

November, 13th, 1925.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Wednesday the 11th day of November, A.D. 1925.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Frank E. Keese.

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

Present: Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-35.

Absent- Hurley, Joki, Orr and Sherwood-4.

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

A communication from the Department of Conservation was read and ordered filed.

The report of Boiler Inspectors was read and ordered filed.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-35.

Nays-none.

The reports of the County Treasurer, Morgan Heights Sanitarium and Inspector of Jails were read in part and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of the County Game Wardens were read and ordered filed.

The audit of the dockets of the Justice of the Peace of this County made by Morrison and Johnston was read and ordered filed.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 16th day of December, A.D. 1925, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

Frank E. Keese
Chairman.

Francis Jensen
Clerk.

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Report on
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THIS AGREEMENT, made this 30th day of November, A. D. 1925, by and between The Champion Iron Company, a Michigan corporation, hereinafter called the Lessor, of the one part, and the County of Marquette in the State of Michigan, hereinafter called the Lessee, of the second part, WITNESSETH:

That the Lessor, for and in consideration of the rents, conditions, covenants and obligations hereinafter contained to be kept and performed by the Lessee, does hereby let, lease and demise unto the Lessee the surface only of those parts of the Southwest quarter of Section Thirty (30) and the North half of Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Thirty-One (31) in Township Forty-Six (46) North of Range Twenty-Nine (29) West in Marquette County, Michigan, containing approximately twelve (12) acres, and bounded by the red lines on the map or plat hereto attached, marked "Exhibit A" and hereby made a part hereof, and hereinafter referred to as said premises, subject to all rights of way and other public or private easements over and across said premises.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said premises unto the Lessee for and during the term of five (5) years from the first day of December, 1925, or until this lease is sooner terminated as hereinafter provided for the following use and purposes, viz: to improve, maintain and use said premises as part of a County Public Park, and for such use and purpose only, for a rental of one dollar per year payable in advance on the first day of December in each year during the continuance of this lease, and upon and subject to all and singular the following terms, conditions, exceptions, reservations and obligations, to each of which the Lessee, in consideration of the foregoing demise, hereby agrees, to-wit:

The Lessor hereby reserves all iron ores and other ores and minerals in or under said premises, together with the right at any time to explore for, mine and remove the same as though this demise had not been made and the Lessee agrees not to make any claim against the Lessor, or any person or corporation operating by agreement with or consent of the Lessor, for damages on account of any exploring, mining or other operations or business upon, under or adjacent to said premises, whether such damages shall occur by reason of the subsidence, caving or removal of the surface of said premises or from any other cause or causes.

The Lessor hereby reserves the right at any time to terminate this lease by giving to the Lessee six (6) months written notice to that effect, which may be served by delivering a copy thereof to the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Marquette, or by mailing the same by registered mail addressed to such Chairman at Marquette, Michigan; and this lease and all rights and privileges hereby denied shall absolutely terminate six (6) months after the service of any such notice, without any further act or proceeding, judicial or otherwise.

The Lessee shall pay promptly and before delinquency all taxes and assessments, general or special, that may be levied or assessed upon said premises, and upon any building, structure or other property at any time placed or permitted thereon by the Lessee, for the year 1926 and all subsequent years during the continuance of this lease, including the year in which this lease may expire or be terminated, and to furnish the Lessor duplicate tax receipts for all such taxes when paid; and shall protect said premises and all buildings, structures and other property thereon from all mechanics', laborers' or other liens and liens of the title thereto free and clear from all clouds or encumbrances in any way arising from such liens or from its use or occupancy thereof.

It is covenanted and agreed by the Lessee that it shall keep and premises and all improvements thereon or appurtenant thereto in good repair and in a safe, clean and respectable condition; that it shall not use said premises, or any part thereof, for any purpose not the same to be used for any purpose other than that hereinbefore stated; that it shall not grant any concessions for the erection of buildings or other structures of any character, that shall not be limited in term to one season and also be terminable upon short notice not exceeding thirty (30) days; the Lessee may clear away the underbrush on said premises, but it shall not cut or remove any timber, any trees or persons to cut or damage any trees or growing timber thereon; and that any and all buildings or other structures that may be erected thereon by the Lessee shall be such as may be readily removed on or before the termination of this lease, as hereinbefore provided.

The Lessee covenants and agrees during the continuance of this lease to promptly remove all garbage, refuse and debris that may accumulate upon said premises, and to keep the same at all times in a neat, clean and respectable condition, to keep the walks, roads and passageways upon, contiguous or appurtenant to said premises in good repair and, generally, in the use and care of said premises, to comply in every respect with all laws, ordinances and requirements of any officer or other authority having control or jurisdiction over said premises, so as to relieve the Lessor during the continuance of this lease from all obligations in any way arising from the ownership of said premises.

The Lessee covenants and agrees to indemnify and save the Lessor harmless from any and every claim, demand and cause of action made or brought by reason of any act or alleged default or imperfection in any sidewalk, road or passageway upon, contiguous or appurtenant to said premises or any building, structure or improvement at any time thereon or by reason of any failure to repair any such walks, buildings, structures or improvements or by reason of any actual or alleged act or omission of the Lessee, or any of its officers, agents, servants or contractors, in the use of said premises or in doing anything hereby permitted or required to be done, or on account of any loss of life or health or other injury, whether avoidable or not; that may in any way be due or be alleged to be due to the use or occupancy of said premises under this lease or to any act or omission of the Lessee whatsoever; it being understood that the Lessor assumes no risk and shall be under no additional obligation of liability whatsoever by reason of having made this lease.

If and whenever the Lessee shall cease to use said premises for the purposes aforesaid, or shall use the same, or any part thereof, for any other purpose, or shall fail to keep and perform any of the covenants or conditions herein contained, then and in every such event the Lessor may at its option forthwith declare this lease terminated by giving to said Lessee thirty (30) days notice in writing of its intention, so to do which may be served by mailing the same by registered mail addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County at Marquette, Michigan; and this lease and all rights and privileges hereby denied shall absolutely terminate thirty (30) days after the service of any such notice, without any further act or proceeding, judicial or otherwise.

The Lessee may at any time terminate and surrender this lease by executing a writ of replevin and by removing the buildings, structures and other property from said premises and surrendering possession thereof as hereinafter provided.

On or before the termination of this lease in any manner the Lessee shall, at its own cost and expense, remove from said premises any and all buildings, structures and other property thereon and quietly and peacefully restore and surrender possession of said premises to the Lessor in as good condition as they now are, in default whereof the Lessor may forthwith re-enter said premises, with or without process of law, premises, with and all persons occupying the same, using such force as may be necessary to do so, appropriate to its own use, and at its option remove any and all buildings, structures and other property remaining thereon and dispose thereof as it may desire, restore said premises to the condition in which they now are and repossess and enjoy the same as before this demise without prejudice to any remedy that might otherwise be used for breach of any of the agreements herein contained; and the Lessee shall pay promptly all costs and expenses of any such re-entry, removal or restoration.

It is expressly agreed that this instrument contains the whole of the agreement made between the parties hereto with respect to said premises and that no employee, agent, superintendent or officer of the Lessor, except its President or Vice President, has any authority to waive or modify any of the terms of this agreement and that no modification hereof shall be binding upon the Lessor unless it be made by an agreement in writing signed by its President or Vice President.

This agreement and all the terms, conditions and obligations hereof shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of the parties hereto; but the Lessee shall not assign this lease, nor sublet said premises, nor any part thereof, without the written consent of the Lessor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties who have duly executed this instrument duplicate on the day and year first above set.

THE CHAMPION IRON COMPANY,
By W. J. OLCOTT, President,
GEO. D. SWIFT, Secretary,
COUNTY OF MARQUETTE,
By F. R. KESSE,
Chairman of its Board of Supervisors,
FRANK G. JENKS, County Clerk.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F.E.Keese.

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

Present- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, F.J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-35.

Absent- Graff, Joki, Sherwood and Vanna-4.

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

An agreement between the Champion Iron Company, and the County of Marquette for lease of land for County Park at Champion Beach was read, the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the following ye and nay vote.

Yeas-Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower,
Eggen, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J.,
Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant
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Nays-none.

Resolutions Accepting Lease of the Champion Iron Company for Public Park.

Whereas, the County of Marquette desires a lease of the surface of a certain tract of land for public park purposes and for such purpose only; and

Whereas, the Champion Iron Company offers to lease to the County those parts of the Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter (SE₄ of SW₄) of Section Thirty (30) and of the North half of Northwest quarter (N₂ of NW₄) of Section Thirty-One (31) in Township Forty-Eight (48) North of Range Twenty-nine (29) West in Marquette County, Michigan, containing twelve (12) acres, more or less, and bounded by the red lines on the plat attached to the draft of lease proposed to be entered into by and between said Company and the County which is dated November 30, 1925, and has been presented and read in full at the meeting; and

Whereas, said parcel of land is suitable for said purpose; the terms, conditions, reservations and obligations contained in said draft of lease are satisfactory and it is considered advisable that said lease be accepted and that said land be used in a manner consistent with all the provisions of said lease;

Therefore, Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette that the County acquire the right to use said land for Public Park purposes from The Champion Iron Company by lease in the form aforesaid, which lease is hereby approved and accepted; and the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and the County Clerk are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute and deliver the said lease, in duplicate, in the name and on behalf of the County; and thereupon and upon the execution and delivery thereof by The Champion Iron Company, the County shall be bound by all the terms, conditions, reservations and obligations therein contained:

Resolved, Further, that a copy of said agreement, which is dated November 30, 1925, be spread upon the minutes of this meeting as a part of these resolutions.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-35.
Nays-none.

The following report of Special Committee was read and ordered filed:

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December, 16th, 1925.

Gwinn, Mich., December 11th, 1925.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on County Game Wardens submit herewith the November reports of Edward Farm, Arvid Erickson and Lawrence Blaney.

During the month of November, County Game Warden Farm made two arrests, the fines and costs amounting to \$90.50. County Game Warden Erickson made one arrest, the fine and costs amounting to \$123.00. In addition to the arrests and convictions, the county wardens searched a large number of cars in an effort to detect violations of the law, and also visited all the deer camps in the territory which they have patrolled.

The county is so large that it is difficult, even with the three extra county wardens added to the force of state wardens, to adequately patrol and prevent all violations. There is no question in the minds of your committee but that the cost to the county for their special game wardens was well justified in the results which have been obtained. I have a letter from the Director of Conservation commending the county very highly for its efforts to protect game by appointing special wardens to act during the hunting season.

It is hoped that this county will continue to have special wardens to help the State wardens during the months of September, October and November.

Respectfully submitted,
 W.W. Graff, Chairman.
 Charles Vincent,
 Peter Gummerson,
 Committee.

The report of J.E. Tobin, Jr., Auditor of the Special Jail Construction Fund was read and ordered filed. And it was also moved and supported that the balance, \$3,224.79 of this Fund on hand be retained in this account for stuccoing the Sheriff's residence and other necessary repairs or improvements during the season of 1926, which may be authorized by this Board. The motion prevailed by the following yeas and nays vote. Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Campbell, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, F.J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-35. Nays-none.

The reports of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Superintendents of the Poor and the Marquette County Agricultural Society were read and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of the County Game Wardens were read and ordered filed.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 20th day of January, A.D. 1925, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

F. E. Keese
 Chairman.

Francis Jones
 Clerk.

*Report filed
 on Special Jail
 Construction
 Fund.*

*Motion that
 balance in acct.
 be used to
 stucco the
 Sheriff's
 residence.*

January, 20th, 1926.

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 20th January, A.D. 1926.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Frank E. Keese.

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

Present: Anderson, Aho, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggen, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson Frank J., Joki, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-37.

Absent- Campbell and Hurley-2.

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

A communication and receipt from the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau acknowledging the check of \$2,000.00, appropriation to the association by Marquette County was read and ordered filed.

Copies of the resolutions passed by Allegan, Iron, Mason and Washtenaw Counties relative to the call for a special session of the State Legislature to repudiate the State Reward debts owing the various counties and townships on reward roads that were constructed previous to the appeal of the State Reward Law were read and ordered filed.

