	25.00
Total.	\$ 7,318.49

ELY TOWNSHIP.

State tax	3,951.69
County tax	4,778.05
County road tax	1,599.24
Township contingent tax	2,500.00
Highway improvement tax	1,500.00
Road repair tax	1,500.00
School tax	5,600.00
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	1,451.00
Rejected tax	3.45
Total.	\$ 23,383.43

FORSYTH TOWNSHIP.

State tax	9,833.26
County tax	11,889.55
County road tax	3,979.51
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	7,500.00
Road repair tax	3,500.00
School tax	29,300.00
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	3,610.70
Rejected tax	64.58
Library tax	200.00
Total.	\$ 72,377.60

HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP.

State tax	1,136.83
County tax	1,374.56
County road tax	450.07
Township contingent tax	1,200.00
Highway improvement tax	1,000.00
Road repair tax	500.00
School tax	4,750.00
One mill tax	417.72
Rejected tax	67.68
Total.	\$ 10,906.86

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ISHPEMING TOWNSHIP.

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State tax	\$ 2,767.20
County tax	3,345.86
County road tax	1,119.88
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	2,500.00
Road repair tax	3,000.00
School tax	9,393.23
Bridge tax	300.00
One mill tax	1,016.77
Rejected tax	.94
School building tax	4,000.00
Total.	<u>\$29,443.88</u>

MARQUETTE TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,164.06
County tax	1,407.48
County road tax	471.09
Township contingent tax	400.00
Highway improvement tax	1,000.00
Road repair tax	1,000.00
School tax	250.00
One mill tax	427.47
Rejected tax	2.39
Total.	<u>\$ 6,122.49</u>

MICHIGAMME TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,439.76
County tax	1,740.84
County road tax	582.67
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	2,000.00
Road repair tax	2,000.00
School tax	7,000.00
One mill tax	528.26
Rejected tax	10.08
School building tax bond issue	2,333.33
Interest on bonds	1,516.67
Total.	<u>\$21,151.61</u>

NEGAUNEE TOWNSHIP.

State tax	537.78
County tax	650.24
County road tax	217.64
Township contingent tax	800.00
Highway improvement tax	1,250.00
Road repair tax	1,150.00
School tax	2,450.00
One mill tax	196.95
Bridge tax	150.00
Total.	<u>\$ 7,420.61</u>

POWELL TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 3,880.21
County tax	4,691.62
County road tax	1,570.32
Township contingent tax	2,250.00
Highway improvement tax	6,000.00
Road repair tax	6,000.00
School tax	5,000.00
One mill tax	1,424.78
Rejected tax	9.05
Library tax	25.00
Bonds & interest tax	2,500.00
Total.	<u>\$ 33,350.98</u>

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REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 3,587.49
County tax	4,337.69
County road tax	1,451.86
Township contingent tax	3,000.00
Highway improvement tax	1,000.00
Road repair tax	1,000.00
School tax	15,500.00
Water bond & interest tax	1,650.00
One mill tax	1,317.55
Rejected Tax	8.73
Total.	\$32,853.32

RICHMOND TOWNSHIP.

State tax	2,392.79
County tax	2,893.16
County road tax	968.36
Township contingent tax	2,500.00
Highway improvement tax	2,500.00
Road repair tax	1,500.00
School tax	8,000.00
Bridge tax	500.00
One mill tax	878.23
Rejected tax	1.04
Total.	\$22,133.58

SANDS TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 765.83
County tax	925.98
County road tax	309.93
Township contingent tax	500.00
Highway improvement tax	900.00
Road repair tax	900.00
School tax	2,000.00
One mill tax	280.90
Rejected tax	3.28
Total.	\$ 6,585.92

SKANDIA TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,872.03
County tax	2,263.50
County road tax	757.60
Township contingent tax	1,000.00
Highway improvement tax	1,400.00
Road repair tax	1,200.00
School tax	2,000.00
Bridge tax	300.00
One mill tax	688.08
Total.	\$11,481.21

TILDEN TOWNSHIP.

State Tax	\$ 5,156.58
County Tax	6,234.91
County road tax	2,086.87
Township contingent tax	3,000.00
Highway improvement tax	1,500.00
Road repair tax	3,000.00
School tax	8,900.00
One mill tax	1,893.97
Rejected tax	10.69
Highway bond tax	1,500.00
Town Hall Bldg. tax	1,000.00
Total.	\$34,283.02

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TURIN TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,572.50
County tax	1,901.33
County road tax	636.39
Township contingent tax	2,000.00
Highway improvement tax	2,887.98
Road repair tax	2,887.98
School tax	7,100.00
One mill tax	577.59
Rejected tax	9.89
Bond tax, highway	<u>2,800.00</u>
Total.	\$22,373.66

WELLS TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,456.78
County tax	1,761.41
County road tax	589.56
Township contingent tax	2,400.00
Highway improvement tax	2,676.78
Road repair tax	2,676.77
School tax	8,000.00
One mill tax	535.35
Rejected tax	1.91
Bond tax, highway	<u>2,000.00</u>
Total.	\$22,098.56

WEST BRANCH TOWNSHIP.

State tax	\$ 1,055.14
County tax	1,275.79
County road tax	427.01
Township contingent tax	1,000.00
Highway improvement tax	750.00
Road repair tax	750.00
School tax	1,000.00
One mill tax	387.16
Rejected tax	<u>1.89</u>
Total.	\$ 6,646.99

Respectfully submitted,

H.S. Nightingale,

Chairman.

The report was adopted as read by the following yea and nay vote.
 Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Egan,
 Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese,
 Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson,
 Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper,
 Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell. Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

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

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE
 OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK.

Expenses classified for the year ending August 31st, 1917.

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Report of County Officers -

CIRCUIT JUDGE.	
Salary of Circuit Judge	\$1500.00
Salary of Court Stenographer	805.95
Officers attending court	258.75
Officers fees summoning jurors	137.10
Meals for Jurors	151.25
Law books and supplies	227.05
Misc. officers fees and C.C. expenses	319.83
Witness fees schedule B.	817.10
Jurors fees schedule C.	<u>3,572.10</u>
Total.	\$ 7,789.13
JUSTICE COURT.	
Justice fees	749.55
Misc. officers fees (Dep. Sheriff & Constable)	1,897.11
Jurors fees	6.50
Witness fees	43.75
Miscellaneous	<u>148.05</u>
Total.	\$2,844.96
COUNTY OFFICERS, LAW DEPARTMENT.	
Salary Prosecuting Attorney	\$2,500.00
Stationery & Printing, traveling expenses	<u>193.11</u>
Total.	\$2,693.11
JUDGE OF PROBATE OFFICE.	
Salary	\$2500.00
Salary Probate Clerk	820.00
Stationery & Printing & other	<u>305.35</u>
Total.	<u>\$3,625.35</u>
Total Judiciary Expense	<u><u>\$16,952.55</u></u>
LEGISLATIVE.	
Supervisors services	\$3460.00
Publishing proceedings and other	924.29
Supervisors mileage	<u>1544.64</u>
Total.	\$5928.93
COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.	
Salary	\$2500.00
Salary Deputy	720.00
Salary Stenographer	600.00
Supplies and printing	<u>210.70</u>
Total.	<u>\$4030.70</u>
Total Legislative	<u><u>\$9959.23</u></u>
FINANCE DEPT. CO. TREASURER OFFICE.	
Salary	\$3400.00
Stationery & printing	<u>358.44</u>
Total.	\$3758.44
REGISTER OF DEEDS & ABSTRACT OFFICE.	
Salary	\$1200.00
Stationery & printing & other	<u>1063.17</u>
Total.	\$2263.17

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MISCELLANEOUS COUNTY OFFICERS:

Postage Stamps	\$ 572.09
Express & Freight charges	64.45
Telegraph & Telephone	350.03
Miscellaneous	<u>150.52</u>
Total.	\$1137.09

COUNTY SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES.

Salary	\$ 960.00
Expenses	<u>383.88</u>
Total.	\$1343.88

AGRICULTURAL AGENT.

Salary	\$ 750.00
Salary Assistant Agricultural Co. Agent	451.85
Salary Stenographer	390.00
Stationery, printing and other	<u>1232.92</u>
Total.	\$2824.77

COURT HOUSE.

Janitor	\$ 840.00
Light	228.55
Fuel	996.63
Repairs to buildings	113.42
Water	135.10
Supplies	398.66
Miscellaneous	<u>144.09</u>
Total.	\$2856.45
Total General Government	\$41095.98

PUBLIC SAFETY SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT.

Salary	\$1600.00
Stationery and printing	37.65
Miscellaneous sheriffs fees	423.62
Livery	222.50
Salary motor-cycle police	815.00
Salary extra motor-cycle police	<u>60.00</u>
Total.	\$3158.77

JAIL MAINTENANCE.

Salary under sheriff	\$ 840.00
Salary night watchman	840.00
Supplies	813.99
Heat Fuel	366.44
Salary jail physician	240.00
Light	368.95
Subsistence of prisoners	4216.45
Repairs and renewals to buildings	801.15
Locks and Unlocks	<u>326.60</u>
Total.	\$8813.58

CORONERS FEES.

Coroners fees	\$ 719.35
Jurors fees at Inquest	543.00
Witness fees at Inquest	154.70
Examination of dead	35.00
Stenographer, interpreter & other	<u>129.00</u>
Total.	\$1581.05
Total Public Safety.	<u>\$13,553.40</u>

PUBLIC CHARGES INSANE.

Examination of insane	\$ 278.00
Conveying insane to insane asylum	414.75
All expenses preparatory to sentence	33.82
Conveying feeble minded to asylum	<u>280.79</u>
Total.	\$1007.36

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

Small Pox	\$ 415.00
Scarlet Fever	313.00
Diphtheria	115.40
Measles	28.75
Typhoid	45.00
Spinal meningitis	108.57
Miscellaneous	106.55
Rent of Pest House	50.00
Salary County Physician	600.00
Supplies, etc.	<u>931.97</u>
Total.	\$2714.24

POOR HOUSE.

Repairs to buildings and renewals	\$ 223.00
Supplies, insurance and other	<u>701.67</u>
Total.	\$ 924.67

MISCELLANEOUS.

Burial of paupers	\$ 122.00
Care of indigent poor	220.57
Meals, R.R. & other	63.51
Salaries of Supt's of poor	<u>3187.49</u>
Total.	\$3593.57

SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE POOR.

Schedule "D" Poor House	\$13336.63
First District	3869.01
Second District	31973.09
Third District	<u>10422.10</u>
Total.	\$59600.83

PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Salary County Commissioner	\$1800.00
Stationery and printing & other	1077.92
Traveling expenses	266.82
Services county examiners	255.81
Probation Officer's fees	<u>185.64</u>
Total.	\$3586.19

PUBLIC ELECTION.

Services county canvassers	\$ 45.16
Printing ballots and other (Regular)	1235.99
Services county canvassers (Primary)	119.36
Printing ballots and other (Primary)	<u>210.91</u>
Total.	\$1611.42

PUBLIC PROTECTION OF GAME & FISH.

Bounties:	
Wolf	\$1893.00
Fox	1.00
Wildcats	15.00
Lynx	35.00
Hawks	9.50
Owls	2.00
Weasels	<u>1.00</u>
Total.	\$1956.50

GAME WARDEN DEPARTMENT.	
Salaries Deputy Game Warden	\$ 600.00
Game Warden Fees	198.85
Justice Fees	23.50
Total	<u>\$ 822.35</u>
Total Protection of Game and Fish.	<u><u>\$2778.85</u></u>
SPECIAL BOUNTIES.	
Bounty on Rats	\$ 79.10
Bounty on Sparrows	63.54
Total.	<u>\$ 142.64</u>
PUBLIC MINE INSPECTION.	
Salary Mine Inspector	\$2000.00
Mileage Traveling expenses	235.18
Stationery & Printing	76.50
Total Mine Inspection.	<u>\$2311.68</u>
PUBLIC STATISTICS.	
Recording Births, Deaths and Marriages	\$ 81.66
Total.	<u>\$ 81.66</u>
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES.	
appropriation for Roads.	
Powell Township	\$2000.00
West Branch Twp.	400.00
Highways & Bridges Committee (Livery)	2400.00
Total.	<u>499.58</u>
Total.	<u>\$2899.58</u>
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Insurance Court House	\$ 466.00
Good Will Farm	100.00
Michigan Children's Home Society	50.00
Marquette Co. Agr. Society tax levy	5800.00
U.P. Development Bureau	1000.00
Marq. Co. Chapter American Red Cross	500.00
Sec'y State Assoc. Supervisors, membership fee	10.00
Re-checking and indexing Court cases	750.00
Charles Cummings, plats and surveys, Act 1916 P.A. 1915	547.10
Entertainment drafted men	200.00
Sec'y Soldier's Relief (Office expense)	50.00
County Auditor	990.50
John W. Haarer, State Treasurer	180.00
Re-checking and indexing marriage records	470.35
Stenographer services Equalization Committee	10.00
Patients to U.M. Hospital (Order Probate Court)	46.91
Delegates Expenses County Road Convention	13.25
Copies of Registration cards	46.50
Marquette County Farm Bureau	69.63
Delegates expenses U.P. Development Bureau Convention	13.26
Juvenile Court, Expenses interpreter, etc.	14.65
Total.	<u>\$11418.15</u>
MORGAN HEIGHTS SANITARIUM.	
Blacksmithing, horseshoeing etc.	\$ 60.20
Contract for building	844.53
Coal & Wood	1785.52
Dry Goods	198.67
Drugs & Hospital supplies	775.16
Electric Light & Fixtures	600.49
Equipment	97.33
Repairs to Equipment	186.09
Eggs, Butter & Milk	1046.13
Fruit Trees, Garden Seed etc.	139.93
Furniture & Furnishings	230.00
Groceries	2188.28
Gasoline	80.90
Hardware	156.53
Hay & Feed	1531.78
Household supplies	244.91
Bonds, Interest & Commission	5269.50

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Insurance	\$ 66.40
Ice	27.25
Labor	143.65
Live Stock	145.00
Meat & Fish	1049.99
Miscellaneous	185.31
Plumbing	338.00
Professional services	33.75
Repairs to buildings and material	81.25
Telephone, Telegraph, Express, Freight, Livery, printing, etc.	141.59
Sundry expenses	195.66
Salaries of employees	<u>5543.75</u>
Total.	<u>\$23387.55</u>
Total County Expenses	\$170707.77

Revenue, classified paid to the County Treasurer for which the County Clerk signed duplicate receipts for the year ending August, 31st, 1917.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Fines	\$ 401.00
Costs	97.00
Entry fees	58.00
Stenographers fees	21.00
Jury Fees	<u>21.00</u>
Total.	\$ 598.00

JUSTICE COURT.