The following communication was read and it was moved by Supervisor Johnson that the Doctor's salary be fixed at \$40.00 per month from January 1st, 1926. The Doctor to furnish as heretofore all medicines and dressings. The motion was seconded and carried by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggen, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Joki, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-37.

Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., January 18, 1926.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,

Marquette County, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Subject- "Salary of Jail Physician."

From time immemorial or pre-war days at least, the salary of Jail Physician, which provides for medical and minor surgical care of Jail inmates, and furnishing of necessary medicines and surgical dressings, has been twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) a month.

Medical supplies and dressings have cost (with physicians' discount) between five (5) to ten (10) dollars per month. The work has more than doubled since prohibition legislation with a notable increase in the number of Venereal cases treated.

This salary has also provided for daily visits to patients who had to be removed to the hospital for serious troubles, and there have been quite a number of such patients.

In view of these facts, it is my request that the salary be increased to an amount of adequate compensation for such services rendered.

Respectfully,

F. McD. Harkin, M. D.

Marquette, Michigan.

A communication from the State Association of Supervisors fixing the date of their 1926 annual meeting and requesting that a delegate from this Board be elected to attend was read. Supervisor Yungbluth moved that Supervisor Wiseman be named as such delegate with his expenses to be paid by the County, and that John M. Bush be also named as a delegate no expenses allowed. The motion was duly seconded and carried by the following yea and nay vote.

*Rept. to
communication
from Co. Jail
Physician
to be read
to the Board*

*Communication
Re. dates of
annual meeting
of State Assoc.
of Supervisors
- by Wiseman
- no delegate*

January 20th, 1926.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Joki, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.

Not Voting-Sherwood-1.

A communication from Supervisor Chenhall, asking that the road from Republic to Humboldt be plowed was read and as this matter is now being taken care of the communication was ordered filed.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Joki, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-37.

The reports of the Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanitarium, County Agricultural Agent and County Treasurer were read and ordered filed.

From resolutions which have been passed by the Board and requests that have been allowed by the Auditing Committee the several amounts to be paid the County officials for the use of their cars per year are as follows:

Sheriff	\$600.00
Agricultural Agent	600.00
Demonstration Agent	400.00
School Commissioner	400.00

On motion of Supervisor Graff the following resolution was read and adopted.

Be it resolved, that \$839.36 being the amount received by this county for taxes on tax homestead and state swamp lands, as provided by Act 116, Public Acts of 1917, be expended for new constructions and that the County Treasurer is hereby instructed to place this money to the credit of the County Road Fund.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 24th day of February A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

Francis J. J...
Clerk.

F. E. Keese
Chairman.

Money paid to Co. officers for use of cars.

Resolution to credit money to Co. Road Fund received for taxes on tax homestead and state swamp lands.

February, 24th, 1926.

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 February, A.D. 1926.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F.E. Keese.

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

Present: Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-37.
Absent- Campbell, Joki and Vanna-3.

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

A communication from the Bureau of Animal Industry was read and ordered filed.

The following communication and request was read and upon motion duly made and seconded the request was granted the date to be fixed later.

Ishpeming, Mich., February 1, 1926.

Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- At the last meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners the undersigned was directed to request that your Committee on County Roads and Bridges and the Chairman of your Board to meet with the Board of County Road Commissioners to consider the procedure under Act 202. This is the Act which provides for co-operation between Townships and Counties in the matter of construction of Township Highways.

The Board of County Road Commissioners have several matters pertaining to same which they desire to take up with your Committee and request that they be authorized to meet with the Commissioners at a date convenient to both Boards preferably in the very near future.

Yours truly,

K.I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

Communication from Hon. O.B. Fuller relative to Morgan Heights Sanitarium appropriation was read and ordered filed.

A request from the Prosecuting Attorney, Thomas Clancey, that he be allowed additional compensation for Clerk hire was read and it was moved by Supervisor Johnson that he be allowed an \$600.00 a year for clerk hire. The motion was duly seconded and prevailed by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-37.

Nays-none.

The following petition was read and it was moved and supported that the request of the petitioners be granted. It was carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-37.

Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:- On behalf of the residents of Richmond and Forsyth Townships, we request that the County of Marquette maintain the road between Palmer and Gwinn for wheel traffic during the balance of the winter.

We respectfully show that we have applied to the State Highway Commissioner, who has acknowledged the advisability for doing this, but stated that the State Highway Commissioner further advises application to your Honorable Body. We respectfully show that we have

*Request for
Co-operation for
Township Roads
& Counties in
the matter of
construction of
Township
Highways.*

*As voted granted
\$600.00 per year
for Clerk hire.*

*Petition granted
to keep road
open
between
Palmer &
Gwinn for
balance of
winter.*

February, 24th, 1926.

guaranteed the expense of this work to the Board of County Road Commissioners up to the time of this meeting. We understand that the County Road Commission have funds available for this purpose; if the expenditure therefor is authorized by your Honorable Body.

It is understood that this work will be done when possible with equipment now owned by the County.

We request your Honorable Board to authorize the Board of County Road Commissioners to do this work, at this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

W.W.Graff.

Supervisor, Forsyth Township.

Solomon A.Aho

Supervisor, Richmond Township.

The following proposal from the Lake Shore Engine Works was read and it was moved and supported that this be referred to the Special Jail Committee with power to act. The motion was carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J. Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Smason, Sherwood, Sihvola, Syephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-37
Nays-none.

Marquette, Mich., February 5, 1926.

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

Dear Sir:- In line with your request we are pleased to quote you as follows on the necessary changes on corridor doors so that the inmates cannot pick the locks:

We propose to make the change on eight (8) corridor doors and adjoining gratings, making a total of fourteen (14) doors and gratings which must be changed. We will furnish fourteen (14) screens of similar material as that in use for the vent shaft covers, these to be 28-in. x 48 in. with a suitable steel frame to hold same. We will weld these fourteen (14) frames in place and weld covers on one side of the locks for the sum of \$226.00. This arrangement will not keep the light out and it will accomplish the purpose you have in mind.

If you desire to have us proceed kindly give us the necessary authorization and we will have the work done in a matter of two or three weeks.

Yours very truly,

Lake Shore Engine Works,

E.L.Pearce, Vice President.

Acknowledgments of receipt of appropriations were received from the Holy Family Orphanage Home, Good Will Farm, Michigan Children's Aid Society, Children's Hospital of Michigan and Marquette Chapter of Red Cross and the Marquette County Historical Society were read and ordered filed.

Resolutions opposing the Repudiation of the State Reward Debt owing to the Various counties was received from Chippewa, Muskegon, Dickinson, Berrien, Gogebic and Monroe counties, which were read and ordered filed.

A communication from the State Association of County Clerks giving the date of their next annual convention was read and ordered filed.

The Clerk presented the lowest bid for stuccoing the Sheriff's residence. It was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that this matter be left in the hands of the Clerk with power to act. The motion was seconded and carried by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J. Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-37.

Nays-none.

*Proposed from
Lake Shore
Engine Works
on necessary
change in
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at jail.*

*Big for
stuccoing
Sheriff's
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February, 24th, 1926.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Fay, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hurley, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stephens, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman, Yelle, Yungbluth and Keese-

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Nays-none.

The report of Supervisor Wiseman, delegate to the convention of State Board of Supervisors was read and ordered filed:

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

The report of the County Game Warden was read and ordered filed.

The Superintendent of the Fish Hatchery stated through the Clerk that he might need some help in opening the road to the hatchery in order to get the fish fry out rapidly for planting, and asked that the Board instruct the County Road Commissioner to give him aid if necessary at that time. Superintendent K.I. Sawyer, being present, he was asked to keep in touch with the Superintendent of the Fish Hatchery.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

G.E. Keene
Chairman.

Frank G. Jenks
Clerk.

March, 24th, 1926.

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 24th day of March, A.D. 1926.

The Chairman being absent the Board was called to order by the Clerk, Frank G. Jenks, and Supervisor Wiseman was named to act as temporary Chairman.

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

Present- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Sherwood, Sihvola, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen and Yeller-

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Absent- Campbell, Fay, Graff, Hurley, Johnson, Frank J., Joki, Samson, Stephens, Vanna, Yungbluth and Keese-11.

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

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Sherwood, Sihvola, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen, Wiseman and Yelle-28
Nays-none.

Ishpeming, Mich., March 20, 1926.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- At the last meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners at which your Committee on County Roads and Bridges was in attendance the matter of work under Act 202 Public Acts of 1925 which is the act that provides for co-operation between the

*Report of
Auditing Committee
to Convention of
State Board of
Supervisors.*

*Request granted
to keep fish
hatchery road
planned.*

March, 24th, 1925.

between the Townships and Counties in the matter of maintenance of Township roads was thoroughly discussed.

On motion made and adopted at that meeting the undersigned was directed to address a communication to your Board requesting that \$23,570.00 of the unexpended balance in the Marquette South Road Fund be transferred to a Special Fund to be utilized for purposes by the Board of County Road Commissioners under the provisions of this act as they might direct.

Yours truly,

K.I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

A communication from Supervisor Chenhall stating that this being his last meeting of the Board he wanted to thank them for the courtesies extended to him while a member.

A communication from B.J. Killham, State Veterinarian, advising the Board that under provisions of Section 17 of Act 181 P.A. 1919, as amended by 1925 legislature giving the Board the power to appoint a Veterinarian in accredited areas was read and upon motion the Chair appointed Supervisors Dalton, Fassbender and Orr, as a special committee to name the Veterinarian for this County and report back at their next meeting.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Chenhall, Collick, Christian, Dalton, Dower, Eggen, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Johnson, Charles, Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Sherwood, Sihvola, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wertenen; Wiseman and Yelle-28.

Nays-none.

The reports of Deputy County Treasurer, Home Demonstration Agent, Board of Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co., and County Game Warden were read and ordered filed.

No further business the Board adjourned subject to a call by the Clerk.

W. J. Wiseman
Temporary Chairman.

Francis J. Jensen
Clerk.

*Balance to
Mch. 20 Road
Fund transferred to
Special Fund
in Marquette Supp.
roads.*

*Special Committee
of Supervisors to
Name County
Veterinarian*

April, 21st, 1926.

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 21st day of April, A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

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

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 21st day of April, A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of organization and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

F.E. Keese, A.J. Yungbluth, Fred J. Eggan, Charles Johnson, Fred J. Northey, Yalmer S. Heinonen, Uno Vanni, Solomon A. Aho, Charles Koski, R.E. Samson, F.J. Johnson, Axel O. Anderson, W.W. Graff, W.H. Trembath, Alfred Collick, Charles J. Stakel.

Upon motion made and seconded F.E. Keese was unanimously elected chairman for the ensuing year.

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

The following communication was read and upon motion duly made and seconded and carried, the Chair appointed Supervisor Sherwood and prosecuting Attorney Clancey as delegates to attend this meeting. L.J. Jacobs of Escanaba, Michigan spoke to the Board relative to the proposition:

Escanaba, Mich., April, 17, 1926.

Frank E. Keese, Chairman Board of
Supervisors, Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Sir:- By a resolution unanimously adopted at a recent meeting of the Delta County Board of Supervisors, I am authorized to call a meeting of the Chairman and one other representative of each Board of Supervisors in the Upper Peninsula. This meeting will be held in the Court House at Escanaba, 2 P.M. Thursday, May 27, 1926.

I am very desirous of having every Board of Supervisors in the Upper Peninsula represented by at least two representatives at this initial meeting. We wish to discuss a matter which is of the utmost importance to every section of the Upper Peninsula. Under separate cover I am sending you two marked copies of the Escanaba Daily Press which will give you some idea of the problem for consideration.

Will you please authorize your County Clerk to notify George E. Harvey, County Clerk, Delta County, Escanaba, Michigan, that you and at least one other will be present at this meeting to represent your County Board of Supervisors. I cannot stress too strongly the urgent and pressing need of your presence in Escanaba Thursday, May 27, 1926.

Very truly yours,

Delta County Board of Supervisors,

By W.H. Needham, Chairman.

Communication from the Michigan Association of Register of Deeds and the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Standards, setting the dates for their respective conferences were read and ordered filed.

A bid from J.H. Godwin of \$360.00 for making the necessary repairs to the Sheriff's residence was read and upon motion duly made and seconded, accepted by the following yeas and nays vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanni, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Youghbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.
Nays-none.