Marquette City	\$ 591.00
Ishpeming City	434.00
Negaunee City	381.00
Republic Twp.	23.00
Michigamme Twp.	51.00
Champion Twp.	10.00
Wells Twp.	11.90
Forsyth Twp.	180.00
Ely Twp.	<u>24.50</u>
Total.	\$ 1,706.40

PUBLIC CHARGES.

Supt. of poor, 1st Dist.	<u>569.18</u>
Total.	\$569.18

PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Institute fees	<u>\$ 236.50</u>
Total.	\$ 236.50

PUBLIC PROTECTION OF GAME & FISH.

Deer Licenses, Non. Res.	\$ 420.75
Deer Licenses, Resident	2650.00
Small Game, Non. Res.	54.00
Small Game, Resident	<u>2121.30</u>
Total.	\$5246.05

TAXATION.

Tax Receipts	\$27435.64
Tax Redemptions	<u>1174.85</u>
Total.	\$28610.49

Duplicates Receipts paid
 by Treasurer

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Wm. Newcombe, fine and costs	9.26
James Moloney, fine and costs	23.00
F.J. Schultheis	1.50
Chas. L. Finch	1856.40
K.I. Sawyer, County Road Fund.	<u>999.18</u>
Total.	\$2889.34

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

The undersigned Register of Deeds and Official County Abstractor of MARquette Co., submits herewith the following report of receipts and disbursements in connection with said office from the first of January, 1917 to September thirtieth, 1917 both inclusive.

Receipts as Official County Abstractor.	
Received from County as salary	\$ 675.00
Received for Abstracts of Title and Certificates of Ownership	718.50
Receipts as Register of Deeds: Clerk Hire	225.00
For Recording Deeds	809.15
For Recording Mortgages	436.60
For Recording Miscellaneous Records	99.40
Files	14.27
Discharge of mortgage on Face of Record	<u>9.75</u>
	\$2987.67
Disbursements, paid salaries in connection with office	<u>\$1580.00</u>
	\$1407.00

Thanking you for the many favors extended during the time I have been connected with this office and hoping my work may continue to merit your approval, I am,

Very respectfully,
Charles S. Thoren,
Register of Deeds and
Official County Abstractor.

Marquette Michigan.
October 8th, 1917.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 7, 1917.

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

Herewith is submitted a statement of receipts and disbursements by me for the year ending Sept. 30, 1917 and the trial balance, etc.

I submit also for your consideration the statement of the Auditor General of the charged back list for the year ending June 30, 1917 a memorandum of the amount to be charged the several townships as Rejected taxes and a detailed account of the same on separate lists for use in reassessing if desired.

Respectfully,
Albert Bjork, County Treasurer.

Statement of Charged back Taxes by the Auditor General June 30, 1917.
On State, County and County Road Taxes.

	State	County	Co. Road	Total
Champion Township	2.79	2.16	.69	5.64
Chocoley "	10.82	7.53	2.40	20.75
Ely Township	1.64	1.37	.44	3.45
Forsyth "	35.34	22.12	7.12	64.58
Humboldt "	23.50	35.01	9.17	67.68
Ishpeming "	.45	.37	.12	.94
Marquette Township	1.56	.63	.20	2.39
Michiganme "	8.06	1.53	.49	10.08
Powell "	4.07	3.08	1.00	9.05
Republic "	5.72	2.79	.22	8.73

Report of Co. Abstractor

Report Co. Treasurer

Richmond Township	.49	.41	.14	1.04
Sands Township	.15	1.31	.42	3.28
Tilden Township	5.15	4.22	1.32	10.69
Turin Township	4.95	3.75	1.19	9.89
Wells Township	1.48	.33	.10	1.91
West Branch Township	1.36	.40	.13	1.89
City of Ishpeming	7.83	4.29	1.44	13.56
City of Marquette	20.81	17.36	5.57	43.74
City of Negaunee	5.88	2.55	.84	9.27
Totals.	\$144.35	\$111.21	\$33.00	\$288.56

Statement of Cash Disbursements from October 1, 1916 to October 1, 1917.

General fund warrants	\$108,917.14
Poor Fund Warrants	66,255.85
Juror certificates	2,021.60
Witness "	321.00
County road fund	97,494.05
Soldiers' relief fund	1,278.70
Twp. & Cities Delinquents & Redemptions	23,234.02
Primary Sch'l fd.	109,431.00
Liquor tax	42,073.35
Teachers' Institute fund	128.05
Library fund	2,125.94
Rat bounties	65.20
Certificates births & deaths	1,117.13
State of Michigan qr.end'g 6-30-16	363.71
State of Michigan qr.end'g 9-30-16	7,046.39
State of Michigan qr.en'g 12-31-16	515.01
State of Michigan qr.end'g 3-31-17	12,092.51
State of Michigan qr.end'g 6-30-17	4,211.48
Mortgage tax Sept. 1916	70.50
Mortgage tax Oct. 1916	43.25
Mortgage tax Nov. 1916	22.50
Mortgage tax Jan. 1917	18.50
Mortgage tax Feb. 1917	32.00
Mortgage tax Mich. 1917	35.50
Mortgage tax Apr. 1917	68.75
Mortgage tax May 1917	53.00
Mortgage tax June 1917	43.50
Mortgage tax July 1917	69.75
Mortgage tax August 1917	42.25
Inheritance tax Wm. Fassbender estate	35.29
Inheritance tax Wm. F. Fitch estate	1,238.30
Inheritance tax Eliza Tregary estate	50.23
Inheritance tax Soph. A. Adams estate	425.83
Inheritance Tax Geo. P. Shiras Est.	58.07
Inheritance Tax Faemelia C. Love Est.	46.73
Inheritance Tax Peter Leaf Est.	55.18
Inheritance Tax E. A. Johnson Est.	348.02
Inheritance Tax Maria Corbit Est.	8,548.31
Inheritance Tax Lars Hoyseth Est.	158.06
Inheritance Tax Patrick Donovan Est.	127.49
Inheritance tax H. H. Mildon Est.	236.55
Inheritance Tax Susan Losselyong Est.	258.63
Inheritance Tax J. S. E. Bensen Est.	28.12
Inheritance Tax Nellie McNamara	28.79
Inheritance Tax Mary Carlson Est.	96.38
Nellie E. Healy Rebate Tax Sale Certificate	1.21
A. Mathews Rebate on taxes	6.83
Sparrow Bounties	65.78
State of Michigan tax levy	108,000.00
A. W. Jurma Circuit Court Order	30.00
Clarence B. Randall Circuit Court Order	15.00
J. M. Edgerton Circuit Court Order	25.00
Herbert Potter Circuit Court Order	33.00
J. M. Edgerton, Circuit Court Order	25.00
C. F. Button, Circuit Court Order	25.00
W. S. Hill Circuit Court Order	25.00
Bond Tax	17.50
Jas. H. Kaye Conductor Teachers' Institute	28.50
Error in adjustment of accounts	22.72
State of Michigan Deer Licenses	2,540.75

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City of Marquette Rejected taxes	193.74	
Hunting Licenses	2,175.30	
Marquette City	1,579.22	\$605,741.17
Cash on hand Sept. 30th, 1917		80,945.97
Total.		<u>\$686,687.14</u>

Statement of Cash Receipts from Oct. 1st, 1916 to Oct. 1st, 1917.

Cash on hand Oct. 1st, 1916		91,019.93
Delinquent taxes	\$24,741.71	
General Fund	1,276.63	
Redemptions Certificates	2,117.72	
Poor Fund	665.18	
Library Fund Justice Fines	1,896.75	
Liquor Taxes	42,568.35	
Mortgages Taxes	1,314.00	
Overpayment of Mortgage tax	1.50	
Inheritance tax Wm. Fassbender Est.	35.29	
Inheritance tax Eliz. Tregary Est.	50.23	
Inheritance tax Euphronia Adams Est.	425.83	
Geo. P. Shiras Est.	51.23	
Interest On Inh. Tax	6.84	
Inheritance Tax S. Losselyong	258.63	
Inheritance Tax Jno. E. Benson Est.	28.12	
Inheritance Tax Faemelia E. Love Est.	46.73	
Inheritance Tax Eric A. Johnson Est.	348.03	
Inheritance Tax Peter E. Leaf Est.	55.18	
Inheritance Tax Maria Corbit Est.	8,548.31	
Inheritance Tax Lars Hoyseth Est.	158.06	
Inheritance Tax Patrick Donovan Est.	127.49	
Inheritance Tax H. H. Mildon Est.	236.55	
Inheritance Tax Jennie Hopkins Est.	43.74	
Inheritance Tax Adolph Kappala Est.	106.71	
Inheritance Tax Nellie McNamara Est.	28.79	
Inheritance Tax Mary Carlson Est.	96.38	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	219.87	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	388.58	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	113.14	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	195.43	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	24.50	
C. L. Finch, Supt. M. H. Sanitarium	66.00	
K. I. Sawyer, Supt. County Road	600.00	
K. I. Sawyer Supt. County Road	1.50	
K. I. Sawyer Supt. County Road	31.18	
K. I. Sawyer Supt. County Road	166.65	
K. I. Sawyer Supt. County Road	194.40	
K. I. Sawyer Supt. Co. Road	47.75	
County Road Com'n State Reward	4,162.00	
County Road Com'n State Reward	2,764.00	
County Road order No. 2773 canceled	12.00	
County Road Insurance Rebate	35.70	
County Road State Reward	553.46	
County Road State Reward	4,774.00	
County Road received from State	5,272.80	
County Road received from K. I. Sawyer	20.70	
T. M. Wells, County Sealer	5.00	
Turin Twp. Act 227	2.66	
Turin Twp. Act. 227	6.00	
Sands Twp. Act. 221	1.00	
Humboldt Twp. Act 221	10.00	
Forsyth Twp. Act 221	21.76	
Republic Twp. Act 221	3.33	
Wells Twp. Act 211	1.33	
Sands Twp. Act 211	25.16	
Ishpeming Twp. Act 221	11.66	
Sands Twp. Act 221	2.66	

Ishpeming Twp. Act 221	28.00	
Bond Tax	35.00	
Animal Bounties	606.50	
F.G.Jenks, Deer Licenses	3,070.75	
F.G.Jenks, Hunters Licenses	2,175.30	
Primary School Fund	108,460.80	
Automobile Tax State	2,026.06	
State of Michigan Automobile tax	4,232.15	
State & County Taxes	356,793.74	
State of Michigan quarter ending 3-31-17	3,600.21	
State of Michigan quarter ending 6-30-17	424.69	
Settlement quarter ending Dec.31,15	723.05	
Overpaym't quarter ending Dec.3,15	364.83	
Settlement quarter ending Dec.31,16	627.64	
Settlement quarter ending Sept.30,16	565.48	
First Nat'l Bank Int.on Deposits	1,929.69	
John Graber Adm. Est Julia Show-insane for expense at Newberry Hospital	229.98	
Mich.Agr.Society Telephone ser.	27.00	
F.G.Schultheis, Rebate on taxes	1.50	
Tax Record Sale of 1917	3,584.95	
State List Sale of 1917	290.22	
Fines received from F.G.Jenks, Co. Clerk	501.00	
Cost \$123.03, Entry fees \$82.00, Stenog \$33.00, Jury fees \$24.00	262.03	
Received from James Moloney Sheriff, Fines & Co.	10.00	
Costs	13.00	
Tax Sale Corrections	1.22	
County Road Fund error	.07	
Delinquent taxes error	.73	
Marquette City error	2.79	
Marquette Twp. error	.63	
		\$595,667.21
Total.		\$686,687.14