*Supervisor,
Sherwood &
Pro. Atty. Clancey
agreed to
attend
meeting at
Escanaba.*

*Bid from
J.H. Godwin
for repairs on
Sheriff's residence
read.*

April, 21st, 1926.

Application for the position of County Physician were received from Drs. Edward H. Flynn and Charles N. Bottum, it was moved that an informal vote be taken and that the chair appoint two tellers, the Chair appointed Supervisors Johnson and Trembath. The result of the ballot was as follows: Twenty-nine for Dr. Bottum and seven for Dr. Flynn and one blank. It was moved that the informal ballot be declared formal, which was carried. Dr. Bottum being named County Physician for the following year.

A communication from J. E. Sherman, County Road Commissioner, who stated on account of his resignation as member of the Board of County Road Commissioners, to take effect as soon as his successor could be appointed and qualified. In resigning, Mr. Sherman stated that he wished to thank the Board for the very courteous treatment that he had always recieved at their ahnds and thoroughly enjoyed his work as a member of this Board, which was due materially to the co-operation of the Board of Supervisors. In complying with Mr. Sherman's request Supervisor Wiseman, moved that the resignation be accepted and that Charles W. Richardson, be named to succeed Mr. Sherman, and that the Clerk be instructed to extend to Mr. Sherman the thanks of this Board for the valuable service he had rendered this County, as a member of the County Road Commission, since the date of its organization. The motion was duly seconded and unanimously carried.

It was moved that a recess be taken until 3:30 o'clock and that the Ald Auditing Committee proceed to audit the current bills. Motion was seconded and carried. Upon reconvening at 3:30 the Auditing Committee presented their report which was adopted by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanni, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.

Nays-none.

The reports of Morgan Heights Sanitarium, County Agricultural Agent, Superintendent of the Poor, County Treasurer and Inspectors of Jail were read in part and ordered filed.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, J. E. Nelson was duly elected County Road Commissioner to succeed himself for the ensuing two years,

Upon motion duly made and seconded, Dr. F. McD. Harkin, was re-elected County Jail Physician.

The following resolution was read and unanimously adopted.

Whereas, we learn with regret of the death of our beloved fellow member, Joseph Fay, who has served the people of this County as a member of this Board of Supervisors for upwards of forty years.

In the death of Mr. Fay, the City of Marquette has lost the service and counsel of a man who was ever ready to serve his fellow citizens, and this Board of Supervisors is deprived of the benefit of his thoughtful consideration of public problems and the members of the Board individually, of the companionship of a man who was, in the true sense, a kindly friend.

Be It Resolved, therefore, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette, assembled on this 21st day of April, 1926, record here its sorrow in the death of Joseph Fay and extend to his son and sister the sincere sympathy, and

Be It Further Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and a copy thereof sent to his son, Harry Fay, and to the sister of the deceased.

Prosecuting Attorney Clancey, and Supervisor Sampson, asked leave for the privilege of endorsing the above resolutions and spoke to the Board of the good qualities of Mr. Fay, who had served so long and faithfully the County of Marquette.

Supervisor Fassbender, member of the special committee on employment of County Veterinarian, asked for more time in which to make their report. The same was granted. He also stated that there was a vacancy on the committee since election and asked that the Chair appoint a new member. Supervisor Dower of Ely Township was appointed to serve on this committee.

Dr. Bottum
elected Co.
Physician for
the following
year.

Resignation
of J. E. Sherman
as Co. Road
Commis.

Charles W.
Richardson
named as
Co. Road
Commis.

J. E. Nelson
elected Co.
Road Commis.
for ensuing yrs.
Dr. F. Harkin re-
elected as Jail
Physician

Resolution
Re. death
of Joseph
Fay.

April 21st, 1926.

*Request
that new
director of
Fair Assn.
be named.
Frank Frei
named such
director.*

A request from the President of the Fair Association, asked that a new director be appointed on account of the vacancy cause by the death of Supervisor Fay. In complying with this request Supervisor Wiseman moved that Frank Frei, be named as a director of the association. The motion was seconded and carried.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 19th day of May A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

F.E. Keese
Chairman.

Frank Frei
Clerk.

May, 19th, 1926.

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 19th day of May, A.D. 1926.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F.E. Keese.

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

Present- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese.

Absent- Campbell, Currie and Orr.

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

The following credentials were read and Mr. E. F. Kennedy was invited to take a seat on the Board and was assigned by the Chairman to the same committees as his predecessor.

City Clerk's Office.

Marquette, Mich., May 18, 1926.

I, Mary A. Hogan, Clerk of said City, do hereby certify that at a session of the Commission of said City held on April 26, 1926, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz:

Resolved, that the Commission does hereby appoint E. F. Kennedy as Supervisor of the Second Precinct to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Joseph Fay.

Given under my hand and the seal of said City this 18th day of May, 1926.

Mary A. Hogan, City Clerk.

The following communication was read and upon motion duly made and seconded Supervisor Collick, Chairman of the Highways and Bridges Committee was authorized to attend the conference:

Board of County Road Commissioners.

Ishpeming, Mich., May 19, 1926.

Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- The 18th annual meeting of the Northern Michigan Road Builders' Association will be held in Houghton on June 3rd and 4th.

It has been the custom of your Board to have the Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee or some other member of your Board attend this conference and I am directed by the Board of County Road Commissioners to request that you authorize a member of your Board to attend the conference this year.

Yours truly,

K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

*Credentials
of E. F.
Kennedy*

*Communication
regarding
annual
meeting of
Northern
Michigan
Road Builders
Assn.
Sup. Collick
authorized to
attend*

May 19th, 1926.

Supervisor Collick, Chairman of the Highways and Bridges Committee moved that the request of Humboldt Township submitted at the June 1925 meeting, for aid in constructing a township road be granted, and that there be appropriated \$1000.00, out of the funds now in the hands of the County Treasurer not otherwise appropriated. The motion was duly seconded and approved by the following yea and nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese.
Nays- none.

A communication together with a resolution passed by the Board of Supervisors of Delta County, establishing night schools to prepare people for citizenship was received from the County Clerk of that County, as these matters are entirely in the hands of the Superintendent of Schools in Marquette County, communication was ordered filed.

The following resignation was read and upon motion of Supervisor Sherwood, the resignation was accepted, and the Clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Duncan, and at the same time express to him the sincere thanks of this Board, for the valuable services he has given to this County as a member of this Commission:

May 11, 1926.

Mr. F. E. Keese, Chairman, County Board of Supervisors, City.

Dear Sir- After giving the matter careful consideration, I find it necessary on account of my health, to resign as a member of the County Road Commission. Please convey my sincere regrets to the members of the Board of Supervisors.

Yours sincerely,

M. M. Duncan.

The following communication was read and it was moved and supported that Mr. L. R. Walker, be re-appointed as County Agricultural Agent, for the ensuing two years, beginning July 1st, 1926, salary to remain the same. The motion was carried by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese-36.
Nays- none.

To the Auditing Committee.

Mr. A. J. Yungbluth, Chairman and Committee:

Gentlemen:- My eleventh year of service as County Agricultural Agent ends June, 30, 1926. The Auditing Committee has always been the committee to consider the requests and plans for the Agricultural Agent. I therefore at this time ask your committee to consider my election for another two year's term. Since the Michigan State College has raised its proportion of the salary six hundred dollars I would very much appreciate a re-election with a substantial increase of salary from the County. The County deducted six hundred when the State made its increase so the agent's salary remained the same as before.

Will your committee please recommend my re-election and with an increase in salary?

If this request is granted I can assure you my continued service at the best of my ability.

Respectfully submitted,

L. R. Walker.

The Clerk requested that some action be taken in regard to the erection of a county garage. Moved and supported that this be referred to the Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance with power to act. The motion prevailed by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese-36.
Nays- none.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J.

Request
granted +
appropriation
made for
aid in con-
structing
township
roads
Humboldt
Township

Resignation of
Mr. M. M. Duncan
as Co. Road
Comm.

L. R. Walker
re-appointed as
Co. Agricultural
Agent for next
2 years.

The following report of the Special Committee was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote.
Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Guilmerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese-36.
Nays-none.

Report of Special Committee.

May, 19, 1926.

Since Marquette County has completed its second county wide bovine tuberculosis eradication campaign which has entailed the testing of approximately 11,000 cattle two times over and since Marquette County has this year qualified as a modified accredited area, having only twenty-eight reactors, it is the opinion of your committee that a County Livestock Agent should be appointed to look after the violation of the quarantine regulations and the retest infected herds.

Your Committee recommends the appointment of Dr. F.W. Menhennit of Ishpeming as County Livestock Agent and that his compensation be fixed at ten dollars per day and ten cents per mile in the performance of his official duties and that such compensation be paid by the Auditing Committee at the time of making its regular monthly audit. The Livestock Agent's report to include the names of the owners of cattle tested, the number of cattle tested and the distance traveled, also what quarantine enforcement work has been done.

It is understood that instructions relative to the herds to be tested and quarantine work to be done shall be given the County Livestock Agent by the Bureau of Animal Industry, Lansing, Michigan.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph T. Dower,
Anton A. Fassbender,
J. E. Orr.

The reports of the County Treasurer, Morgan Hights Sanitarium and Poor Commission were read and ordered filed.

The report of County Game Warden was read and ordered filed.

The Clerk stated that the Telephone Company had notified him that owing to the fact that we were in the business district, the telephone rates would have to be changed and presented a list of the classification of services received from the Telephone Company, and suggested that as long as it had to be done, and the individual service being the cheapest he had authorized the Telephone Company to make the change. The installing of a private branch exchange or any other system would require the services of an operator making the cost prohibitive. The Board approved the action of the Clerk in this matter.

Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

Marquette, Mich., March 29, 1926.

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

Dear Mr. Jenks- As per our conversation a few days since I am giving below for your consideration, rates on different classes of service for the County Building:

You have at present 10 four-party lines @ \$2.88 per month	\$28.80
You have at present 1 extension @ \$1.00 per month	1.00
Total.	\$29.80
Changing this class of service to 10 individual lines, @ \$3.45 per mo.	\$34.50
One extension	1.00
	\$35.50

There would be no service connection charge on this change.

May, 19th, 1926.

Installing a Private Branch Exchange.

Rental of switchboard, per month	\$6.00
Two trunks @ \$3.95 per month	7.90
Ten stations @ \$1.35 per month	13.50
Ringing current, per month	.75
Extension, per month	1.00
	\$ 29.15

The service connection charge for installing would be \$45.50.

If you desire any further information we shall be very glad to have you call upon us.

Will you please advise your wishes in the matter.

These figures are based on the number of stations you have at present in the number of stations you have at present in the County Building, including the Jail.

Yours very truly,

K.S. Baker, Manager.

It was moved that S.R. Elliott of Ishpeming, Michigan, be named as County Road Commissioner, for the ensuing three years, and Dr. F. McD. Harkin, as County Jail Physician for the ensuing year, and asked that this action be ratified. Upon motion duly made and seconded the same was done.

The following resolutions were read and Upon motion duly made was referred to the Committee on Legislation and County Parks.

At a regular meeting of the CRYSTAL FALLS ALPHA-AMASA SPORTSMEN'S CONSERVATION CLUB held at Crystal Falls, Michigan April 17th, 1926. The following resolutions were adopted and the officers of said Club were instructed to forward copies of said resolutions to the Department of Conservation, Conservation and Sportsmen's Clubs of Michigan and others interested in more efficient laws and regulations governing the promotion and encouragement of Conservation in the State of Michigan:

WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that the State Conservation Department has authorized the purchase of lands in the Lower Peninsula for the purpose of establishing game preserves. Money for said purchases to be obtained from hunting license revenues.

Whereas, Practically all game licenses fees are paid for hunting in Northern Michigan. Therefore, it appears only fair and just that money expended from this source should go, at least in part, towards the purchase of preserve or game refuge sites in Northern Michigan, where the game is now located.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the records of this Club and the Department of Conservation be urged to establish game refuges in Northern Michigan with revenues from game licenses.

Signed, W.J. Reynolds, President.

John E. Carlson, Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the CRYSTAL FALLS-ALPHA-AMASA SPORTSMEN'S CONSERVATION CLUB held at Crystal Falls, Michigan April 17th, 1926. The following resolutions were adopted and the officers of said Club were instructed to forward copies of said resolutions to the Department of Conservation, Conservation and Sportsmen's Clubs of Michigan and others interested in more efficient laws and regulations governing the promotion and encouragement of Conservation in the State of Michigan.

WHEREAS, There is now in force in our State a small game license fee covering small game only, for which a fee of \$1.25 is charged.

WHEREAS, The State Department of Conservation for the support of its work is entirely dependent on license fees:

WHEREAS, The money so derived is insufficient to cover the many activities of the Department:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we urge the necessity of an appropriation from the next Legislature:

FURTHER RESOLVED, That we urge the Department to consider the adoption of a joint resident game and fish license compelling all who hunt or fish in the State to contribute in this way to help support the work of the Department.

Signed, W.J. Reynolds, President.
John E. Carlson, Secretary.

No further business the Board adjourned until Monday the 28th day of June, A.D. 1926, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

Frank J. Jank
Clerk.

O. E. Keel
Chairman.

*Appointed &
S.R. Elliott Co
Road Commissioner*

*App. Dr. F. McD.
Harkin Jail
Physician*

*Resolutions
passed by
Crystal Falls
Alpha-Amasa
Sportsmen's
Club.*

June 28th, 1926

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Monday, the 28th day of June, A. D. 1926, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F. E. Keese.

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

Present - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson Charles, Johnson Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese - 36.

Absent - Campbell, Heinonen and Vanna - 3.

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

The following communication was read and upon motion duly made and seconded the Chairman appointed Supervisors Samson and Graff as directors on the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau from this board.

THE UPPER PENINSULA DEVELOPMENT BUREAU.

Marquette, Michigan, June 9, 1926.

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

Dear Mr. Jenks - At the annual meeting of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, at Ironwood, Mr. Frank Vandenberg and Mr. John E. Nelson were elected as directors, and Mr. John M. Bush, President, of the Bureau to represent your county for the ensuing year.

According to our by-laws, each County Board is urged to elect two additional members and, on the advice of our officers, I am requesting that you appoint two directors to act for the ensuing year to represent your County, and send me their names and addresses as early as possible.

Thanking you for your past substantial support of the Bureau, I am

Very truly yours,

UPPER PENINSULA DEVELOPMENT BUREAU,

G. E. Bishop,

Secretary-Manager.

A letter from Mrs. Mary Tyrrell thanking the Board for expressions of sympathy on the death of her brother, Joseph Fay, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Department of Conservation to Emil Heikkila, County Game Warden, setting forth that they were in the future to pay him six dollars a day for one-half of each month, was read and Mr. Heikkila asked the Board to make the same rate for the other half of the month. It was moved and supported that his request be granted and the same was carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson Charles, Johnson Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese - 36.
Nays - None.

A letter from George E. Harvey, Escanaba, Michigan, enclosing a copy of the minutes of the Upper Peninsula Supervisors' meeting for the purpose of organization was read and ordered filed.

A bill of the Negaunee Hardware & Furniture Store, for the funeral expenses of John Rivers, was presented by Supervisor Hemmila, of Negaunee Township, and upon motion made and seconded was referred to the Poor Board.

The following communication was read and it was moved that the Chair act on this

*Off. of Sup.
Samson and
Graff Dir.
U.P.D. Bureau*

*Frank Vandenberg
John E. Nelson
app. Directors
U.P.D. Bureau*

*Communication
Re Emil
Heikkila's salary*

committee and to appoint two other Supervisors together with K. I. Sawyer and Thomas Clancey as such committee - the motion was duly seconded and carried and the Chairman named Supervisors Sundstrom and Van Riper.

Michigamme, Mich., June 25, 1926.

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

Gentlemen:

The State Inspector having condemned two bridges on the Iron Range & Huron Bay right-of-way, which is now a public road in this county, makes it necessary to repair or rebuild said bridges, and I herewith petition your honorable body to have this work done.

C. F. Sundstrom,
Supervisor, Michigamme Township.

The following petition was read and upon motion duly made and seconded, referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the County Road Commission:

Republic, Mich., June 3, 1926.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County.

The undersigned wish to call your attention to certain road conditions existing in Republic and Humboldt Townships. This relates principally to furnishing proper road facilities to districts located somewhat distant from the more settled portions of our respective townships. We refer particularly to the people located in the western end of Humboldt Township and to the east of Republic Township, and also to the southern end of Republic Township.

Recently, Republic Township has been successful in securing the approval of the Postoffice Department for the inauguration of a Rural Free Delivery, along a route running as far south as Witch Lake on the main State Highway, known as M-45, and returning via River Road, passing through that portion of Humboldt Township to the southeast of Republic Township, and connecting with the improved River Road at Captain's Creek and so serving the farmers along said route which is approximately 25 miles in length. You will readily see that routes include portions of highways near Republic and Humboldt Townships, but in the improvement of which, the other township would get no benefit. Unless Humboldt Township improves that part of the road along said R.F.D. which passes through their township, the postal authorities will discontinue said R.F.D.

However, Humboldt Township is unwilling to do any work on said road in their township until the Republic Township gives an outlet to their farmers in the western end of Humboldt Township near the Town of Republic.

Because of these unusual conditions and more particularly on account of the financial situation in our respective townships, this matter was discussed at a joint meeting to petition your Honorable Body to contribute towards the expense of improving these routes, so as to give these people a proper outlet and comply with the postal regulations governing rural routes.

It has been mutually agreed between the two Township Boards to make these improvements providing we can secure substantial aid from Marquette County.

THE HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP BOARD,

Charles Koski, Supervisor.
Gerald Oja, Clerk.
John Rumska, Justice.
Gust Kulin, Justice.

THE REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP BOARD,

William R. Meyers, Supervisor.
John Kaarlela, Clerk.
A. J. Hocking, Justice.
M. J. Grant, Justice.

*Petition Re.
Bridges on the
Iron Range &
Huron Bay.*

*Communication
Re Rural routes
in Republic &
Humboldt Townships*

*Petition to
Open Goose
Lake Road
leading So of
Negaunee to
Sands
Twp.*

The following petition, signed by Richard Nesbitt and fifty-two others, was read and upon motion duly made and seconded, referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee:

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

Gentlemen: - We, the undersigned freeholders, residing at the location opposite our names, hereby respectfully petition your Honorable Board of Supervisors to repair the so-called Goose Lake Road leading south of Negaunee to Sands Township, so as to be in such shape as to take care of the traffic that is using this road as a public highway.

It was moved, seconded and carried that the Board proceed with the regular order of business omitting the Equalization report at this time.

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

Yeas - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggen, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, Van Ripe, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese - 35.

Nays - None.

*Resolutions
made by Board
on Leg and Co
Parks adopted.*

The Committee on Legislation and County Parks presented the following report and resolutions, which, upon motion duly made and seconded was unanimously adopted:

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

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on Legislation and County Parks, to whom was referred, at the last meeting of this Board, the resolutions of the Crystal Falls-Alpha-Amasa Sportsmen's Conservation club for the purchasing of game refuges in the Upper Peninsula, and, also recommending a resident hunting and fishing license, desire to present the following resolutions:

Resolved, that the Marquette County Board of Supervisors endorse the resolution adopted by the Crystal Falls-Alpha-Amasa Sportsmen's Conservation club relative to the establishment of game preserves in the Upper Peninsula; also

Be it further resolved, that we urge the Department of Conservation to take immediate steps toward the purchase of one or more tracts of land for game refuge in Marquette County; and

Be it further resolved, that we urge the department to use all honorable means to secure the passage of a law providing for a \$1.25 resident fishing license for all persons over sixteen years of age, in order to increase the revenue of the Department of Conservation so that additional fish hatcheries can be established in the Upper Peninsula and also additional fire and game wardens be appointed to protect our forests, game and fish; and

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Department of Conservation.

W. H. Trembath,
Charles J. Stakel,
Paul Van Riper,
Peter Gummerson,
C. F. Sundstrom,
W. W. Graff.

*Report made
by Special Com.
appointed to attend
meeting of Reps of
the Boards of
Sup.*

The Special Committee appointed to attend a meeting of Representatives of the Boards of Supervisors in the Upper Peninsula at Escanaba, presented the following report and by-laws of the proposed association. It was moved and supported that the report be adopted and that the Chair appoint two Supervisors to represent them in this organization. The motion was carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggen, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel,

Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese -
36.

Nays - none.

Ishpeming, Mich.. June 17, 1926.

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

Dear Mr. Jenks: - On the 26th day of May, in compliance with the instruction of the Board of Supervisors, Mr. Charles J. Stakel and the undersigned attended a meeting of the Representatives of Boards of Supervisors of the Upper Peninsula at the Delta Hotel at Escanaba.

We attended the luncheon which was held at noon and immediately thereafter those in attendance commenced the discussion of the subject upon which we were called to Escanaba. Mr. Lawrence Jacobs on behalf of the Delta County Board spoke on the necessity for an association to foster and encourage the development of Northern Michigan. It was not apparent from his remarks whether he desired to have an organization other and different from the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau to take over this work. His remarks, however, immediately brought forth the whole subject as to whether the peninsula was to support two organizations. A large number of the men present were opposed to any plan which would contemplate two organizations covering the same field.

When called upon I brought to the attention of the meeting the fact that Marquette County was the only County in Northern Michigan which now contributes the maximum amount to the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau permitted under the present law. The Bureau last year received only \$12,000.00 from the fifteen counties of the peninsula. I directed my remarks to the end that the representatives present endeavor to secure from their Counties a larger contribution to the work of the Development Bureau.

When it was apparent that there would not be any further organization, we then went forward to organize a purely Supervisors' Association to assist the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau. A committee was appointed to draft by-laws for such an organization, an adjournment was taken and I aided in the preparation of the by-laws, a copy of which is attached to this letter.

For the information of the Board let me say that the present organization does not contemplate raising any money to be spent by it and there is to be no payment of salaries and the dues are nominal, \$10.00 for each county. This only contemplates \$150.00 to be spent in any one year by this association.

The plan calls for the adoption of these by-laws by the various Boards of Supervisors of the Peninsula. I have considered these by-laws carefully and recommend that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marquette adopt the by-laws and that they designate two Supervisors to represent them in this organization.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS CLANCEY.

BY-LAWS - UPPER PENINSULA SUPERVISORS' ASSOCIATION.

Article I - Name.

The name of this organization shall be the Upper Peninsula Supervisors Association.

Article II - Purpose.

1 - The purpose of the Upper Peninsula Supervisors' Association shall be to secure such concerted action among the County Boards of Supervisors of the Upper Peninsula as will effectively and efficiently promote and protect the interests of the Upper Peninsula as a whole.

2 - Matters which may properly be considered by this association shall be advertising, conservation, highways, legislation, taxation, and any other matters which are of common concern to all counties in the Upper Peninsula.

Article III - Membership.

*By Laws of
UP Supervisors*

1 - The membership of this association shall consist of two members of each County Board of Supervisors in the Upper Peninsula who shall annually be appointed in any manner which their respective boards may determine.

2 - The appointment of members to this association shall be made by each County Board of Supervisors as soon after its annual organization meeting as practicable.

3 - Each Board of Supervisors who shall appoint members in this association shall pay an annual fee of \$10.00.

Article IV - Powers.

No County Board of Supervisors which shall appoint members in this association, shall be bound by any action of this association.

Article V - Meetings.

1 - The annual meeting of this association shall be held in September of each year and at such time and place as the President of the association may direct.

2 - Meetings other than the annual meeting may be held upon call of the President and at such time and place as he may direct.

3 - The president shall, upon the written request of five members representing five different counties, call a special meeting of the association within thirty days after the receipt of the fifth request.

4 - Notice of meetings shall be mailed to the members of this association and to the Chairman and County Clerk of each Board of Supervisors which shall appoint members in this association at least ten days prior to the time of the meeting and all such notices shall state the principal purposes for which the meeting is called.

Article VI - Officers.

1 - At the organization meeting and at each annual meeting there shall be elected a President, two Vice Presidents and a Secretary-Treasurer.

2 - All officers shall be members of this association except the Secretary-Treasurer who may or may not be.