The apportionment of the Cash on hand is as follows:

Due Townships		\$ 7,583.65
Teacher's Institute Fund		259.86
Trust Funds		616.97
Condemnation Cases		27.50
Library Fund		786.50
Soldier's Relief		487.96
County Road Fund		17,755.70
General Fund		53,427.33
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		\$80,945.47
	TRIAL BALANCE.	
	Dr.	Cr.
Negaunee Twp.		189.44
Marquette City	71.63	
Forsyth Twp.		316.78
Ely Twp.		686.83
Champion Twp.		247.84
Wells Twp.		60.65
Republic Twp.		60.69
Humboldt Twp.		467.44
Michigamme Twp.		2,486.79
Turin Twp.		666.55
Chocolay Twp.		694.80
Sands Twp.		332.56
Powell Twp.		1,560.05
Richmond Twp.		21.24
Negaunee City		323.38
Tilden Twp.	1.80	
Ishpeming City		75.34
West Branch Twp.		1.66
Skandia Twp.		5.58
Marquette Twp.		46.67
Ishpeming Twp.		339.36
Cash	80,945.47	
Jurors Certificates	2,021.50	
Witness Certificates	341.00	
Teacher's Inst. Fund		259.86
Sparrow Bounty	65.53	
Trust Funds		616.97

Road Com's Condemnation		24.50
County Road Commission		22,814.17
Israael Pyykanen Condemnation		3.00
Library Fund		786.50
Mortgage Tax		1,996.00
Rejected taxes		773.34
State of Michigan	534.63	
General Fund Warrants	108,828.53	
Bond Tax		2,066.00
Poor Fund	7,680.57	
Soldier's Relief Fund		487.96
General Fund		147,392.22
Delinquent Tax Collections		4,874.62
County Tax Collections		10,371.20
Tax Sales		290.22
Inheritance Tax		150.45
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	\$200,490.66	\$200,490.66

The reports of County Road Commissioner, Drain Commissioner, Superintendent Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Mine Inspector, County Game Warden, Superintendents of Poor and County Jail Inspectors were read in part and ordered filed.

It was moved, supported and carried that F.S.Monical be elected as School Examiner to succeed himself fro the ensuing two years.

A telegram received by S.R.Anderson from the Governor was read stating that he had fixed October,15th-1917 as Patriotic Day, and calling upon all the cities and townships to hold a public meeting in every school-house in their respective districts on the evening of that date, and to provide for speakers. By resolution the Board unanimously adopted the Governor's suggestion and instructed Mr.Anderson to proceed with the arrangements.

Mr.Walker, County Agricultural Agent, stated to the Board that the United States Government is willing to establish LAdy County Demonstration Agents throughout the Country whose duty will be to go into the homes and assist the ladies in food conser-
vation. And the services of such a person could be procured for this County if this Board would make an application for one. The Government pays the entire salary, the County paying only the actual traveling expenses. Mr.Walker stated this was only an experiment by the Government, and if proves successful would be continued. On motion duly made, seconded and carried Mr.Walker was instructed to procure a lady demonstration agent for this County.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned until Wednesday the 7th day of November,A.D. 1917 at 11 o'clock A.M.

D. P. Lowell
Chairman.

Francis J. ...
Clerk.

Lady Demonstration Agent approved.

November, 16th, 1917.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the 7th day of November, A.D. 1917.

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

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

Present: Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christina, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.
Absent-Bruce-1.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with. The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 31, 1917.

Board of Supervisors of Marquette County,
Gentlemen:-

In accordance with your instructions I have taken up with the Aetna Explosives Co. Inc., the matter of the Pollution of the Ely River by the discharge of waste acid matter from their plant at Winthrop into this stream. Mr. VanBrunt, Superintendent of the Plant, advised me that they desired to take whatever steps were necessary to prevent injury to fish in the stream arising from the waste products and I attach hereto a copy of his letter dated October 30th which explains the preventive measures they are about to take for this purpose.

I recommend that the Aetna Explosives Co. Inc., be permitted to try out the plan outlined in this letter and that an investigation be then made to determine whether or not the measures are accomplishing the desired result and that a further investigation and report be made to the Board at that time of the results obtained. I have furnished the county game warden with a copy of this letter.

Yours respectfully,

M.J.Kennedy.

Ishpeming, Michigan, Oct. 30, 1917.

Mr.M.J.Kennedy,
Prosecuting Attorney, Marquette Co.,
Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

Confirming our telephone conversation of this date relative to the means taken by my company to prevent the pollution of the Ely River, running through our plant in Winthrop, I am pleased to lay before you the following:

In the manufacture of the various chemical ingredients of high explosives, there are obtained waste products of a slightly acid nature, which are disposed of by running off. This waste eventually finds it way to adjacent streams and wells, and although very dilute, is detrimental to some extent on fish and plant growth.

In practically every state there is legislation against pollution of streams, but to the best of my knowledge only Pennsylvania has shown how it could be done. The law in Pennsylvania provides that the waste acid waters from chemical and explosive plants shall be passed over lime rock which neutralizes the acid in the water, forming products which have no effect on fish and plant life.

Having tried out this method in a small way, with very satisfactory results we have arranged to put it into operation so that all the acid waters produced at this plant will be neutralized thus eliminating the present nuisance. This will be effective by December 1st of this year at the latest.

Yours very truly,

Aetna Explosives Co., Inc.

N.N.Van Brunt, Supt.

The reports of the Michigan Inspection Bureau regarding the electric lighting in Court House and Jail was read and the Clerk instructed to have defects corrected in accordance with reports.

The Clerk was instructed to write the Board of Supervisors of Alger, Baraga, Delta, Dickinson, and Iron County relative to Act 343, P.A. of 1917, which provides for the establishment and maintenance of joint County Sanitariums, for the treatment of Tuberculosis, and ascertain if they would care to join with Marquette in establishing a Sanitarium under the provisions of the above Act.

Roll call

Matter of Pollution of Ely River investigated by Mr. Kennedy

Communication from N.N. Van Brunt, Supt.

Was clerkery using Joint Co. Sanitarium

November, 7th, 1917.

The following resolution was read and upon motion duly made and seconded was unanimously adopted.

RESOLVED, that no person shall operate any motor vehicle upon the public highways of this county without having made an application for registration and paid the taxes and displaying upon said motor vehicle the number plates assigned to it by the Secretary of State as required by Act No. 302 of the Public Acts of 1915 of the State of Michigan and acts amendatory thereof and that the Sheriff, the Deputy Sheriffs and Motor Police Officers of this county be and they are hereby directed to make complaints against all persons operating such motor vehicles without displaying thereon the number plates issued by the Secretary of State.

Resolved, further that all persons who desire to operate such motor vehicles between the time of the making of such application to the Secretary of State and the payment of all taxes required by law and the time of receipt by them from the Secretary of State of the number plates assigned to said cars, shall make the application and pay the taxes required by law through the County Clerk of the County of Marquette and the County Clerk upon receipt of such application and the payment of all taxes required by law shall forward same to the Secretary of State and shall issue to such applicant a temporary license plate in such form as he shall deem advisable, identifying the person to whom such license is issued and the motor vehicle to which it shall be attached. Such applicant shall display such temporary license plate until the receipt by him of the proper plate issued by the Secretary of State and thereupon the temporary license issued by the County Clerk shall be surrendered and cancelled.

Motor Vehicle Laws

John Stickney.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-37.
Nays-none.

Auditing

The reports of County Agricultural Agent, Supt. Morgan Heights Sanitarium and Sec'y Poor Board were read in part and ordered filed.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned until Wednesday the 19th day of December, A.D. 1917 at 11 o'clock A.M.

A. M. Powell

Chairman.

Frank J. ...

Clerk.

December, 19th, 1917.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the 19th day of December A.D. 1917.

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

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

Present: Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

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

A communication from the General Road-master of the D.S.S. & A.Ry. stating that crossing one-half mile east of Eagle Mills and the "y" at Eagle Mills, and also the crossing west of Humboldt have been repaired and lengthened as requested by this board was read and ordered filed.

Communications from Albert J.Pepin and C.F.Mason regarding the proposed joint Sanitarium was read and referred to the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee.

The following communication was read and referred to M.J.Kennedy, Prosecuting Attorney, with instructions that he write each supervisor regarding the law in this matter.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 17, 1917.

D.W.Powell,

Marquette, Mich.

Dear Mr.Powell:

I have succeeded in getting sheep started upon thirty four farms. We have in the county about 600 sheep upon 50 farms. In order to make a success of the sheep industry I believe it necessary to inforce our state dog law. I have asked Mr.Kennedy to look up the law and present it to the board for their consideration. I would like to have you as chairman. Ask Mr.Kennedy to present this to the board and have the board act upon the question as it seems necessary. I believe the law should ne inforced if we intend to make a success of the sheep industry in Marquette county.

I am in Lansing attending an annual conference of County Agents so cannot look after this personally at this board meeting, but believe the question is of much importance and should not be delayed.

Very truly,

L.R.Walker,

County Agricultural Agent.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 19th, 1917.

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

Gentlemen:

Your Superintendents of the Poor Committee wish to report that they have held their annual committee meeting, at the Poor Farm, and find that the place is in elegant condition.

The cattle and pultry are looking fine, and there is a large supply of vegetables on hand for winter use.

Your Committee would recommend placing water boxes in the barn for the cattle, and also that fire extinguishers be installed in the County building, and fire alarms placed in all buildings.

Owing to the over-crowded sleeping conditions and pressing need for more room your Committee recommedn that a special committee of three (3) together with Mr.Powell, Chairman of this Board be appointed as a special committee to draw up suitable plans and secure estimates of cost to make necessary improvements for the comfort and convenience of the inmates. We found the people contented and no complaints were offered.

Respectfully submitted.

F.H.Vandenboom, William Field,
Wm.Manley, Matt Autio,
Philip Christian, W.L.Stanaway,
John Huhtala, Fred J.Eggan,
John Gray, C.Calvin.

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Communications from
and notes and
County Clerk

Communications
from
L.R.Walker re
sheep sheep

Record of
Auditing Committee

Record of report
of Poor Committee

December, 19th, 1917.

In compliance with the above report the Chairman appointed the following supervisors to serve with him on this special committee. Supervisors Vandenberg, Graff and VanRiper.

The reports of Superintendent of Morgan Heights Sanitarium, County Agricultural Agent, Home Demonstration Agent, Secretary of the Superintendents of the Poor and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

Albert Bjork, County Treasurer asked and was granted leave to address the Board on the subject of additional compensation for clerk hire, owing to fact that there would be no fees from liquor licenses next year. On motion duly made and seconded the matter was referred to the County Officers Accounts Committee with power to act. The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote. Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenberg, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman.-37. Nays-none.

Supervisor Neidhart moved that an auditor be employed to audit the county books for the past year. The motion was seconded and carried with the proviso that work must be completed within sixty days from January 1st, 1918.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned until Wednesday the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1918 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Frank Jensen
Clerk.

D. M. Powell
Chairman.

Special Committee appointed

County Treasurer asks for more compensation

Auditor to be employed

January, 23rd, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette on Wednesday the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1918.

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

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

Present:- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Chrisitan, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Powell, Chairman-37.

Absent- Yungbluth-1.

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

Communications were received from the Holy Family Orphanage Childrens Home, St. Joseph and the Good Will Farm acknowledging receipt of and thanking the Board for their donations to these societies.

The following communication was read and referred to the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee.

L'Anse, Mich., Jan. 21, 1918.

Mr. Frank Jenks, Co. Clerk
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

The Board of Supervisors of our County met last Saturday but took no action in regard to the joint Sanitarium Project.

It seemed to be the opinion of the members present that nothing should be done in this connection until the Chairman is present.

Yours very truly,
Martin Voetsch.

A communication from the Secretary and Treasurer of the State Association of the Register of Deeds asking that the Marquette County Register be sent as delegate to their next meeting to be held at Mt. Olemens was read and upon motion duly made and seconded the Register was instructed to attend this meeting, all expenses to be paid by the county.

The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Powell, Chairman-37.
Nays-none.

The following communication was read and it was moved and seconded that the chair appoint two supervisors to act with him as delegates to this conference. And that the Clerk be instructed to forward \$25.00 to the Secretary for the membership dues.

The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Chrisitan, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Powell, Chairman-37.
Nays-none.

In compliance with the above the chair appointed Supervisors Ewing and Vandenboom.

Detroit, Mich., December 29, 1917.

Chairman Board of Superbvisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

The seventh State Conference on Taxation will be held at Bay City, February 27th and 28th, 1918. Conference headquarters will be at the Wenonah Hotel.

You are cordially invited to appoint from one to three delegates to represent your county at the conference. As soon as you have selected your delegates please be kind enough to send their names and addresses to the Secretary of the Association, 832 Dime Bank Building, Detroit. It is hoped that the Board of Supervisors of each county in the state will be well represented at the conference, because of the importance of many of the subjects that will be discussed. Among the most important of these subjects will be "War Taxes" and "War Loans". The United States Treasury Department will be represented at the conference and will lead in the discussion of these subjects. Another subject that will be of much interest to the supervisors of the state will be that of "State and County Equalization." We are especially desirous that the supervisors take an active part in the discussion of this subject. The delegates that you appoint will be entitled to vote on all matters coming before the conference by way of resolutions, the voting power being confined to duly appointed delegates and members of the Association, Visitors however, will be welcome and will be permitted to take an active part in all the discussions. We shall be glad to see any or all of the members of your Board present upon this occasion. A special invitation is extended to yourself to attend the conference and take part in its activities.

The complete program will be made up some time next month, a copy of which will be

Comm. on Sanitarium
advising Board of Supervisors
Comm. on State Assn. of Regs. of Deeds
Board of Supervisors
State Assn. of Regs. of Deeds
3 delegates appointed

See Conference

January, 23rd, 1918.

sent to each delegate appointed.

Very respectfully,
Michigan State Tax Association.

Geo. Lord,
Secretary.

The following communication was read and it was moved, supported and carried that this Board petition the State Game and Fish Department of the Public Domain Commission to suspend the open season on partridges in this county under the provisions of Act. No. 9 P.A. of 1917, and would recommend that the season be closed for two years if the adjoining counties would agree, to act in like manner.

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

Gentlemen:-

We come to you with a plea for the preservation of the few remaining partridge in this State because of the liability of their becoming extinct as the passenger pigeon did, some years ago.

At the last session of the legislature the advisability of closing the season on partridge for one year was discussed, but hoping the last breeding season would tend to replenish the stock of birds in the State, and owing to the fact that a law was passed authorizing the department of Game and Fish to close the season, with your assistance, if deemed advisable nothing was done.

The season just passed proved a failure in the breeding of these birds as the two previous years had been. From recent investigation we learn that there are very few birds left in most of the counties and what few there are should be saved for stock purposes to replenish the covers of our State. We are sure you are as anxious as we are to save these birds from extermination. We are of the opinion that the closing of the season on partridge should be state wide; therefore we are sending this appeal to the Board of Supervisors of each county in the State with blank petition for the signature of members of each board.

Should you believe as we do, that partridge the finest game bird in the State, should be saved a majority of the Board may cause action in this regard by signing the enclosed petition and sending the same to me at Lansing, Michigan.

Should all the counties in the State make a petition to have the partridge season closed for one year we can consider the matter as a State wide proposition,- if not we shall probably unite several counties together in localities and act under the district plan. Your cooperation is solicited.

John Baird,
Commissioner.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Niedhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Powell, Chairman-37.
Nays-none.

The following report of the County officers committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote.
Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingael, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Powell, Chairman-37.
Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich.
January 16th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

The County Officers Accounts Committee beg leave to report that at a meeting of said Committee held January 16th, 1918, it was moved, supported and carried that the Treasurer be allowed the sum of Fifty dollars (\$50.00) to be additional salary paid to the clerk from January 1st to May 1st 1918.

It was also moved, supported and carried that Mr. John Tobin be employed to audit the County's books and to report as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted.

J. F. Neidhart,
H. E. Perkins,
John Bruce,
W. J. Wiseman,
Fred J. Eggan,
W. H. Trembath,
W. L. Stanaway,
Jno. W. Bush,
John Gray,
Phil Christian,
Samuel Racine.

*Commissioner
John Baird
re: partridge*

Auditing

*Additional
salary for clerk
in reference to it*

January, 23rd, 1918. and February, 20th, 1918.

Reports of
Officers

The reports of the Secretary of the Poor Board, Superintendent of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read and unanimously adopted.

Marquette, Michigan.
Jan. 17th, 1918.

Approved
on 2/20/18
F.H. Vandenberg

#Resolved, that the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (2000.00) raised by taxation for the current year, in pursuance of Act No. 88 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1913, be and the same is hereby appropriated to the support and work and maintenance of the Upper Peninsula Development bureau organized under the laws of Michigan, and that the County Treasurer of the County of Marquette be and is hereby authorized and empowered to pay the tax so raised to the said Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, a corporation."

F.H. Vandenberg.

The following resolution was read and unanimously adopted.

Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

see facing
page 3
some handwritten notes

Be it Resolved, that the sum of Six hundred sixty-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$661.75), which is the county's share of moneys obtained from the sale of Resident Deer Licenses for the season 1917, be used toward paying the salary of the Game Warden for the year 1918.

F.H. Vandenberg.

No further business appearing, the board adjourned until Wednesday the 20th day of February, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

D.W. Powell
Chairman.

Frank G. Jenks
Clerk.

February, 20th, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette county met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 20th day of February, A.D. 1918.

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

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

Present- Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Keese, Labold, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenberg, VanKiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-31.

Absent- Anderson, Bruce, Elnes, Graff, Johnson, Libby and Racine-7.

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

A communication asking this board to appropriate \$150.00 to the local Food Administration Committee was read and it was moved by Supervisor Yungbluth that the board appropriate \$150.00 the same to be turned over to the Secretary of the County Food Administration with instructions that he make a report to this board of all disbursements made out of this appropriation, the motion was duly seconded and carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Keese, Labold, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenberg, VanKiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-31.

Nays-none.

The following communication was read and ordered filed.

January 29, 1918.

Mr. Frank G. Jenks,
County Clerk,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:- We acknowledge receipt of petition signed by the members of the Board of Supervisors of your county asking for the closing of the season on partridges for a period of two years, under Act. 9, P.A. 1917. Proper action will be taken in the matter in the near future.

Appreciating your interest.

Very truly,
John Baird,
Commissioner.

The following communication was read and upon motion was referred to the Sheriff of this County.

Appropriation
for Food Administration Roll

February, 20th, 1918.

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 20, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County:

Gentlemen:-

I hereby make application for appointment as Motor Police on the County roads.
If appointed I will meet the requirements and regulations of your Board regarding
traffic on the County road.

Hoping you will act favorably upon my application, I am,

Yours very truly,
Wilbur J. Walsh.

The following communication was read and it was moved, supported and unanimously
carried that D.W.Powell, Chairman of this Board be the representative for the ensuing
year, with the further proviso that he can name a substitute in case he cannot attend
meeting.

January 31, 1918.

Mr. Frank G. Jenks, Marquette County Clerk,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Jenks:

At the next meeting of your County Board of Supervisors, will you see to it that
one of its number is elected as the representative on our Executive Committee, while
the boosters in each county have one member in this body.
Our present man is D.W.Powell.

Respectfully yours,
The Upper Peninsula Development Bureau.

George W. Rowell,
Secretary-Manager.

The following communication was read:

February 5, 1918.

Board of Supervisors,
Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with the provisions of Act 116, P.A. 1917, providing a state tax on
homestead and swamp lands, which is to be expended under the supervision of the Board
of Supervisors of each county, upon the trunk line highways within each county in
accordance with the suggestions of the State Highway Commissioner, I wish to recommend
that the money allotted to your county this year, amounting to \$917.01 shall be expended
as follows:

New Construction.

Trusting that this will meet with your approval, I am

Very truly yours,
Frank F. Rogers,

State Highway Commissioner.

In complying with the Above the Board passed the following resolution by the
following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggen, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field,
Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Keese, Labold, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale,
Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman,
Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-31.

Nays-none.

RESOLVED, that the \$917.01, the same being the amount allotted to this County under
the provisions of Act 116, P.A. of 1917, be expended for new construction, and that the
County Treasurer is hereby instructed to place this money to the credit of County Road
Fund.

W.S.Ewing.

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

Yeas- Autio, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggen, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field,
Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Keese, Labold, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale,
Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman,
Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-31.

Nays-none.

The special Committee composed of Supervisors Powell and Ewing and Vandenboom
appointed to attend meeting of State Board of Supervisors made their report of the
meeting which was adopted and ordered filed.

Application for
Miller-gale Bill

H. W. Rowell
named representative
of D. W. Powell

\$917.01 to be
expended for new
construction

\$917.01 placed to
credit County Road
Fund

Auditing
Committee

Report of Special
Committee Powell, Ewing
& Vandenboom

February, 20th, 1918.
and March, 27th, 1918.

The reports of the Superintendent of Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Secretary of the Poor Board and Jail Inspectors were read and ordered filed.

No further business appearing, the board adjourned until Wednesday the 27th day of March, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

Reports of
C. J. Officiars

D. W. Powell

Chairman.

Francis Jensen

Clerk.

March, 27th, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 27th day of March, A.D. 1918.

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

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

Present:- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Chrsitian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-34.
Absent-4. Field, Graff, Mathews and VanRiper.

Roll

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

A communication from the Board of Directors of the Marquette County Agricultural Society asking that our County Agricultural Agent be given a month's leave of absence to assist them in interesting the farmers and otherwise aiding them during the County Fair was read and the request was granted. And the month's leave to date from September 9th to October 5th inclusive.

Co. Agr. Agent
granted month's
leave of absence -
approved and
paid for \$25.00
communication from
State Geologist re
quoting drainage

A communication from the Michigan State Tax Association acknowledging receipt of check for \$25.00 was received and filed.

A communication from R.O.Allen State Geologist, regarding the drainage problems of Michigan was read and it was moved and seconded that this County co-operate with this Department to the fullest extent. Carried.

A communication from the Michigan Hospital School asking for County aid was read and ordered filed.

The following communication was read and it was moved and supported that the request be granted. The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-34.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., March, 27, 1918.

D.W.Powell, Chairman, and Hon.
Board of Supervisors:

Mr.E.C.Lindemann, State Leader of Boys and Girls Club work informs me that he would like to assist in maintaining a County Club Leader for Marquette County for six months of this year. The duties of the leader will be to organize and supervise the boys and girls in the growing of gardens and potatoes. Last season the boys in clubs outside of the cities grew approximately 5,000 bushel of potatoes besides a large number of gardens were supervised. We would like to even do better this year. I believe we can if the proper supervision can be given.

County Club
leader for
Marquette County

Mr.Lindemann promised to furnish the man and pay half the salary of a man for six months at the rate of one hundred dollars per month. He asks the County to pay the other half and traveling expenses.

L.R.Walker.

County Agricultural Agent.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-34.
Nays-none.

Reports of
Auditing Committee

March, 27th, 1913.

The reports of special committees who attended the State Tax Conference at Bay City and the meeting of Northern Michigan Road Builders Association at Newberry were read and ordered filed.

The reports of Superintendent of Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Secretary of Poor Board, County Agricultural Agent, Home Demonstration Agent and County Game Warden were read and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote. Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elmes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-34. Nays-none.

RESOLVED, That L.R.Walker, County Agricultural Agent, be and is hereby authorized and directed to take over the following unpaid seed notes given by the following persons, payment of which were guaranteed by the County of Marquette, viz:

August Aho	\$ 4.89 Int.	\$.11	5.00
Jaka Maki	9.53 Int.	.22	9.75
L.A.Rohr	4.89 Int.	.12	5.01
L.A.Rohr	141.00 Int.	3.16	144.16
Chas.Lamberg	14.26 Int.	.35	14.61
N.R.Pelissier	23.48 Int.	.54	24.02
Andrew Baker	.49 Int.		.49
A.H.Baker	1.93 Int.		1.93
A.H.Grimes	14.20 Int.	.40	14.60
J.M.Sicotte	45.00 Int.	.22	45.22
W.J.Rivers	22.75 Int.	.47	23.22
	282.42	5.59	288.01

RESOLVED FURTHER, said L.R.Walker and M.J.Kennedy, Prosecuting Attorney be and are hereby directed to collect all of said notes which are collectable and report the result thereof to the Board of Supervisors.

It was moved and supported that the Clerks and Stenographers in the Court House be given an increase of salary of \$10.00 per month starting April, 1st. The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Autio, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elmes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Labold, Libby, Manley, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, chairman-34. Nays-none.

Whereupon the board adjourned sine die.

D. M. Powell

Chairman.

Frank J. Jenkins

Clerk.

*Reports of special committees
Reports of Co. B officers*

*L.R. Walker
&
M.J. Kennedy
to collect and
paid seed notes*

*Sum of \$10.00
for Stenographers*

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NICOLET BOND

April, 24th, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to call duly made, at the Court House in the City of Marquette in said County, on Wednesday the 24th day of April, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

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

April, 8th, 1918.

Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said County to convene at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday the 24th day of April, 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of organization and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

J.F. Neidhart, D.W. Powell, William Wiseman, A.J. Yungbluth, R. Matthews, Alfred Collick, W.H. Trembath, F.E. Keese, Chas. Johnson, W.L. Stanaway, Harry S. Nightingale, John Stickney, W.S. Ewing, F.H. Vandenboom, H.E. Perkins and John Bush.

Supervisor A.J. Yungbluth placed the name of D.W. Powell in nomination for chairman for the board for the ensuing year. Said motion duly seconded was unanimously carried.

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

Present: Anderson, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Absent- Field.1.

It was moved, supported and carried that the old Auditing Committee audit bills to be presented at this meeting.

It was moved, supported and carried that a recess be taken until 1:00 o'clock P.M.

Upon reconvening at 1:00 o'clock P.M. the roll was called and the following supervisors were found to be present.

Present: Anderson, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Absent-Field.1.

Moved, supported and carried that the rules governing the last board be adopted as the rules to govern this board for the ensuing year.

The reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting was upon motion dispensed with. A communication from Charles E. Dolf, Resident Agent for the Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., soliciting part of the County's fire insurance business was read and ordered filed.

A communication from George Rowell, of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, reminding the Township Supervisors to send in their monthly crop reports was read and ordered filed.

The following communication was read and upon motion of Supervisor Neidhart, Dr. Chas. N. Bottum was duly elected as County Physician for the ensuing year.

Marquette, Mich., April, 23, 1918.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members Board of Supervisors. Marquette Co., Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

I hereby apply for re-appointment to the position of County Physician.

During the past year I have endeavored to faithfully serve the county in the discharge of the duties pertaining to my office.

Charles N. Bottum,

Clerk.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37. Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendent of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium and Secretary of the Poor Board were read and ordered filed.

On motion of Supervisor Stickney, M.M. Duncan was duly elected to succeed himself as County Road Commissioner for the ensuing three (3) years.

Moved, supported and carried that the chair appoint a committee of three (3) to renew contracts with the Hospitals and Jail Physician. The Chair appointed the following Supervisors Stickney, Ewing and Bush.

County Treasurer Bjork asked the Board to pay the salary of the stenographer in his office, owing to the fact that he would not receive the fees from liquor licenses this year. The request was referred to the Committee on County Officers Accounts,

Call

Roll

Roll

Chas. N. Bottum
re-elected Co. Physician

Auditing

Committee
Hospitals
Jail Physician
Contracts

April, 24th, 1918.

The following agreement and option was read and Supervisor Vandebloom stated that they needed more land at the Poor Farm, and requested that the Chairman appoint a Committee of seven, including the chair with power to act, as to the advisability of the County purchasing this property. The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Manley, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandebloom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Nays-Bollick-1.

*Committee
of seven
appointed to
advise as to the
advisability of
County purchasing
this property*

THIS AGREEMENT, Made this 23rd day of April, A.D. 1918, by and between Carl J. Flink, executor of the last will and testament of Caisa Flink, deceased, of the first part, and Frank H. Vandebloom, of the Township of Marquette, of the second part.

WITNESSETH, That the said party of the first part for a valuable consideration to him duly paid does hereby give and grant to said party of the second part the right and option to purchase at any time within ten (10) days from and after the date hereof that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Marquette, County of Marquette and State of Michigan, known and described as the east half of the southwest quarter of Section twenty-seven (27) in Township forty-eight (48) north of Range twenty-five (25) west excepting that part thereof conveyed to the City of Marquette and subject to the mineral and mining reservations contained in prior deeds of conveyance in the regular chain of title to said land. Also all the horses, wagons, sleighs, cattle, poultry, hay potatoes, farming tools and machinery and all other personal property on said premises used in connection therewith for farming purposes, (being included in the estate of said deceased), at and for the sum and price of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.).

All to be conveyed to said second party or his assigns by good and sufficient conveyance free and clear of all incumbrances. It is expressly understood that time is the very essence of this option, and that it shall be void and of no effect if not exercised by said second party within said time.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Frank H. Vandebloom, (L.S.)
Carl J. Flink, (L.S.)

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 22nd day of May A.D. 1918, at 11:00 o'clock A.M.

Frank H. Vandebloom
Olerk.

Carl J. Flink
Chairman.

May, 22nd, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the 22nd day of May, A.D. 1918 at 11 o'clock A.M.

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

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

Present: Anderson, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-33.
Absent: Bruce, Field, Grimes, Manley, Matthews-5.

Roll
to order to
around 11:00
Communication, as
per the minutes
of the
County
Commissioners
for
Marquette
Road.

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

County Sealer of Weights and Measures, Mr. Thomas M. Wells was authorized to attend the Annual State Convention and his expenses to be paid by the County.

The petition from residents of Negaunee Township asking for aid in repairing Goose Lake Road was referred to the Highway & Bridges Committee.

A communication from J.E.O'Donoghue, regarding carrying compensation insurance for the employees was read and referred to the Prosecuting Attorney and County Clerk, with instructions that they compile a list of County employees that would come under this compensation and report at the next meeting of the Board.

A communication from Mrs. Nellie French, asking to be reimbursed for care of Small Pox patients and other expenses amounting \$2867.50 was read and referred to the Auditing Committee including the Prosecuting Attorney.

The following communication was read and it was moved and supported that the recommendations be adopted and an appropriation of \$1,800.00, be made out of any funds in the hands of the Treasurer not otherwise appropriated, for the surfacing and maintenance of this road. The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell-Chairman-33.
Nays-none.

Filed and entered May, 22nd, 1918.

Ishpeming, Mich., May, 10, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

A meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners was held on April 30th, and the following action was taken at that time:

Contracts had been let previously and the work is now under way and nearing completion on the following items, for which money was voted last October.

A contract was let for all work planned on the Barron Min-Witch Lake Road, south of Republic: a contract was let for all gravel work planned on the Ishpeming West Road: a contract was let for all bridges planned. These contracts and the prices to be paid therefor, will practically be equivalent to the allotment for the work in the October budget.

Bids were received for the balance of the construction work, provided for in the year's appropriation and the board has made the following disapporportioned to the project for which position thereof:

One mile of road on the Marquette South Road was let to Messrs. Pellissier & Pelissie The south mile of the two planned has been deferred.

No bids were received for the surfacing work on the Negaunee-Marquette Road. The Board issued directions to do this work by force account.

All bids received for work on the Barron Mine-Witch Lake Road were rejected as being too high. The work thereon was directed to be deferred until July or August, when money from state reward, etc. will be available.

It now appears probable, that it will be impossible to build more than one mile on the Marquette South Road and one mile on the Barron Mine-Witch Lake Road with the funds which are now available.

It was directed to use the appropriation for that portion of the Palmer South Road lying between Little Lake and Delta County line, for which money was voted in the October budget, for the purpose for which it was raised, provided that sufficient of the money should be utilized at the sink hole south of Little Lake, to put the same in passable shape, and that the balance be apportioned to the project for which the money was voted, to put the entire stretch in as usable a condition as possible.

The great advance in the cost of labor and material is going to render it impossible to complete several projects within the estimates made last October, therefore the Board here undersigned, requests your approval in the foregoing conclusions and sanction be given them to use the money not otherwise used to complete the work above mentioned as in their judgment is essential for the well being of the road system.

Section 18 of Act 4 of Act 283, P.A. 1909 requires that when a township builds a reward road on the State Trunk Line Highway System and has been rewarded therefor, it is mandatory on the part of the County to take such road over as a county road and maintain the same. This statute is directly applicable to that portion of Branch D of Division No. 7 of the State Trunk Line System, lying in Foysoyth Township, between Princeton and a little east of New Swanzey.

The Board has adopted the same in conformity to the statute and the proceedings are to be completed, provided your Board approves the following recommendations.

Co. Road
Report.

May, 22nd, 1918.

The above named stretch of road is a water bound macadam type, most of it is in excellent condition, and the Township has agreed to put the balance in good condition. This road is subjected primarily to auto traffic and it will ravel out speedily, if this is not provided for. The undersigned, therefor, consider it advisable to surface treat this road with tarvia, the same as the Negaunee Marquette Road is now treated.

As no funds, either for the maintenance or surface treatment of this road were included in last October's appropriations, in order to do this work, it will be necessary for your Board to authorize the work and appropriate to the Board of County Road Commissioners, funds for the surface treatment and maintenance of this road for the balance of the year. They, therefore recommend to your Board that you appropriate to the Board of County Road Commissioners for use on this road, the sum of Sixteen Hundred (\$1600.00) Dollars for surface treatment and Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for maintenance, and direct that the treasurer credit the county road fund therewith.

In commenting on this surface treatment, it might be added that the Board now has an option on sufficient tarvia to do this work at eight cents per gallon, whereas, the material is now selling at over eleven cents per gallon, with no probability that it will get any cheaper until after the war is over.

Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, Michigan.

By K.I.Sawyer, Supt.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-33.

Nays-none.

The following report of the County Officers Accounts Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-33.

Nays-none.

May, 10th, 1918.

Filed and entered May, 11, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:- Your County Officers Accounts Committee beg leave to report that at a meeting held at the Court House on this date, it was moved, supported and unanimously carried that the County Treasurer's Stenographer be paid by the County, on and after May, 1st, 1918, and it was further moved and carried that the salary of said assistant be fixed at \$60.00 per month.

Respectfully submitted,

J.F.Neidhart,
John Gray,
J.M.Bush,
W.J.Wiseman,
H.E.Perkins,
AlJ.Bellstrom,
W.L.Stanway,
W.H.Trembath,
Philip Christian,
Fred J.Eggan,
Samuel Racine,
Joseph T.Labold.

The following report of the special committee was read and adopted.

May, 17th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

The special committee appointed by this Board with power to act in the matter of the advisability of purchasing the property known as the Flink property, comprising E1/2 of the S.W.1/4 of Section 27, Town 48 Range 25 West for the sum of \$5,000.00, beg leave to report that they made a thorough investigation of the place and are well satisfied with the price of the farm, equipment and buildings, but the majority of the Committee do not think it advisable for the County to make this purchase at the present time.

Respectfully submitted.

F.H.Vandenboom
D.W.Powell,
John M.Bush,
W.S.Ewing,
F.E.Keese,
Forrest Libby,
Rasmus Olsen.

Auditing Committee

Co. Officers Accounts Committee

Resolved a Steno-grapher to be paid by County at \$60 per m.

Board of Special Committee re Flink property

May, 22nd, 1918.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bellstrom, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Leece, Libby, Mason, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-33.
Nays-none.

May, 17th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

Your special committee appointed by this Board to renew Hospital contracts with the several hospitals in the County, and also to employ Jail Physician for the ensuing year, beg leave to report that they have visited the Hospitals and find them all in first class condition, and have renewed contracts with the following:

St.Luke's Hospital, Marquette, Michigan.
St.Mary's Hospital, Marquette, Michigan.
Dr.Holm's Hospital, Ishpeming, Michigan.
Ishpeming Hospital, Ishpeming, Michigan.
Sheldon & Andrus, Negaunee, Michigan.
Dr.N.J.Robbins,Hospital, Negaunee, Michigan.
Gwinn Hospital, Gwinn, Michigan.

We have also renewed contract with Dr.F.McD.Harkin, as Jail Physician, but owing to the increased prices of drugs, which he has to supply to a good many prisoners, we increased his salary in the contract \$5.00 making it \$25.00 instead of \$20.00 per month, and would respectfully recommend that this Board adopt the report of this Committee paying this new rate.

Respectfully submitted.

John Stickney,
John M.Bush,
W.S.Ewing.

The following resolution was read and adopted.

Whereas petitions are being circulated requesting the submission of a constitutional amendment which would force all children between the ages of five and sixteen to attend the public schools only: and

Whereas, such a movement though apparently aimed at schools supported by religious denominations, is equally subversive of the whole educational system as at present operating and would not only be destructive of the freedom of the citizen, but would impose hardships on industry and substantially injure if not destroy all private schools, and

Whereas, the result of investigation of the purposes of those fostering the movement is such as to call on all civic institutions and all men believing in the liberty of the citizen to oppose such an enactment.

Therefore, be it resolved that we the supervisors of Marquette County, interested in civic betterment and representing the thought of those whose devotion to our government in the crisis of today permits of no attack on the principals of freedom which are its very foundation, do deplore and oppose the submission of said constitutional amendment for the following reasons:-

"First: It attacks the principal of individual liberty which is the very basis of our form of government.

"Second: It limits industrial education and it deprives the child of its right to that character of education desired by its parents.

"Third: It is unpatriotic in that at this most inopportune time it fosters religious intolerance and controversy among our citizens.

"Fourth: It foments discord and dissension among our people, dividing our national unity of counsel and purpose, and distracting by internal strife our people's attention from their united support of our government in this war."

W.S.Ewing.

The reports of Superintendent Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Secretary of Poor Board, County Agricultural Agent, Emergency Home Demonstration Agent, Deputy Game Warden were read and ordered filed.