3 - No officer of this association shall receive pay for his services.

4 - The duties of the officers of this association shall be such as their titles by general usage would indicate and such as may be assigned to them respectively by the association.

Article VII - Voting.

Voting shall be by individuals only and no individuals shall cast more than one vote.

Article VIII - Quorum.

Ten members, representing any eight different counties, of the Upper Peninsula, shall constitute a quorum.

Article IX - Amendment.

These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any meeting of the association and with the subsequent approval of the Boards of Supervisors of any eight counties in the Upper Peninsula.

Article X - Validity.

These by-laws shall become valid upon the approval of the Boards of Supervisors of any eight counties in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

In compliance with the above the Chair appointed Supervisors Sherwood and Stakel as members of the Upper Peninsula Supervisors' Association.

Reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of Poor, County Home Demonstration Agent and County Game Warden, were read in part and ordered filed.

Supervisor Hurley, Chairman of the Equalization Committee, moved that a recess be taken until 11:15, in order to give his committee time to make up their report, his request was granted. Upon re-convening at 11:15, the following report of the Equalization

Committee was read and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles; Johnson, Frank J.; Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese - 36.

Nays - None.

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

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors have examined the Assessment Rolls of the several Townships and Cities of the County, to ascertain whether the real and personal property in the respective Townships and Cities has been equally and uniformly assessed at true cash value.

Whereas, in their judgment it has not been so uniformly and equally assessed; therefore,

Resolved, that the valuation of the real and personal property of said Townships and Cities be, and the same is hereby equalized by adding to or deducting from the valuation of the taxable property of each Township and City such an amount as in their judgment will produce sums which represent the true cash value of the real and personal property of the County, which amounts so determined by them are entered in the following table in the fifth and sixth 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 them, be fixed at the sum set down in said table in the last column thereof opposite the name of each Township or City.

Cities -	Real Estate as Assessed.	Personal Prop- erty as Assessed.	Total Valu- ation as Assessed.	Amount Added.	Amount Deducted	Total Valu- ation as Equalized.
Ishpeming	\$ 10,593,000	\$ 3,644,464	\$14,237,464	\$	464	\$14,237,000
Marquette	9,151,286	2,752,682	11,903,968	32		11,904,000
Negaunee	14,315,350	4,184,309	18,499,659	341		18,500,000
Townships -						
Champion	950,880	151,950	1,102,830	170		1,103,000
Chocolay	419,635	22,925	442,560	440		443,000
Ely	998,195	756,925	1,755,120		120	1,755,000
Ewing	214,375	14,000	228,375		375	228,000
Forsyth	1,402,325	1,445,671	2,847,996	4		2,848,000
Humboldt	418,930	10,350	429,280		280	429,000
Ishpeming	706,929	545,600	1,252,529	471		1,253,000
Marquette	452,085	290,695	742,780	220		743,000
Michigamme	689,080	46,770	735,850	150		736,000
Negaunee	363,915	87,000	450,915	85		451,000
Powell	1,199,855	1,167,850	2,367,705	295		2,368,000
Republic	774,130	476,774	1,250,904	96		1,251,000
Richmond	539,351	416,089	955,440		440	955,000
Sands	232,200	47,150	279,350		350	279,000
Skandia	665,250	14,500	679,750	250		680,000
Tilden	1,939,040	148,753	2,087,793	207		2,088,000
Turin	503,770	1,600	505,370		370	505,000
Wells	572,650	45,757	618,407		407	618,000
West Branch	377,700	6,850	384,550	450		385,000
TOTAL.....	\$ 47,479,931	\$16,278,664	\$63,758,595	\$3,211	\$2,806	\$63,759,000

By W. T. HURLEY,

Chairman Equalization Committee.

*Equalization
Report*

*Dr. L. J. Jones
app. Sup. of
Morgan H. S.*

Supervisor Van Riper, Chairman of the Morgan Heights Sanitarium Committee, made a verbal statement to the Board, stating that owing to the ill health of Dr. Finch, they found it necessary to employ a new Superintendent and Physician, and they have employed Dr. Salvatore Lajacona of Chicago, Illinois, who had been highly recommended to the Committee by Dr. Werle, Secretary of the State Board, and others.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 28th day of July, A.D. 1926, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Frank G. Jenks
Clerk.

E. E. Keese
Chairman.

July, 28th, 1926.

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 28th day of July, A.D. 1926, at 2:15 o'clock P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, E. E. Keese.

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

Present: Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Kennedy, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.
Absent- Campbell, Gummerson and Koski-3.

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

The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Lansing, Mich., July 10, 1926.

*Communication
Re Game refuge*

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

Dear Mr. Jenks- This will acknowledge receipt of the resolution relative to the establishing of game refuges, recently passed by the Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

You will be pleased to know that the itinerary of Mr. P. S. Lovejoy, who is in charge of Game Refuge Developments, includes a preliminary study of the Upper Peninsula Refuge possibilities during the month of August. As you know, Mr. Lovejoy is very highly qualified to do this work and will give the most sympathetic hearing to the needs and desires of Upper Peninsula people. He will undoubtedly meet with you when he is in your city and I am sure you will be pleased to give him every cooperation possible.

Very truly yours,
Edgar Cochran.

Secretary, Conservation Commission.

A communication from William J. Betts, Inspector of Hartford Steam Boilers, complimenting the County on the excellent condition of boilers and plant, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Marquette County Historical Society asking for an appropriation for additional markers was read and ordered filed.

The following communication and resolution passed by the Marquette State Nurses Association was read and upon motion of Dr. VanRiper, Supervisor, this communication was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation:

Whereas, Morgan Heights Sanitarium is so small that it has in the past been found impossible to care for both incipient and advanced cases, so preference has been given to the advanced cases, and

Whereas, it is most necessary to give incipient cases a longer or shorter time in a sanitarium to teach them health habits necessary to improvement,

Be it resolved, that the Marquette district, Michigan State Nurses' Association, go

*Communication
from Mar. C. Hist.
Society asking for app.
for additional
markers*

July, 28th, 1926.

on record as favoring a new unit in the near future, of sufficient size for a long term of years:

That, if possible, the new unit be placed so the patients can view the county road;
That there be provision for the best care of patients by trained women nurses, only who are registered in Michigan; and

That the nursing personnel be comfortably housed outside the sanitarium proper.

Ina E. Atkin, R.N.

B. Wright, R.N.

Emilie VanBrocklin, R.N..

Chairman.

Ingehur Petersen, R.N.

Secretary Pro Tem, Marquette District,
Michigan State Nurses' Association.

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

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank, J., Kennedy, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.

The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee was read and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.
Nays-none.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,

Marquette County, Mich.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on County Roads and Bridges to whom was referred the matter of assisting Humboldt and Republic Township in the matter of the extension of the River Road south of Republic and the Water Works road east of Republic report that your committee met with the Board of County Road Commissioners and the Supervisors of Republic and Humboldt Township on July 1st, 1926:

That the Committee had heretofore viewed the premises of these roads. That it is their understanding and belief that the Rural Free Delivery of mail in the territory south of Republic is dependent upon action pertaining to these roads.

That your Committee has recommended to the Board of County Road Commissioners that they cooperate with the Townships aforesaid and construct passable roads as requested.

That the County participate in the cost thereof to 25 per cent and that the Township be allowed the necessary time for the payment to the County of their proportion of the cost of the work.

The Board of County Road Commissioners has called for bids on the construction of this River Road, to be received on July 31st.

Your Committee recommends concurrence in the above action.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred Collick,

Fred J. Eggan

Frank Frei,

Fred J. Northey,

O. B. Lafreniere.

Highway and Bridge Committee.

The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee, was read and Supervisor Collick moved for its adoption, which was duly seconded. It was moved by Supervisor Johnson, that the report be amended to read as follows: That the County appropriate out of its funds, now in the hands of the Treasurer not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for this work, Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars to be paid at once and Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars after the completion of the work, and inspection and acceptance by the Superintendent of the County Road Commission. The amendment was seconded and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas- Aho, Bergeron, Currie, Dower, Felt, Heinonen, Hemmila, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sihvola, Sundstrom, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-22.

Communication from Mary State Nurses' Association during the next week at M. H. S.

Added granted to Republic Township to build bridge for Rural Delivery

diff for improving roads to County State Road

July, 28th, 1926.

Nays- Anderson, Collick, Christian, Eggan, Fassbender, Frei, Graff, Hurley, Lafreniere, Meyers, Sherwood, Stakel, Trembath and Wiseman-14.

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

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on County Roads and bridges to whom was referred the petition of several citizens relative to work on the Goose Lake Road report:

That your Committee met on Thursday, July 22, 1926, and drove over said Goose Lake Road. That they met Mr. Hemmila the Supervisor of Negaunee Township and other citizens and that they found:

That the Goose Lake Road is in a bad condition with deep ruts, washed out hill tops, many stones, and the brush grown close to the road.

That there appears to be considerable use of this road between Negaunee City and points in Sands Township, and this is the only existent road for such travel.

And that the road does not serve the residents of Negaunee Township, the one in which it lies.

Your committee recommends that the sum of three hundred dollars be appropriated from monies not appropriated otherwise, and paid to Negaunee Township for aid in putting said Goose Lake Road in shape, and

Further that the Clerk be instructed to pay one hundred and fifty dollars of said sum forthwith and that the balance thereof shall be payable when Negaunee Township shall have put said road in shape and it shall have been inspected by this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred Collick,
Fred J. Eggan,
Frank Frei
O.B. Lafreniere
W.T. Hurley,

Highway and Bridge Committee.

The following report of the Committee on Legislation and County Parks, was read, adopted and ordered filed:

Report of Committee on County Parks and Legislation.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,

Marquette County, Mich.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on County Parks and Legislation report: that on July 23, 1926, your Committee met with the Board of County Road Commissioners, who are ex-officio the Board of County Park Trustees.

That the County Parks at Gwinn and Champion Beach and the Township Park at Michigamme were visited.

That all parks were in a neat and clean condition. That many improvements and betterments had been made, among them being the installation of a sanitary chemical toilet at Gwinn, the increasing of the area of the Champion Park, provision of additional parking grounds and other facilities at Champion.

Your Committee concurs in and recommended to the Park Trustees that the floor of the pavilion at Champion be given a floor coating which will make it more smooth, and that the west side of the pavilion be provided with glass windows, and that the additional tables, benches, stoves, etc., as are required, be furnished.

It might be mentioned that the actual tally of the day patrons at Champion showed over 500 cars parked at the Beach Sunday, July 18, and that this did not appear as an exceptionally large Sunday crowd.

Your committee recommends approval of the work of the County Park Trustees.

Respectfully submitted,

W.H. Trembath,
C.F. Sundstrom,
Paul VanRiper,
Charles J. Stakel,
W.W. Graff.

Committee on County Parks and Legislation.

July, 28th, 1926.

The following report of the Special Committee on the Huron Bay Road Bridges was read and adopted by the following yeas and nays vote:

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese, Chairman-36.
Nays-none.

Report of Special Committee.

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

Gentlemen:- Your Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of certain bridges on the so-called Huron Bay Grade in Michigamme Township report:

That your Committee met on July ' and visited the site of the bridges, and viewed the Huron Bay Grade, and that two of the bridges on the said grade are in very bad condition and need replacement forthwith.

It appears that this Huron Bay Grade has been heretofore purchased by the County for Road purposes. That the right-of-way has been conveyed by the County to Michigamme Township in trust to be used for road purposes and that the grade has been so used for many years.

Representations were made showing that it would be financially impassable for Michigamme Township to construct these bridges. That if the bridges were allowed to go down no communication could be had between the large area of the County lying tributary to this road and the towns of Champion and Michigamme and this district would be without access for fighting fires or other purposes.

That representations have been made that if the County will care for the bridges the road will be maintained in good passable condition through action of the Township and other interested parties without cost to the County.

Your Committee has caused surveys to be made of the two proposed bridges and plans and estimates to be prepared, and find that the cost of constructing the two bridges with the necessary road approaches is approximately \$21,000.00 detailed preliminary estimates of each bridge being hereto attached.

Your Committee finds that it is legally possible for the Board of County Road Commissioners proceeding under the provisions of Act 202 to assist Michigamme Township by the construction of these two bridges and that the Board of County Road Commissioners proceeding under the provisions of Act 202 to assist Michigamme Township by the construction of these two bridges and that the Board of County Road Commissioners have funds in their possession which may be used for this purpose provided they are assured that an appropriation will be voted to reimburse said funds at the next Annual meeting of this Board.

Your Committee therefor recommend that the Board of County Road Commissioners be requested to proceed with the construction of these two bridges forthwith, and that the Board of Supervisors hereby sanctions the inclusion of the necessary funds to pay for said bridges to be put in the budget to be passed for County Road purposes at the next Annual Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. Sundstrom.
Paul VanRiper,
K. I. Sawyer,
F. E. Keese.

Committee.

Preliminary Estimate, Peshekee River Bridge Relocation No. 1.

Clearing, 0.64 acres @ \$60.00	38.40
Grubbing, 0.64 acres @ \$60.00	38.40
Earth excavation, 3,810 cubic yards at \$0.60	2286.00
Solid rock excavation, 30 cubic yards @ 3.50	105.00
18-inch corrugated metal culvert 96 lineal feet at \$3.00	288.00
1:2:4 concrete, 162.05 cubic yards @ \$28.00	4537.40
Steel Reinforcing, 4,117 pounds @ \$0.06	247.02
Steel 1-Bears, 40,000 pounds @ \$0.06	2400.00
	\$9940.22

*Report of Special
Committee regarding
Huron Bay Grade
and two bridges
need repairing.*

Preliminary Estimate, Peshekee River Bridge Relocation No.2.

Clearing, \$1.18 A. @ \$60.00	\$ 70.80
Grubbing, \$1.18 @ \$60.00	70.80
Earth excavation, 2,074 cubic yards @ \$0.60	1244.40
Solid rock excavation, 30 cubic yards @ \$3.50	105.00
18-inch corrugated metal culvert, 50 lineal feet @ \$3.00	100.00
1:2:4 concrete, 206.78 cubic yards at \$28.00	5789.84
Steel reinforcing, 4,954 pounds @ \$0.06	297.24
Steel l-beams, 24-inch X 115 pounds, -55,200 pounds @ \$0.06	<u>3312.00</u>
	\$ 11040.08

The reports of the Agricultural Agent, Home Demonstration Agent and Poor Report were read and ordered filed.

The report of the Game Warden was read and ordered filed.

It was moved that the Chair appoint a committee of three to arrange with K.I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission for the annual road inspection. The Chair appointed Supervisors Wiseman, Orr and Lafreniere, as such committee who fixed the date for inspection August 25th.

Dr. Lajacona gave the Board a very interesting talk on Morgan Heights Sanitarium.

No further business the Board adjourned until Tuesday the 7th day of September, A.D. 1926, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

F. E. Keel
Chairman.

Frank J. Jenkins
Clerk.

*Committee
app. to arrange
for annual
road inspection*

September 7th, 1926.

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 7th day of September, A.D. 1926, at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F.E. Keese.

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

Present- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman and Keese-33.

Absent- Cambell, Dower, Kennedy, Meyers, Vanna and Yungbluth-6.

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

The following communication was read and ordered filed.

Lansing, Mich., August 7, 1926.

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

Dear Sir:-

In order that your Board of Supervisors may have a little more time in which to study the valuation placed upon your County by this Department for state equalization purposes, I will say to you that we have recommended to the State Board of Equalization that Marquette County be equalized at a valuation this year of \$71,000,000. Last year the valuation placed upon the County by the State Board of Equalization was \$73,050,000. The proportion of State tax the County would pay under this valuation would be .0092018. Last year it was .00999238.

The State Board of Equalization will meet in the Senate Chamber in the State Capitol, Monday, August 16, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of giving a hearing to the representatives of the various Counties of the State.

Very respectfully,

State Board of Equalization,

George Lord, Chairman.

A communication from the Lake Superior Flower Show, of Houghton, Michigan, inviting the Board to this exhibit was read and ordered filed.

The following communication and application was read, and moved by Supervisor Johnson that Mr. Heikkila be employed as County Game Warden for the ensuing year. Motion was seconded and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote.

Yeas- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Collick, Christian, Currie, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Northey, Orr, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman and Keese-33.

Nays-none.

Negaunee, Mich., 7-3-26

Board of Supervisors, Marquette, Mich.

Gentlemen:- I hereby wish to thank you for the raise rendered in my salary, and the system arranged, and appreciate it very much.

Thanking you all again, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

Emil Heikkila.

Negaunee, Mich., September 1, 1926.

Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- I hereby make an application for full time Game Warden, for Marquette County, for the ensuing year.

Hoping to meet your approval, I thank you all in advance, I remain

Respectfully yours,

Emil Heikkila.

*Emil Heikkila
Negaunee Co. Game
Warden*

September 7th, 1926.

A communication from R.M.Olin, Commissioner of Health, together with an opinion of the Attorney General, relative to the annual appropriation to the Morgan Heights Sanitarium from the State was upon motion referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

Applications for the position of County Sealer of Weights and Measures were received from William H.Beckerleg, G.T.Beyer, Thomas H.Goldsworthy, Joseph F.Labold, Guy Neeley, Norman J.Stanaway, George Skewis, Arsene Tousignant and upon motion duly made and seconded were ordered laid upon the table.

A communication from the Russel Sage Foundation asking for information for the keeping of both county and government prisoners in the jail, was read and referred to the Sheriff and Clerk, also it was moved, supported and carried that a special committee of three be appointed to investigate the cost of boarding Federal prisoners. The committee appointed was Supervisors Sherwood, Trembath and Keese to act with Prosecuting Attorney Clancey.

Application from William Kulin, for the position of Special Game Warden for the western portion of Marquette County, was read and upon motion duly made and seconded referred to the Special Game Warden Committee appointed last year. This committee was also instructed to employ three Special Game Wardens for the balance of September and months of October and November.

The report on the boiler inspection at Morgan Heights Sanitarium was read and ordered filed.

The following report and resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation:

Marquette, Mich., August 18, 1926.

Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County,

Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:- Attached you will find report of the chest clinics held in Marquette County this summer. These clinics were financed by the Marquette County Anti-Tuberculosis Association with the money received from the Christmas Seal Sale, the Marquette County Chapter Red Cross co-operating in this work. The conditions brought out in these clinics have prompted the Nursing Activities Committee of the Marquette County Chapter of the Red Cross in presenting the attached resolution.

Yours truly,

Simon R.Anderson,

Chairman Nursing Activities, Marquette County Chapter
of the Red Cross.

Following is a report of the chest clinics held in the County by Mrs.Warfield and Mrs.Pearce and paid for by the Tuberculosis Association:

	Patients	Positive	Latent	Suspicious	Negative
Marquette	45	6	3	7	29
Ishpeming	58	6	1	6	45
Negaunee	43	4	0	6	33
Gwinn	31	3	1	9	18
Republic	31	2	0	8	21
Big Bay	25	0	5	3	17
Michigamme	12	0	2	0	10
Champion	22	0	1	7	14
	267	21	13	46	187

Of the above twenty cases were recommended for sanitarium at once.

Martha C.Johnson, R.N.

Marquette County Red Cross Nurse.

Applications
for Co. Sealer
of Weights &
Measures
received.

Application
of William Kulin
as Special Game
Warden recd.

Report of
Chest Clinics

September, 7th, 1926.

Marquette, Mich., August 9, 1926.

Marquette County Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-

Whereas, the tuberculoses clinics conducted by the American Red Cross and the Michigan Tuberculosis Association have shown a widespread prevalence of tuberculoses in Marquette County.

And, whereas, Morgan Heights Sanitarium is inadequate to properly take care of all the cases needing hospital care, especially the incipient cases, be it

Resolved, that we, the Nursing Activities Committee, of the Marquette County Chapter American Red Cross, do hereby respectfully urge the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County to appropriate sufficient funds for the building of a separate unit for treating incipient cases and increasing the capacity of the institution to fifty beds.

Simon R. Anderson.

Chairman Nursing Activities Committee.

Marquette County Chapter, American Red Cross.

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

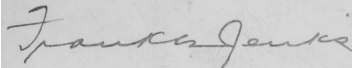
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Nays-none.

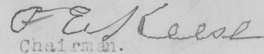
The report of the Special Committee of the Meeting of the Upper Peninsula Supervisors Association, held at the Court House, Marquette, Mich., on Thursday, August 19th, 1926 was read and ordered filed:

The monthly reports of the County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor and Home Demonstration Agent and County Game Warden were read and ordered filed.

No further business the Board adjourned until Monday, the 11th day of October, A.D. 1926, at 9:00 o'clock a.m.



Clerk.


Chairman.

October 11th, 1926.

Annual Meeting.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, met pursuant to a call duly made, at the Court House, in the City of Marquette, in said County, on Monday, the 11th day of October, 1926.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, F. E. Keese.

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

Present: - Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles; Johnson, Frank J.; Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth and Keese - 36.

Absent: - Campbell, Collick and Orr - 3.

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

A communication from the Great Lakes Harbor Association giving the dates of the convention to be held in Buffalo, New York, was read and ordered filed.

The following bid as depository for the County Funds was read and upon motion of Charles Johnson, a Supervisor, the First National Bank of Negaunee was named as such depository for the ensuing two years.

Negaunee, Mich., October 11, 1926.

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

Gentlemen--We hereby bid an interest rate of two per cent (2%) per annum, computed on daily balances, the arrangement to be on the same basis as at present in force.

Respectfully submitted,

G. Sherman Collins,

Cashier.

A petition for a highway from Michigan North Woods Club was read and upon motion referred to the Supervisors of Ely and Tilden Townships and the County Road Commission.

The following communication was read and it was moved and supported that the Board approve the expenditure as recommended by the County Road Commission. Supervisor Sherwood moved as an amendment that a committee of three be appointed to investigate; that the matter be laid over until the next meeting of this Board. The amendment was seconded and lost by the following Yea and Nay Vote:

Yeas-- Currie, Kennedy, Sherwood, Sundstrom and Van Riper--5.

Nays-- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sihvola, Stakel, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, Wiseman, Youngbluth and Keese--31.

The original motion was then voted upon and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas-- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Christian, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmilla, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles, Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Youngbluth and Keese--34.

Nays-- Currie--1.

Not Voting--Sherwood.

Board of County Road Commissioners.

Ishpeming, Mich., September 24, 1926.

Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen-- Your board of County Road Commissioners has been negotiating for around a year relative to the securing of wider right of way for the purpose of preserving forest growth along some of our roads.

*Let Nat Bank
if no named
as County Dep.
pository*

*Petition for
highway from
Mich North
Woods Club*

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We have brought this matter to a head and received a letter as shown on the attached copy from the State Highway Department.

It is the mutual understanding that the County will spend the same amount of money, that is \$5,000 as the State offers to spend for right of way.

Your Commission has to its credit in its Road Fund sufficient money to meet the State on this proposition and at a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held yesterday the undersigned was directed to write your body that it is the unanimous opinion of the Commission that this right of way should be secured and that your Commission recommends to the Board of Supervisors that they approve the expenditure of this money for the securing of extra width of right of way and that this action be approved by your Board so that it may be taken as a precedent by the Board of County Road Commissioners.

Yours respectfully,

Board of County Road Commissioners,

By K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

Michigan State Highway Department

Lansing, Mich., September 3, 1926.

Mr. K. I. Sawyer, County Road Superintendent, Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Sawyer-- I wish to confirm conversation with you today pertaining to desirable right of way to acquire in addition to what we now have on Trunk Line 35 between the Dead River and the yellow Dog River, your County.

The State is ready to put \$5,000 in the purchase of additional right of way through timber land for the purpose of preserving a reasonable width of forest growth on Trunk Line 35 with the understanding that the County will participate in the cost of this work.

Very truly yours,

G. C. Dillman,

Deputy Commissioner-Chief Engineer.

An application for the position of Special Game Warden for the hunting season of 1926 was received from Russell H. Williamson, of Palmer, Michigan, and on motion was referred to the Special Committee on County Game Wardens.

A communication from Mrs. C. C. Wiggins, president of the Welfare Club, endorsing the Home Demonstration Agent, and asking that this office be continued, was read and ordered filed.