Supervisors Yungbluth suggested that inquiries be made of the custodians of the several County Buildings to ascertain if wood could not be used for firing in the early fall and late spring, in order to save as much coal as possible, moved that the Clerk of the Board make these inquiries and report at the next meeting. The motion was seconded and carried.

Supervisor Bush, Chairman of the Parks Committee reports that Supervisor Vandenboom has donated a piece of land containing between one and two acres at the head of lover's lane for park purposes, with the only proviso that it be called the Vandenboom Park, and also wish to thank the donator in behalf of the board.

He also further recommended that \$300.00 of the Park appropriation or fund be turned over to Champion Township for the purpose of building fences and tables and

Hospital
Contracts

Resolution
relating to public schools.

Reports of
Co. Officers.

Donation of
Vandenboom Park.

Appropriation
for parks.

May, 22nd, 1918.

otherwise improving their park on Lake Michigamme, which is used by the general public. The motion was duly seconded and carried.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned until Wednesday the 26th day June, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

D. W. Powell
Chairman.

Frank Jenks
Clerk.

Marquette Michigan, June 26th, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman D. W. Powell. The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present:

Present:-Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Field, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth, and Powell, Chairman-34.

Absent-Bellstrom, Keese, Leece, Manley-4.

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

It was moved, supported and carried that the order of business be suspended and Mr. E.A. Macdonald, addressed the Board on the subject of payment of bills for the different War Relief and Liberty Loan drives, and presented a number of bills, which he asked the County to pay. It was moved that the bills be referred to the Auditing Committee, the motion was duly seconded and carried.

A communication from the County Game Warden, Mr. John Rough asking to be re-appointed and on motion duly made and seconded, Mr. Rough was elected as the County Warden for the ensuing two years.

The following communication was read, approved and ordered filed.

June 19, 1918.

Mr. F. G. Jenks,
City.

Dear Mr. Jenks:-

At a meeting of the Board of Examiners and Probate Judge, Supt. L. W. Stewart of Gwinn was appointed to fill a vacancy on the Board. This vacancy was due to the resignation of Supt. F. S. Monical of Champion.

Sincerely yours,
S. R. Anderson,
County Commissioner of Schools.

Filed and entered June 24, 1918.

A communication and order from the State Game Warden closing the partridge season for one year, commencing July 15th, 1918 was read and ordered filed. And the Clerk was instructed to supply the different Supervisors with notices for posting.

A communication was read asking that the County purchase War Savings Stamps in the sum of \$1000.00 maturity value, and the Treasurer was instructed to purchase 200 of these stamps for Marquette County by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas-Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Field, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell Chairman-34.

Nays-None.

The following petition was read and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

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

State of Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

We the undersigned residents of the Township of West Branch, County of Marquette, respectively petition your Honorable Body for aid in the constructing of a public highway in said Township of West Branch amount needed, Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) and pray that the prayer of the petitioners be granted. Dated this 26th day of June, 1918.

Forrest D. Libby
Thos. Behrman
P.M. Donahoe
Eldred Pascoe
Egnace Sodra
Wm. Borchert
Robert Shaw
Arthur Peterson

Roll
Was this referred to auditing committee
John Rough re-appointed for 2 years.
Should be W. Stewart appointed probate judge
Posting of notices
Was savings stamps purchased.
Petition from West Branch

June 26th, 1918. and July, 27th, 1918.

Auditing Committee

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

Yeas-Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Field, Gray, Grimes, Johnson, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell Chairman-34.

Nays-None.

Reports of County Officers

The reports of Secretary of the Poor Board, Superintendent of Morgan Heights Sanitarium, and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The Highways and Bridges Committee were granted more time in which to make their report on the petition of Negaunee Township for repairing the Goose Lake Road.

Miss Justin, asked the Board to purchase an automobile for Miss Keating, County Demonstration Agent, and on motion duly made and seconded it was referred to a special committee, composed of Supervisors Stickney, Olson and Calvin.

K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission stated that he would like the Board to inspect the County Roads, this summer, and it was moved, supported and carried that an inspection be made, and a special committee composed of Supervisors Bush and Johnson, and the Clerk of this Board were named by the Chairman to fix the date and arrange for the trip.

It was moved, supported and carried that the Board have their annual dinner at Presque Isle on the date of the next meeting, under the auspices of the Marquette County Farm Bureau, and the Clerk was authorized to make all arrangements.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until Wednesday the 24th day of July, A. D. 1918 at 11 o'clock A. M.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 27th 1918

Francis Jones
Clerk.

D.W. Powell
Chairman.

July, 27th, 1918.

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 24th day of July, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

In the absence of the Chairman D.W.Powell the meeting was called to order by the Clerk. And it was moved and supported that Supervisor Ewing act as temporary Chairman, which was unanimously carried.

The credentials of John Huhtala were read and approved and Mr.Huhtala was given a seat on this Board, and assigned to the same committee as his predecessor.

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

Present: Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Youngbluth-32.

Absent- Bruce, Racine and Powell-3.

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

A petition from the taxpayers and residents of Richmond Township asking for assistance in repairing and maintaining the road between Negaunee and Palmer was read and referred to the County Road Commission.

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

Yeas- Anderson Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yungbluth-32.

Nays-none.
The following report of the Auditing Committee was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yungbluth-32.
Nyas-none.

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.
Gentlemen:-

The Auditing Committee, to whom was referred the claim of Mrs.Nellie French of Marquette, Michigan, amounting to Twenty-eight hundred sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$2867.50) for board and care of small pox patients, respectfully report that they have investigated said claim and find that Mrs.French is entitled to the sum of Fourteen hundred ten dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1410.25), said amount being a proper claim on the County of Marquette and your committee therefore recommends that said claim be allowed at the sum of Fourteen hundred and ten dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1410.25) in full settlement thereof and the balance of said claim amounting to Fourteen hundred fifty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1457.25) should be rejected.

Dated July 20th, 1918.

Respectfully submitted,

Substantive of Mrs. Huhtala read

Roll

Billings from taxpayers Richmond Twp.

Claims for small pox patients allowed

July, 27th, 1918.

F.E.Keese, John Stickney, A.J.Yungblith, Chas.Johnson, Harry S. Nightingale and W.H.Trembath.

Auditing Committee.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahls tedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Ma tthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yungbluth-32.
Nays-none.

Marquette, Michigan.

July, 24th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Supplies and Expenditures held a session in the Court House on Monday last, and after a thorough examination of the furnace in the Jail it was concluded that they could not burn soft coal unless a new furnace was installed.

It was moved, supported and carried that Supervisors Neidhart, Graff and Huhtala consult with J.E.Sherman, Fuel Administrator of this County, and see if forty (40) tons of hard coal could not be procured for the Jail.

The Committee also recommended the repairing of the windows and porch on the east side of the Jail, also new screen door put on root house.

It was further recommended that thirty (30) tons of splint coal be ordered for immediate use from Spear & Sons for \$7.65 for Court House, all of which is respectfully recommended.

Alfred Collick
R.Matthews,
J.F.Neidhart,
Rasmus Olsen,
Andrew G.Anderson,
Joseph Mason,
John Huhtala,
Forrest D.Libby,
W.W.Graff.

A motion was made and seconded that the Committee on Highways and Bridges, Public Buildings and Grounds investigate the chimney on the Court House, to ascertain if it is necessary for it to be raised in order to burn soft coal.

The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Eggan, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Grimes, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Matthews, Nightingale, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen and Yungbluth-23.

Nays-Collick, Elnes, Graff, Gray, Huhtala, Mason, Neidhart, Olson and Wiseman - 9.

The following report of the committee on Highways and Bridges was read and adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahls tedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yungbluth-32.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Michigan.

July, 24th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:- Your Committee to whom was referred the petition for aid in construction of public highway in the township of West Branch beg leave to report they have made inspection, and respectfully recommend that the Board appropriate the sum of \$300.00 out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of aiding in the construction of said road.

Respectfully submitted,
John Stickney,
A.Collick,
W.S.Ewing,
R.Matthews,
V.W.Fahlstedt,
John M.Bush,
Joseph F.Labold.

The Highways and Bridges Committee asked for and was granted more time in making their report on the Goose Lake Road.

The reports of the Secretary of the Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanitarium and Home Demonstration Agent were read and ordered filed.

Report of Supplies & Expenditures Committee

37 tons splint coal at \$2.10 per ton

Appropriation for West Branch

Report of County Officers

July, 27th, 1918. & August, 28th, 1918.

Supervisor Wiseman stated that in his opinion the Janitor, Turnkey and Night-Watchman were entitled to more pay and moved that the matter be referred to the County Officers Accounts Committee with power to act. The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Calvin, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yungbluth-32.
Nays-none.

The special Committee appointed to investigate the advisability of purchasing an automobile for the Home Demonstration Agent, asked for further time in which to make their report, which was granted.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until August, 28th, 1918 at 11 o'clock A.M. The Clerk being authorized to change the hour if the train service made it necessary.

Francis Jones

Clerk.

H. S. Ewing
Chairman pro tem.

August, 28th, 1918.

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 28th day of August, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

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

The credentials of Robert R.Olds and Chas.J.Johnson were read and approved, and both given a seat on this Board, and assigned to the same committees as their predecessor.

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

Present:- Anderson, Bush, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman. 35.

Absent-Bruce. 1.

The reading of the minutes of the Previous meeting was upon motion dispensed with. The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Ishpeming, Mich., Augu. 27, 1918.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
of Marquette County, Michigan.

Sirs:-

The petition of Benjamin Leece and fortyone others relative to the road in Richmond Township, between Negaunee and Palmer, together with your letter of July 27th, 1918, transmitting the same to the Board of County Road Commissioners, was received.

This matter was considered at a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held August 19th, 1918. It was decided that under conditions surrounding this road, any form temporizing with the work is impracticable. The Superintendent was instructed to estimate this job for the construction of a county road between these points, and the Board of County Road Commissioners will communicate with you further with some definite recommendations at your annual meeting in October.

Trusting that this disposition is satisfactory, we are.

Yours very truly,

Board of County Road Commissioners.

By W.H.Johnston, Chairman.

A communication from J.E.Sherman, authorizing the purchasing of forty tons of anthracite coal for heating the Sheriff's residence and Jail was read and ordered filed.

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-35.
Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., August, 28th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

Order of Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich. 1918.

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Order of Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich. 1918.

Order of Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Mich. 1918.

August, 28th, 1918.

Your County Officers Accounts Committee to whom was referred with power to act the matter of increase in salaries for the Janitor, Turnkey and Night Watchman beg leave to report that they have fixed the salaries of each at \$100.00 per month and that they further recommend that the salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Stenographers be as follows, all to take effect August 1st.

Ella M. Tincknell	\$85.00
Alice Beckman	80.00
Anna Harrington	70.00
Ruth Tincknell	70.00
Nellie Summerset	70.00

J.F. Neidhart,
 J.M. Bush,
 W.J. Wiseman,
 W.H. Trembath,
 Philip Christian
 Samuel Racine
 Fred J. Eggan,
 John Gray
 Joseph F. Labold.

The following report of the County Officers Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote.
 Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-35.
 Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendent of the Poor and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

E.A. Macdonald addressed the Board regarding the fourth Liberty Loan, and asked them to appropriate \$1000.00 to defray the expenses that will be incurred in floating said loan, with the understanding that any monies not expended would be returned to the county. It was moved and supported that the county appropriate \$1000.00 out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the above mentioned purpose.

The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote.
 Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth, and Powell, Chairman-35.
 Nays-none.

Supervisor Ewing moved that all bills incurred in the 4th Liberty Loan drive be presented to the Auditing Committee of this Board for their endorsement, before being paid. The motion was supported and carried by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bush, Christian, Collick, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Graff, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Racine, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, Wertenen, Yungbluth-27.
 Nays- Fahlstedt, Gray, Grimes, Neidhart, Perkins, VanRiper, Wiseman and Powell-8.

A request from John T. Quine, Mine Inspector that he be allowed a two weeks' vacation was granted.

It was moved and supported that the County Clerk be made custodian of the ~~County Jail, Court House and Grounds.~~
 The motion prevailed.

The Clerk was instructed to have printed some more hunting notices and see that same were posted about October 1st.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until September 25th, 1918 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Frank Jensen
 Clerk.

D. M. Powell
 Chairman.

Increase in salaries for Janitor, Turnkey and Night Watchman also bills for stenographers

Report of Co. Officers filed.

Resolution for the Liberty Loan passed

On Clerk's custody of Jail & Court House

September, 24th, 1918.

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 24th day of September, A.D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A.M.

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

The credentials of George Delbridge and Gustaa Knuttila were read and approved, and both given a seat on this Board, and assigned to the same committees as their predecessors.

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

Present: Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggan, ~~Ewing~~, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas.Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, ~~Yxxxxxxx~~ and Powell, Chairman-35.

Absent-Bellstrom, Elnes and Yungbluth-3.