The following communications, certificates of determination, statements and requests were read and upon motion duly made and seconded, referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee:

AUDITOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Lansing, Mich., September 23, 1926.

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, 1926.

The amount of State Tax apportioned to your County under various acts of the Legislature

*Application
sent from Russell
H. Williamson
as Special Game
Warden*

*Report of State
Tax apportioned*

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is as follows, to-wit:

Central Normal School - Sec.4, Act 296, 1925	\$ 2,491.05
Central Normal School - Sec.3, Act 8, 1926 (special)	6,906.80
Circuit Judges - Sec. 3, Act 161, 1925	3,106.59
College of Mines - Sec. 4, Act 299, 1925	1,374.62
Employment Institution for the Blind - Sec.4, Act 172, 1925	519.50
Farm Colony for Epileptics - Sec. 4, Act 166, 1925	2,219.38
Home and Training School - Sec. 4, Act 170, 1925	6,768.67
Ionia State Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 169, 1925	2,009.02
Kalamazoo State Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 165, 1925	7,438.17
Legislature - Sec. 3, Act 73, 1925	1,631.85
Michigan State College - Sec 1, Act 192, 1923	9,209.07
Michigan State College - Sec 3, Act 323, 1925	4,586.12
Newberry State Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 163, 1925	3,499.35
Normal College - Sec. 4, Act 294, 1925	6,741.04
Northern Normal School - Sec. 4, Act 295, 1925	2,145.71
Pontiac State Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 164, 1925	4,945.27
Psychopathic Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 167, 1925	478.50
School for the Blind - Sec. 4, Act 229, 1925	1,251.28
School for the Deaf - Sec. 4, Act 274, 1925	1,483.16
Soldiers' Bonus Sinking Fund - Sec.7, Act 1,1921 (special)	27,960.90
Soldiers' Home - Sec. 4, Act 173, 1925	2,451.92
State Public School - Sec. 4, Act 171, 1925	1,908.58
Supreme Court - Sec. 4, Act 160, 1925	1,038.78
Traverse City State Hospital - Sec. 4, Act 168, 1925	6,354.26
University - Sec. 1, Act 314, 1925	34,073.56
University - Sec. 2, Act 335, 1925	8,288.16
War Loan Fund of 1917 - Sec. 7, Act 97, 1917	2,302.27
Western State Normal School - Sec. 4, Act 297, 1925	<u>6,685.78</u>
Total State Tax.....	\$ 163,921.45

You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors at their session in October, 1926.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice immediately.

Very respectfully,

Oramel B. Fuller,

Auditor General.

COUNTY ROAD TAX.

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

Gentlemen -

At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, Michigan, held in Ishpeming, Michigan, September 23, 1926, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Marquette, State of Michigan, 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 nineteen hundred twenty-six and spread on the assessment rolls of the Townships and Cities of this County for the said year be and the same is hereby fixed at and determined at the sum of one hundred sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$167,000), being less than three dollars (\$3.00), on each one thousand dollars of assessed valuation according to the assessment rolls of the last preceding year in such County, such sum being the amount to be raised for County Road purposes as

*Resolution made
by Board of Co. Road
Commissioners to
tax raised
in the Co. Road
Fund.*

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is provided in Act 283 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1909, as amended and in succeeding and supplementary acts and to be expended in accordance with the following estimates to-wit:

Administration and engineering	\$ 15,000.00
Maintenance of roads and bridges	30,000.00
Equipment and equipment repairs	35,000.00
Preliminary surveys and investigation	3,000.00
Sand River road	12,000.00
Saux Head road	15,000.00
Bridges over Peshekee river	22,000.00
Township work according to Act 202	10,000.00
Negaunee East road	15,000.00
Lakewood road	10,000.00
	\$ 167,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

Board of County Road Commissioners of
Marquette County, Michigan.

By J. E. Nelson, Chairman.

BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE POOR.

Marquette, Mich., October 8, 1926.

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

Gentlemen - We, the Board of Superintendents of the Poor, having carefully reviewed the matter of requirements for next year, respectfully recommend for your consideration the appropriation of the sum of seventy-five thousand (\$75,000.00), dollars for Poor Fund purposes for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. Sliney,

G. R. Jackson,

John Robertson,

Board of Superintendents of Poor.

COUNTY PARK TAX.

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

Gentlemen - At a meeting of the County Park Trustees of Marquette County, Michigan, held in Ishpeming, Michigan, September 23rd, 1926, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved that the County Park Trustees of Marquette County, Michigan, do hereby determine that there is necessary for County Park purposes in this County for the next year the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) to be expended in accordance with the following estimates to-wit:

Maintenance	\$ 4,000.00
Improvements	8,000.00

And further the County Park Trustees recommend to the Board of Supervisors that the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) be included in and raised in the taxes for the year 1926 and that when so raised the sum be appropriated as a Park Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

County Park Trustees, Marquette County, Michigan.

By J. E. Nelson, Chairman.

October 11th, 1926.

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FORECAST OF EXPENDITURES FOR MORGAN HEIGHTS
SANATORIUM.

The following forecast of expenditures for the ensuing year has been the subject of careful thought, but is at best an approximation based on a per capita cost of \$3.00 per day. This is, by comparison with other Tuberculosis Sanatoriums, a reasonable cost in so small an institution where the fixed costs are as high as they would be for the care of greater number of patients. This budget also covers repairs and renewals, items usually charged against depreciation instead of "per capita cost."

Should the institution be filled to its present capacity of 25 patients the total cost would be \$27,375.00 for 365 days. Some economies may be effected to reduce this amount, but if we are in process of developing a class "A" Sanatorium it cannot well be a period of retrenchment. Our underlying thought is that conditions surrounding our patients will be the most favorable to their recovery, that they will be comfortably housed, properly fed, and receiving all of the care and treatment that medical and nursing science afford.

Anticipated Budget for Morgan Heights Sanatorium for 1926-1927.

Salaries (see detail on separate sheet) -----		\$14,000.00
Overhead Expense--		
Telephone-----	\$ 300.00	
Postage-----	60.00	
Gas and oil-----	400.00	
Heat, power and light-----	2,400.00	
Insurance, taxes and rental-----	200.00-	
Conference, etc.-----	400.00	3,760.00
Supplies--		
Hospital-----	\$ 1,000.00	
Food-----	6,000.00	
Office-----	100.00	
Household general-----	100.00	
Laundry-----	100.00	
Farm-----	400.00	7,770.00
Repairs and renewals on buildings, auto, furniture and equipment--		<u>2,000.00</u>
		\$27,460.00

This budget does not cover contemplated capital transactions, such as remodeling and extending the institution. These immediate improvements include:

The erection and furnishing of superintendent's cottage.

Remodeling present Sanatorium building so as to provide suitable dining room and serving kitchen for patients.

Enlarging front porch so as to increase bed capacity.

Providing adequate and properly ventilated toilet facilities.

Replacing plaster throughout buildings.

Improving lighting system.

Insuring adequate and uninterrupted hot and cold water supply.

Building of suitable entrance gates.

Future improvements which should be completed shortly after the beginning of the next fiscal year-October 1927--are:

The addition to house at least 20 patients, beside women employes.

A cottage for children, preventorium and glandular or bond conditions.

Respectfully submitted.

Salvatore Lajacono, M. D.

Superintendent

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Detail.

Salaries--

Superintendent-----	\$ 3,450.00
Matron-----	1,200.00
Head Nurse-----	1,290.00
Attending nurse-----	600.00
Attending nurse-----	600.00
Cook-----	600.00
Laundress-----	600.00
Diet kitchen maid-----	600.00
Kitchen maid-----	480.00
Kitchen maid-----	420.00
Farmer-----	900.00
Handyman-----	780.00
Chore boy-----	540.00
	\$ 12,360.00
Dentist, E. E. N. T., surgeon	1,000.00
Contingent (vacation, special nursing, etc.)	640.00
	14,000.00

Overhead Expense--Calculated on expenditures of two years previous.

Supplies--Approximations based on previous experience and studies of other tuberculosis institutions. Hospital supplies include all patients' sanitary supplies, drugs, X-ray and laboratory supplies, instruments, etc.

Food costs are on basis of 15 cents per meal for patients, staff and employes.

Farm is estimated at net cost--products to offset addition expense.

Repairs and Renewals--Cover current repairs: plumber, electrician, carpenter, etc.

Necessary renewals as follows:

China and kitchen ward.

Some modern beds and new bedside tables.

Alpine treatment lamp.

Emergency motor for refrigerating plant.

Budget does not include new equipment, as equipment necessary under present conditions has been installed during the last three months.

The American Red Cross.

Marquette, Mich., October 9, 1926.

Mr. Frank Jenks, County Clerk, Court House, City.

Dear Sir:--This is a formal application to the County Board of Supervisors for the usual appropriation \$2,200.00 for the Marquette County Chapter, American Red Cross, Nursing Division.

Yours very truly,

T. M. Redmond, Secretary.

The Upper Peninsula Development Bureau.

Marquette, Mich., September 13, 1926.

Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Marquette, Michigan.

Attention: Frank Jenks, Clerk.

My dear Sirs--The program of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, in building for the future of the counties that constitute the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, is

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so definite and the benefits therefrom so generally conceded, that we are again asking you, as representatives of Marquette County, for a direct appropriation to the support of our organization.

At a recent Meeting of our Board of Directors, it was decided that we should ask each of the counties this coming year to give to the support of the work of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau an amount equal to the limit which counties can now give under the law, which is one-tenth of one mill on the assessed valuation of the County and not to exceed \$2,000 in any County.

I believe that this is the amount which the newly organized Upper Peninsula Supervisors' Association approved at their recent meeting. The attached table indicates what that amount will be in the third column of figures. That amount in your county will be \$2,000. In addition to this amount, if the Bureau is allowed to continue its contacts with sources of revenue as it has in the past, it will make it possible for the Bureau to spend in behalf of development work a sum of approximately \$40,000 another year.

Will you kindly give this request your careful consideration in making up your budget at your annual meeting in October? Knowing that you are quite familiar with the Bureau's program and that you have the best interests of your county and the Upper Peninsula at heart, we feel confident of your decision.

Very truly yours,

Upper Peninsula Development Bureau.

George E. Bishop,

Secretary-Manager.

County Fair Association.

Marquette, Mich., October 11, 1926.

Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: We respectfully request that you allow in your budget the following amounts for the Marquette County Fair Grounds Building and Improvement Fund for 1927 addition to buildings and improvements as follows:

Addition to steel cattle barns-----	\$ 7,000.00
Moving keeper's house-----	500.00
Moving horse barn-----	500.00
Repairs-----	500.00
	<u>\$ 8,500.00</u>
Balance on hand-----	1,000.00
	<u>\$ 7,500.00</u>

Very truly yours,

Wm. Wiseman,

Chairman.

John T. McNamara,

Sec-mgr. Fair Assn.

H. E. Perkins,

President Fair Assn.

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Marquette, Mich., October 11, 1926.

Marquette County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen--We respectfully request that you allow in your budget the following amounts for County Fair for 1927:

For fair purposes-----	\$5,000.00
1925 and 1926 deficit-----	2,500.00
Total-----	\$7,500.00

Very truly yours,

John McNamara,

Secy.,-Mgr. Fair Assn.

H. E. Perkins,

President Fair Assn.

Office of Soldiers' Relief Commission.

Marquette, Mich., October 1, 1926.

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

Gentlemen:-- In compliance with the provisions of Section 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 September 30th, 1926:

Receipts--

Balance on hand October 1, 1925--\$	143.68
Appropriation-----	960.00
	\$1,103.68

Disbursements--

County warrants-----\$	837.10
Balance on hand October 1, 1926--\$	266.58

The demand on this fund 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.

Therefore, we consider it our duty to respectfully request that your Honorable Body appropriate the sum of nine hundred (\$900.00) 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 Commission.

Robert P. Byrne,

Acting Secretary Soldiers' Relief Commission.

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REJECTED TAX LIST - JUNE 30, 1926.