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

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

Yeas- Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggan, ~~Ewing~~, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas.J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, ~~Yxxxxxxx~~ and Powell, Chairman-35.
Nays-none.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Inspectors of Jail and County Game Warden were read in part and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read and unanimously adopted, and Mr.Walker County Agricultural Agent was authorized to forward certified copies to the Members of Congress.

Increasing the number of sheep in this county is an important war and economic work. It means more food, more clothing, more prosperity for our farmers, and also will be a means of developing out cut over lands.

We believe a Federal Tax on dogs will be a big step forward in helping to remove the most serious menace to the further expansion of the sheep industry in the country, therefore be it resolved:

That we as members of the Marquette County Board of Supervisors separately and collectively, do ask the members of Congress to pass a Federal tax on dogs.

W.S.Ewing.

Miss Ostrander, from the State Board of Health, Social Service Department, addressed the Board on the subject of Venereal Diseases and asked them to employ a County Agent in this matter. It was moved, supported and carried that the Board appoint a committee of three to go over this matter with Miss Ostrander and report at the next meeting. The Chair appointed Bush, Keese and VanRiper as such committee.

Supervisor Bush, Chairman of the Committee on Parks, said that the labor situation was so bad that the Park Committee had not done the work they had intended so do this year but as soon as this situation was relieved the work would commence.

No further business appearing the board adjourned until October 14th, 1918 at 9 o'clock A.M.

Francis Jenkins
Clerk.

D.W. Powell
Chairman.

Credentials of George Delbridge and Gustaa Knuttila approved.

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Reports of County Officers

Resolution on dogs passed 24th Sept 1918

Miss Ostrander's committee appointed on the subject of Venereal Diseases

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, on Monday, the 14th day of October, A.D. 1918.

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

The roll being called the following supervisors were found to be present: Present: Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olsen, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman. 37- Absent-Bellstrom-1.

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

Secretary George Rowell, of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, addressed the Board relative to an appropriation, and it was moved, supported and carried that the Chair appoint a committee of three to fix the amount of this appropriation, and report to the Finance and Taxation Committee. The Chair appointed the following. Supervisors Ewing, Vandenboom and Nightingale.

The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Ishpeming, Mich. Sept. 26th, 1918.

Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

At the annual meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held in Ishpeming, Michigan, on September 25th, 1918, the petition relative to the Negaunee-Palmer Road together with the facts pertaining thereto, which had been collected from surveys and investigations were brought up and considered with the following disposition:

An estimate of the quantities and cost of construction shows that the cost of construction under the existing circumstances would be approximately double what it would cost under prewar conditions, that a road at all satisfactory, including grading, drainage, structures, and a light gravel surface would cost more than \$10,000.00 per mile: that the material requirements cover several items on which there is now an embargo because of their necessity for war purposes, and several other items on which there will probably be an embargo in the near future, and that the use of these items would probably not be permissible or patriotic. Therefore, it was decided not to build this road the coming season.

The Board further recognizes that this road needs to be maintained in a condition as near fit for public traffic as is possible under existing circumstances. They, therefore have added to their determination for next year's taxes, the sum of \$2,500.00. This money is to be used in doing such work as will make a reasonably passable roadway on the existing road and for the maintenance of such roadway, without an attempt to in anyway construct the road according to any definite standard of cross-section or to profile.

They further desire to report that after levying and raising such taxes and receipt thereof in the office of the County Treasurer, they will adopt the existing road and carry it in the maintenance division of the county road system.

Trusting that the above disposition of the matter will be satisfactory, we are,

Yours very truly,

Board of County Road Commissioners,

By W.H.Johnston, Chairman.

A communication was read from the Secretary of the State Association of Supervisors giving the dates of the next meeting (Feb'y 11th-12th & 13th-1919) and asking that delegate be appointed to attend and it was moved, supported and carried that the Chair appoint two Supervisors to act with him as delegates to this meeting. The Chair appointed Supervisors Bush and Wiseman.

The report of Inspection of Boilers was read and ordered filed.

The following communication was read, and it was moved and supported that the request be granted. The same was carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 19, 1918.

Board of County Supervisors,

Marquette, Mich.

Gentlemen:-

Some time ago you allowed the County Food Administration \$150.00 to cover necessary expenses in connection with the Food Work. There is still a balance left on this amount of \$51.05, as per attached copy of report of A.F.Jacques.

We estimate we will need \$200.00 additional to cover necessary expenses of sugar cards, printing of fruit pit cards and other printing and incidental expenses.

Trusting that you will grant us this amount, I am,

Yours very truly,

F.B.Spear, Marquette County Food Admr.

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*Committee on Appropriation
H. B. Rowan*

*Board of
County Road
Com. Negaunee Road*

*This Assoc
Supervisors State
Meeting*

*Appropriation
County Food
Administration*

October, 14th, 1918.

The following communications were read and in compliance with the same it was moved and supported that an appropriation of \$1400.00 be made out of any moneys in the hands of the Treasurer not otherwise appropriated. the motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggan, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olsen, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

Mr. K. I. Sawyer,
Ishpeming, Mich.

There are two places along the County Road that drift so badly during the winter that it is almost impossible to keep them open. One is at the top of the Morgan Hill on our Negaunee side, the other is just east of the Orphanage farm. Will you please see what can be done about getting a good snow fence at these two places before the snow comes and very much oblige,

Yours very truly,

Chas. L. Finch.

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

Gentlemen:-

A letter of which the attached is a copy was received by the undersigned.

This letter refers to points on the Negaunee-Marquette Road located, one at the head of Lover's Lane or starting about 500 feet west of Vandenboom's Park and running 1300 feet westerly through a low cut, the other being the cut on the county road westerly from the Morgan Creek bridge and on the grade known as "Morgan Hill."

To protect the stretches mentioned would require approximately 2000 lineal feet of snow fence, which would cost \$1000.00 for stationary fence made on posts set in the ground of \$1400.00 for scissors or portable fence, which could be piled up in the summer and not appear unsightly.

As you are aware, no appropriations are made to the County Road Commission for snow work. In order to do this work, it will therefore, be necessary to make an appropriation for this fencing.

The undersigned has consulted with the Chairman of the County Road Commission and desires to advise, that in our opinion this is a desirable improvement, that will make the road more usable in the winter time, and that if your Board sees fit to make the appropriation and put the same subject to order of the County Road Commission, they will gladly undertake to do the work.

Yours respectfully,

K. I. Sawyer,
Superintendent.

The following communication was read and upon motion duly made and seconded and unanimously carried, Mr. Handford was elected as Superintendent of the Poor, First District for the ensuing three years.

October, 14th, 1918.

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

I hereby make application for the position of Superintendent of the Poor for the First District.

If appointed I will faithfully fulfill the duties of the position to the best of my ability.

Thanking you in advance for the position, I remain.

Yours respectfully,

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

Supervisor Ewing moved that J. H. Kaye, be re-elected to the office of School Examiner, the motion was seconded and carried.

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

Auditor General's Department.

To the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette:

Sir: You are hereby notified that a State Tax has been apportioned to the several Counties of the State according to the last returns of the aggregate valuation of Taxable property therein made to this office, and as equalized and determined by the State Board of Equalization at their session in August, 1916.

to Appropriation
1400.00 for
County Road Comm.

Mr. Handford
elected Super of Poor

J. H. Kaye
re-elected

October, 14th, 1918.

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

University of Michigan-Sec.1,Act 303,1907	Col.No.2	17,550.00
University of Michigan-Sec.2,Act 203, 1897	Col.No.3	50.14
University of Michigan-Sec.29,Act 105,1915	" " 4	225.64
University of Michigan-Sec.3,Act 96,1917	" " 5	2,925.00
Michigan Agricultural College-Sec.1,Act 114,1915	" " 6	9,360.00
Michigan Agricultural College-Sec.5,Act 246,1895	" " 7	16.71
Michigan State Normal College-Sec.6,Act 204,1913	" " 8	1,671.43
Michigan State Normal College-Sec.4,Act 115,1917	" " 9	3,936.22
Central Michigan Normal School-Sec.5,Act 378,1917	" " 10	1,721.57
Northern State Normal School-Sec.4,Act 381,1917	" " 11	1,404.00
Western State Normal School-Sec.5,Act 107,1915	" " 12	1,337.14
Western State Normal School-Sec.4,Act 371,1917	" " 13	3,133.93
Michigan College of Mines-Sec.4, Act 374, 1917	" " 14	1,215.13
Kalamazoo State Hospital-Sec.4, Act 380, 1917	" " 15	151.23
Michigan State Prison-Sec.4,Act 57, 1917	" " 16	2,005.72
Michigan Reformatory- Section 5, Act 202, 1917	" " 17	1,671.43
The Industrial School for Boys- Sec.5, Act 108, 1917	" " 18	2,540.57
The State Industrial Home for Girls- Sec.4,Act 377, 1917	" " 19	1,671.43
Michigan Soldier's Home- Sec.3, Act 56, 1917	" " 20	3,760.71
Michigan School for the Blind-Sec.4,Act 386, 1917	" " 21	1,069.72
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind-Sec.4, Act 363,1917	" " 22	585.00
Michigan School for the Deaf-Sec.5,Act 385, 1917	" " 23	1,755.00
State Public School-Sec.4,Act 124,1917	" " 24	1,086.43
Michigan Farm Colony for Epileptic Persons-Sec.4,Act 383,1917	" " 25	1,287.34
Michigan Home and Training School-Sec.4,Act 372,1917	" " 26	1,103.14
State Sanatorium-Sec.4,Act 376, 1917	" " 27	668.57
State Board of Fish Commissioners-Sec.5,Act 119, 1917	" " 28	974.59
Upper Peninsula Fish Hatchery-Sec.4,Act 248,1917	" " 29	41.79
Michigan State Library-Sec.5,Act 81, 1917	" " 30	167.14
State Board of Library Commissioners- Sec. 3, Act 242, 1917	" " 31	91.93
Michigan State Library-Sec.6,Act 120, 1917	" " 32	41.79
Michigan State Library- Sec. 3, Act 283, 1917	" " 33	25.07
Michigan Historical Commission- Sec. 10, Act 192, 1917	" " 34	250.71
State Board of Health-Sec.5, Act 164, 1915	" " 35	125.36
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 164,1915	" " 36	66.86
State Board of Health-Sec.5,Act 293, 1909	" " 37	337.19
Mackinac Island State Park Commission-Sec.4,Act 382,1917	" " 38	99.45
State Office Building-Sec.4, Act 241, 1917	" " 39	3,342.56
Industrial Accident Board-Sec.7, Act 235, 1917	" " 40	1,170.00
Rural Agricultural Schools-Sec.18,Act 226,1917	" " 41	167.14
County Achools of Ahriculture-Sec.10,Act 12,1913	" " 42	133.71
State Board of Geological Survey-Sec.4,Act 361,1917	" " 43	417.86
State Board of Geological Survey-Soil Survey-Sec.9, Act 373,1917	" " 44	752.14
State Hingway Department-Sec.19,Act 177,1917	" " 45	585.00
State Highway Department-Sec.2,Act 169,1917	" " 46	11,700.00
State Highway Department-Federal Aided Roads-Sec.8,Act 99,1917	" " 47	3,760.71
War Loan Sinking Fund-Sec.7,Act 97,1917	" " 48	4,178.57
Department of Labor-Sec.37,Act 98,1917	" " 49	1,086.43
Food and Drug Commissioner-Sec.15,Act 263,1917	" " 50	579.81
Salary of Superintendent of Public Instruction-Sec.2,Act 9,1909	" " 51	66.86
Salary Dep.Supt.Public Instruction and Assistants-Sec.2,Act 22,1917	" " 52	111.99
Public Domain Commission-Sec.16,Act 151,1917	" " 53	2,381.79
Michigan National Guard-Sec.78,Act 157,1915	" " 54	3,053.05
Michigan National Guard-Sec.2,Act 7,2nd Extra Session of 1912	" " 55	501.43
Michigan Naval Brigade-Sec.36,Act 149,1917	" " 56	939.40
Flint Armory-Sec.4,Act 197,1917	" " 57	501.43
Agricultural Fair Commission-Sec.3,Act 140,1917	" " 58	835.71
Salaries and Exp. Inheritance Tax Examiners-Sec.19,Act 336,1917	" " 59	166.82
Salaries and Exp. Sen'y of Senate, Clerk of House-Sec.3,Act 367,1917	" " 60	110.31
Salaries of Supreme Court Clerks-Sec.47,Act 375,1917	" " 61	175.02
Salary of Supreme Court Crier and Assistant-Sec.44,Act 314,1915	" " 62	48.47
Joint Penology Commission-Sec.15,Act 265,1913	" " 63	33.43
Salaries and Exp. State Tax Commissioners-Sec.2,Act 331, 1913	" " 64	200.77
Michigan State Training School for Women-Sec.16,Act 259,1917	" " 65	835.71
Michigan Budget Commission of Inquiry-Sec.7,Act 193,1917	" " 66	167.14
Tax for Prisons-Current Expense-Sec.2,Act 150,1917	" " 67	1,404.00
Tax for State Hospitals-Current Expense-Sec.2,Act 30,1917	" " 68	24,594.67
Tax for General Purposes-Sec.1,Act 29, 1917	" " 69	22,110.08
Total State Tax	" " 70	152,237.39

You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your County at their Session in October, 1918.

Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice.

Very Respectfully, Oramel B.Fuller, Auditor General.

State Tax apportionment

October, 14th, 1918.

Report Co. Road Commissioners

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

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette, State of Michigan, Held in Ishpeming, Michigan, September, 25th, 1918, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette, that it be and is hereby determined that the amount of tax to be raised in the County Road Fund in this County for the year 1918, and spread on the assessment rolls of the townships and cities of the County for the said year, be and the same is fixed at and determined at the sum of Sixty-eight thousand (\$68,000.00) Dollars, to be expended in accordance with the following estimates to-wit:

Administration and Engineering		\$ 7,500.00
Maintenance:		
Patrol, drag and extra gang	\$ 28,500.00	
Bituminous	<u>6,000.00</u>	34,500.00
Barron-Mine-Lake Laurie Pitlet		8,000.00
Turin County Line		2,000.00
Yalmer-Nelson Creek		7,500.00
Gravel Pits		2,000.00
Equipment & Equipment Repairs		1,500.00
Hill & Snell, account of extra costs arising from war		2,500.00
Negaunee-Palmer Road		<u>2,500.00</u>
Total.		\$68,000.00

Respectfully submitted,
W.H. Johnston, Chairman.

Marquette, Mich. Oct. 14th, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

We have the honor herewith, to submit our annual report of receipts and disbursements also other matters of interest pertaining to transactions of the Board during the year ending September 30th, 1918.

Receipts.

Amount appropriated	\$ 65,000.00
Cash paid Co. Treas. 1st Dist.	662.36
Cash paid Co. Treas. 2nd Dist.	25.00
Cash paid Co. Treas. 2nd Dist. (Whennin Est.)	1,483.85
Amount overdrawn	<u>1,621.17</u>
	\$68,792.38

Disbursements.

Orders drawn favor of 1st Dist.	6,458.13
Orders drawn favor of 2nd Dist.	33,273.24
Orders drawn favor of 3rd Dist.	9,364.81
Orders drawn favor of Poor Farm	4,692.48
Amount overdrawn for years ending Sept. 30, 1916 and 1917 respectively	<u>5,003.72</u>
	\$68,792.38

Eighty-eight persons have been inmates of the County House at different times during the year and, fourteen hundred forty-three persons have received temporary aid during the year.

Owing to the extreme high cost of living and the advance in cost of fuel and labor and to the fact that we had overdrawn five thousand three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$5,003.72) the two previous years, your superintendents regret that we end the year with a deficit of sixteen hundred twenty-one dollars and seventeen cents (\$1,621.17). We do not think it wise to ask for less than sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000.00) with which amount we hope to be able to care for the indigent poor also the hospital and doctor bills and to cover the deficit of the past year.

Therefore, we request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000.00) as relief for the Poor of Marquette County for the ensuing year.

We note the following supplies on hand at the County Farm Sept. 30th, 1918, estimated viz:

40 ton hay and oat straw: 5 ton cornstalks: 40 bu. parsnips: 20 bu. beets: 15 bu. carrots: 5 bu. turnips: 375 bu. potatoes: 400 head cabbage: 200 head celery, and 1,800 cord of 16 inch wood.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H.F. Handford,
Secty. Supts. of Poor, Marquette County.

Report of Supts. of Poor

October, 14th, 1918.

Marquette, Mich. Oct. 1st, 1918.

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

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with Act No.96 of the session laws of 1849 , as amended by Act No. 177, of the Public Acts of 1891: the Marquette County Agricultural Society, by its President and Secretary, petition your Honorable body to levy the tax authorized by law, viz: 1/10 of one mill: or such proportion thereof as you may deem equitable for the maintenance of said society and we especially urge that you be as liberal as you conscientiously can.

The undersigned President and Secretary, of said society, do hereby certify that the sum of one hundred and fifty-one (\$151.00) dollars has been raised from the sale of memberships for the current year and used for the promotion of the objects of said society.

John D.Mangum, President.

W.A.Ross, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Notary Public, in and for Marquette County, Michigan, this--- day of October A.D. 1918.

Elsie M. Dupius,
Notary Public.

My commission expires February 11, 1920.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

John D.Mangum, President.

W.A.Ross, Secretary.

Office of Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 1st, 1919.

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

Gentlemen:-

In compliance with the provisions of Sec.5 of Acts 253 of the Public Acts of 1895, we have the honor to submit herewith our annual report of receipts and disbursements for the year ending Sept.30th, 1918.

RECEIPTS.

Bal. on hand Oct. 1,1917	\$ 425.02
Appropriation	1,200.00
	\$1,625.02

DISBURSEMENTS

Orders drawn on County Treas. Nos. 1698 to 1826, both incl.	1,306.90
Bal. on hand Oct. 1, 1918.	\$ 318.12

The demand on this fund has been as large this year as during any previous year and will be fully as large the coming year, as the old soldiers and soldier's widows are all or most of them, between seventy-five and eighty years of age and every added year leaves them less able to assist themselves.

Every request for relief from this fund has been fully investigated and this money has been used as the law intended it should be and to the best of our judgment.

Therefore we consider it your duty to respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1200.00) as a fund for the relief of the old veterans and the widows of veterans during the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ed.C.Anthony,

Chairman Soldiers' Relief Comm.

Cortland E.Moore, Secretary Soldier's Relief Com.

Statement of Rejected Taxes for the Year ending June, 30,1918.

Received from the Auditor General.

Township	State Tax.	Co. Road Tax	County Tax	Total
Champion	6.17	3.05	6.72	15.94
Chocolate	1.69	.36	.84	2.89
Ely	4.67	.55	1.56	6.78
Forsyth	36.48	18.00	45.93	100.41
Humboldt	.78	.43	.98	2.19
Ishpeming	1.14	.55	1.31	3.00
Ishpeming City	1.09			1.09
Marquette City	34.92	12.22	33.62	80.76

Report of Marquette County Agricultural Society

Soldiers Relief Report.

October, 14th, 1918.

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Township Continued	State Tax	Co. Road Tax	County Tax	Total
Marquette	7.49	1.02	2.49	11.00
Michigamme	.38	.13	.36	.87
Negaunee City	4.84	2.03	4.85	11.72
Negaunee	3.21	.81	2.55	6.57
Powell	10.74	2.08	6.21	19.03
Republic	3.51	.44	1.34	5.29
Richmond	3.49	.13	.29	3.91
Sands	3.00	.29	.78	4.07
Skandia	4.40	.34	.98	5.72
Tilden	9.65	2.18	6.96	18.79
Turin	14.42	2.54	7.15	24.11
Wells	18.53	1.75	4.91	25.19
	\$170.60	\$48.90	\$129.83	\$349.33
General Fund on Account of Errors				
City of Marquette	22.17	14.27	12.89	
Forsyth	.02		.02	
Sands	.18	.11	.23	
	\$192.97	\$53.28	\$142.97	

October 1, 1918.

Albert Bjork
County Treasurer.

*Request for
appropriations*

Requests for Donations were made by the Michigan Hospital School, Michigan Children's Home Society, Holy Family Orphanage of Marquette, and the Good Will Farm, and it was moved, supported and carried that the Chair appoint a special committee of three in this matter who will report at this meeting of the Board. The Chair appointed the following. Supervisors Stickney, Perkins and Trembath.

The following communications was read and referred to the Committee on salaries. The Chair appointing as such Committee, Supervisors Keese, Bush and Graff.

Marquette, Mich. Oct. 12, 1918.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

I respectfully petition your honorable body to increase the salary of the office of sheriff of this county commencing Jan. 1, 1919.

In the past the compensation of the office of Sheriff has consisted largely in the amount paid him by the County for board of prisoners. As a result of the prohibition laws there are practically no prisoners confined in the county jail excepting prisoners held for trial, and the revenue formerly received by the Sheriff from this source has been largely done away with. I respectfully request you to look into the facts and grant the office such an increase as you deem reasonable.

Yours very truly,
William Newcombe,
Sheriff.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 14, 1918.

Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

Gentlemen:-

I respectfully ask your honorable body to allow my office the sum of one hundred dollars, per month, for clerk hire, in addition to the present amount allotted for that purpose.

Comparison of the current report with those of previous years shows a marked decrease in the fees of this office. It would be impossible to discuss this subject intelligently within the confines of this communication, but I trust your honorable body will appoint a special committee to look into the matter with whom I would be pleased to discuss every detail.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles S. Thoren,
Register of Deeds and Official County Abstractor.

Moved, supported and carried that a recess be taken until 11:30 o'clock A.M.

Upon reconvening at 11:30 o'clock A.M. the Committee on Finance and Taxation made the following report which was read and adopted and referred back to the same Committee for apportionment, by the following yeas and nays vote.

Recess

Yeas- Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Knuttla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olson, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairman 37.

Nays-none.

October, 14th, 1918.

Marquette, Michigan.

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

Gentlemen:-

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

State Tax		\$ 152,237.39
County Tax		
General Fund	\$ 120,000.00	
Poor Fund	67,000.00	
Soldier's relief fund	1,200.00	
Marquette Agricultural Society	3,000.00	
Agricultural tax-Act 83 P.A. of 1913	1,500.00	
County Parks Purchase	1,000.00	193,700.00
County Road Tax		\$ 68,000.00
Total		\$ 413,937.39

Respectfully submitted,

H.S. Nightingale,
Chairman.

The Committee on Equalization made the following report which was read, adopted and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation by the following ye and nay vote.
Yeas- Anderson, Bruce, Bush, Christian, Collick, Delbridge, Eggen, Elnes, Ewing, Fahlstedt, Graff, Gray, Grimes, Huhtala, Johnson, Chas., Johnson, Chas. J., Keese, Kulin, Knutla, Labold, Libby, Mason, Matthews, Neidhart, Nightingale, Olds, Olsen, Perkins, Stanaway, Stickney, Trembath, Vandenboom, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Powell, Chairmen-37.
Nays-none.

Whereas, the board of supervisors have examined the Assessment rolls of the several townships and cities of the County, to ascertain whether the relative valuation of the real property in the respective townships and cities has been equalled and uniformly estimated.
Whereas, in their judgment it has not been so uniformly and equally estimated, therefore.

Resolved, that the valuation of the real property of said townships and cities be, and the same is hereby equalized by adding to or deducting from the valuation of the taxable property of each township or city such sums as in our judgment will produce relatively an equal and uniform valuation of the real property of the county, which sums so determined by us are entered in the following table in the 5th and 6th columns thereof, respectively, opposite the names of such townships and cities, respectively. And that the aggregate valuation of taxable real and personal property of each township and city in said county as determined and equalized by us, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name and township or city,

A.J. Yungbluth, Chairman.

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

City or Township	Real Estate as assessed	Personal property as assessed.	Total Valuation as assessed	Amount deducted	Total Valuation as Equalized.
Marquette City	\$ 8,089,135	\$ 2,958,709	\$11,047,844	\$ 2,209,844	\$ 8,838,000
Ishpeming City	10,468,543	4,315,161	14,783,704	2,958,704	11,825,000
Negaunee City	14,699,636	3,248,659	17,948,295	3,589,295	14,359,000
Champion Twp.	926,573	158,437	1,085,010	217,010	868,000
Chocoley Twp.	451,530	22,600	474,130	95,130	379,000
Ely Twp.	1,042,146	433,007	1,475,153	295,153	1,180,000
Forsyth Twp.	2,083,010	860,000	2,943,010	583,010	2,360,000
Humboldt Twp.	267,445	70,125	337,570	87,570	250,000
Ishpeming Twp.	1,484,641	363,794	1,848,435	365,435	1,483,000
Michigamme Twp.	526,020	30,475	556,495	111,495	445,000
Marquette Twp.	358,150	73,100	431,250	86,250	345,000
Negaunee Twp.	129,150	41,885	171,035	34,035	137,000
Republic Twp.	1,029,611	373,615	1,403,226	280,226	1,123,000
Richmond Twp.	665,695	206,985	872,680	174,680	698,000
Sands Twp.	231,370	48,455	279,825	55,825	224,000
Skandia Twp.	667,395	26,250	693,645	138,645	555,000
Turin Twp.	625,250	2,600	627,850	125,850	502,000
Tilden Twp.	1,793,385	119,825	1,913,210	382,210	1,531,000
West Branch Twp.	402,710	3,300	406,010	81,010	225,000
Wells Twp.	652,015	21,397	673,412	134,413	539,000
Powell Twp.	1,206,525	272,100	1,478,625	295,625	1,183,000
Total.	47,879,935	\$13,650,479	\$61,530,414	\$12,305,414	\$49,225,000

Report of Finance & Taxation Committee

Report of Equalization Committee