Rejected Tax List

CITIES -	STATE	COUNTY	COUNTY ROAD	TOTAL
Ishpeming	\$ 4.59	\$ 3.30	\$ 1.48	\$ 9.37
Marquette	26.45	42.04	31.56	100.05
Negaunee	.47	.79	.60	1.86
TOWNSHIPS -				
Champion	3.94	2.96	2.10	9.00
Chocolay	9.28	13.61	10.35	33.24
Ely	11.45	16.52	12.60	40.57
Ewing	1.33	2.20	1.65	5.18
Forsyth	2.68	1.79	1.29	5.76
Humboldt	17.14	26.43	19.76	63.33
Ishpeming	.28	.47	.36	1.11
Marquette	42.88	67.29	50.86	161.03
Michigamme	4.46	5.66	4.13	14.25
Negaunee	.77	1.28	.97	3.02
Powell	3.14	3.38	2.40	8.92
Republic	1.60	2.67	2.03	6.30
Richmond	.24	.39	.30	.93
Sands	3.00	3.21	2.40	8.61
Skandia	5.25	6.43	4.20	15.88
Tilden	1.14	1.90	1.44	4.48
Turin	8.82	12.81	9.57	31.20
Wells	2.51	4.19	3.18	9.88
West Branch	.96	1.58	1.20	3.74
Total-----	\$152.38	\$220.90	\$164.43	\$537.71

N. E. Summersett,

Deputy County Treasurer.

Marquette, Mich., September 18, 1926.

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

Gentlemen:--The Marquette County Historical Society herewith respectfully requests that an appropriation of two hundred dollars be included in your annual budget for the ensuing fiscal year, to be expended by this society in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 254, P. A. 1919, approved May 12, 1919, as has been customary in previous years. I have asked our treasurer to provide you with a financial statement of our activities for the past year. It is understood that none of this appropriation will go for personal services of any kind to the officers of the society or otherwise.

Faithfully yours,

L. A. Chase,

Corresponding-Secretary.

Statement from September 1, 1925, to September 1, 1926.

Receipts--

From county	\$ 200.00
From membership	258.10
Cash in bank, per statement September 1, 1925.	53.78
	\$ 511.88

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Disbursements--

Book documents	\$ 242.23
Binding	7.03
Subscriptions to magazines	15.70
Postage, printing and express	38.80
Bank balance, September 1, 1926.	<u>208.12</u>
	\$ 511.88

Respectively submitted,

T. M. Redmond,

Treasurer.

To the Board of Supervisors;--

Knowing the many demands made on the valuable time of the Board of Supervisors at the annual meeting, I am taking the liberty of presenting our appeal to you by letter rather than in person.

Except for a period of three months, we have not had a solicitor out on the field for four years but have secured our funds by letter, a plan not many charitable organizations have dared to risk doing, but we have done it and will continue to do so as long as friends respond to our pleas, for as you will realize it is a big saving to us and to the people who support Good Will Farm, not to have to pay solicitors' salaries and expenses.

During the past year we had a visit from the State Welfare Commission of Lansing, who look after all children's homes and welfare work done in the State. After making a thorough inspection of the home, the grounds, our methods and records, they were almost enthusiastic in their praise, the chairman saying he would like to send all dependent children here for he felt we had the ideal home of Michigan. Situated as we are up here in the woods, surrounded by beautiful country, just outside the village limits, we have the advantages of both city and country and the disadvantages of neither.

Without the financial support of those fine citizens of the Upper Peninsula who have seen in the saving of these unfortunate children one of the greatest works to which men set their hands, the work of Good Will Farm could not be done. Those of our neighbors who have thus given and who meet the children from time to time, have reaped a full 100 per cent on their investment, I am sure, in the happy smiles of our healthy and happy youngsters.

As you know we are not having the prosperity enjoyed by the children's homes in the southern part of the State but have had a long continued and deeply felt depression here in the Copper Country, and it has hit us hard. The closing of the mines has worked a great hardship on us, for the mining companies and the mining people have always been our main support. Many of our old contributors have gone away and those who are here have much less to do with, all of which means a great loss to us financially. How to make up this loss is a serious matter with us, and winter looming ahead with its many heavy demands is causing us much sober thought.

Your unfailing generosity and loyalty has tided us over some hard places in the past, and we are humbly asking for better things from you this year.

Assuring you of our appreciation of the warm interest you have always shown in this little Home, and thanking you for your courteous attention, I am

Respectfully yours,

E. MacDougall,

Superintendent.

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Children's Hospital of Michigan

Detroit, Michigan., October 6, 1926.

County Clerk,

Dear Sir--This is to inform you that our representative from the above hospital will call upon you as usual during the october session of the Supervisors Board.

Any courtesy that you show her in arranging a hearing for her will be much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Reba M. Leonard.

Chairman of Appropriations.

The Michigan Children's Aid Society.

Marquette, Mich., October 4, 1926.--

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

Attention Mr. Frank G. Jenks, County Clerk.

Gentlemen-- For a considerable number of years the Board of Supervisors throughout the state have made appropriations to the Michigan Children's Aid Society, a state-wide non-sectarian institution whose Upper Peninsula Branch is located at Marquette. The Purpose of this organization is to give personal service to destitute and neglected children.

The far reaching benefits of the work of the society have been widely recognized throughout the Upper Peninsula as well as throughout the entire State. The Michigan Children's Aid Society has a background of many years of experience in its care of children, in its home finding work, and in its aid to children whose parents have failed to assume the responsibilities of parenthood. In short this is an organization of carefully selected and trained persons giving kindly and intelligent service to socially handicapped children.

We will very much appreciate it if at your annual meeting which takes place this month you will renew your appropriation of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) heretofore made us to help in this work, and if it is possible for you to increase this sum this will be wonderfully helpful, as we have had a great many emergency cases, which is to be expected in this line of activity.

It has been difficult to come anywhere near balancing our budget, owing to the many needy and deserving cases which have been brought to our attention.

We wish to thank you at this time in anticipation of the continuance of your assistance, and to assure you it will mean much to the children and the various communities from which they come.

Your convenient reply, envelope for which purpose is enclosed, will be helpful.

Sincerely Yours,

Edward S. Rice,

Secretary-Treasurer

Resolutions from the Rotary Club of Marquette, Marquette Lions Club, Marquette-Alger County Medical Society, Michigan State Nurses' Association favoring the proposed improvements for Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

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Supervisor Graff made a statement that State Game Warden Skoglund and Special County Game Warden Erickson had disappeared and suggested that the County offer a reward. It was moved by Supervisor Sherwood that a reward of \$500.00 for information leading to the discovery of the bodies and \$500.00 for the apprehension and conviction of the perpetrator of the crime. The motion was duly seconded and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas--Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy, Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, Van Riper, Wiseman, Yungbluth, Keese--36.

Nays--None.

It was moved, supported and carried that the Board proceed with the regular order of business, omitting the report of the Finance and Taxation Committee at this time, said Committee to report later in the day.

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

Yeas-- Aho, Anderson, Bergeron, Christian, Currie, Dower, Eggan, Fassbender, Felt, Frei, Graff, Gummerson, Heinonen, Hemmila, Hurley, Jensen, Johnson, Charles.. Johnson, Frank J., Kennedy Koski, Lafreniere, Meyers, Northey, Samson, Sherwood, Sihvola, Stakel, Sundstrom, Trembath, Tousignant, Vanna, Vincent, VanRiper, Wiseman, Yungbluth, Keese--36.

Nays--None.

The following report of the Special Committee was read, adopted and ordered filed:

County Game Warden Committee.

Gwinn, Michigan, October 9, 1926.

To the Honorable board of supervisors, Marquette, Mich.

Gentlemen-- Your Committee to select three County Game Wardens and supervise their work, would report that they appointed:

Arvid Erickson--Princeton.

Edward Farm--Ishpeming.

Arvid Wentela--Champion.

No public announcement was made of these appointments. The County Wardens were assigned certain territory and instructed to work with the State Wardens, under the general supervision of District State Warden Ernest Libby. The specific assignments for the County Wardens were as follows:

Arvid Wentela with State Warden Ed. Martell, west end of County.

Edward Farm with County and State Warden Emil Heikkila and State Warden C. D. Mosher; north central part of County.

Arvid Erickson with State Warden Emil Skoglund, south part of County.

County Warden Arvid Wentela was released on September 25th and Sam Beck of Champion appointed to fill vacancy on September 27th.

You are all familiar with the terrible tragedy that occurred on Wednesday evening, September 29th, when State Warden Emil Skoglund and County Warden Arvid Erickson were murdered in the discharge of their duties looking for violators in

*Reward offered
for locating
Skoglund & for
Erickson*

*Arvid Erickson
Ed Farm & Arvid
Wentela app'd
County Warden*

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Sands Township. Your committee deeply regret and deplore the untimely death of these two wardens: both were young men, veterans of the World War and fearless in the discharge of their duties. The Community has suffered a distinct loss and Marquette County has lost two of its most efficient officers. It is hoped that the murderers will ^{be} speedily apprehended and punished to the full extent of the law. Now, therefore, be it resolved that the sympathy of the County Board of Supervisors be extended to the relatives of these men, and that a copy of this resolution, together with a copy of this paragraph of the committee's report, be sent to them.

More State Wardens are needed in this County to apprehend and convict the lawless element that do not hesitate to take human life in order to escape conviction for game law violations. Their work, in our opinion, can be supplemented by County Wardens, and we urge the County to continue appropriations so that County Wardens may be appointed to work with the State Wardens. Game protection must be continued.

Your committee is not able to submit a report of the work done by County Warden Arvid Erickson. During the month he, with State Warden Skoglund, secured four convictions.

The reports of the other wardens are submitted herewith,

Yours very truly,

W. W. Graff, Chairman.

The annual reports of County Clerk, County Treasurer, County Road, County Parks, Poor Commissioner, Superintendent of Schools, Agricultural Agent, Home Demonstration Agent, County Nurse, Inspector of Mines, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Fair Grounds Improvement Committee, Monthly Report of County Treasurer, Superintendent's of the Poor Report for August and September, and Inspectors of Jails were read and ordered filed.

Office of the County Clerk.

Expenses classified for the year ending September 1st, 1925, to August 31st, 1926:

Circuit Court.

Salary of circuit judge	\$	1,500.00
Salary of court stenographer		814.16
Officers attending court		582.00
Officers' fees summoning jurors		177.00
Meals for jurors		315.00
Stationery, printing, law books and supplies		295.50
Miscellaneous officers' fees and circuit court expense		1,350.71
Witness fees		1,882.40
Jurors' fees		8,115.25
Total	\$	15,032.02

Justice Court

Justice fees	\$	1,332.40
Miscellaneous officers' fees, deputy sheriff and constable		1,941.94
Jurors' fees		63.00
Witness fees		132.40
Miscellaneous		530.04
	\$	3,999.78

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County Officers, Law Department.

Salary, prosecuting attorney	\$ 3,000.00
Stationery, printing and traveling	427.85
Salary, clerk	<u>600.00</u>
Total	\$ 4,027.85

Judge of Probate's Office.

Salary, probate judge	\$ 3,600.00
Salary, probate clerk	1,320.00
Stationery and printing and other	<u>529.42</u>
Total	\$ 5,449.42
Total judiciary expenses	\$ 28,509.07

Legislative.

Supervisors' services	\$ 2,614.45
Publishing proceedings and other	1,033.25
Supervisors' mileage	1,225.06
Attending conventions	150.00
Expenses, road inspection trip	325.76
State association, supervisors	10.00
Services, finance and taxation committee	<u>10.00</u>
Total	\$ 5,368.52

County Clerk's Office.

Salary	\$ 3,600.00
Salary, deputy	1,320.00
Salary, stenographer	1,200.00
Supplies, printing and other	<u>560.54</u>
Total	\$ 6,680.54
Total legislative	\$ 12,049.06

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

County Treasurer's Office

Salary	\$ 3,600.00
Salary, stenographer	1,200.00
Stationery and printing	<u>482.54</u>
Total	\$ 5,282.54

Register of Deeds and Abstract Office.

Salary	\$ 2,100.00
Stationery and printing and other	<u>299.75</u>
Total	\$ 2,399.75

Miscellaneous, County Officers.

Postage stamps	\$ 561.27
Express and freight charges	35.81
Telephone and telegraph	739.19
Salary and expenses, county veterinarian	<u>1,996.85</u>
Total	\$ 3,333.12

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County Sealer Weights and Measures.

Salary	\$ 1,210.00-
Expenses	339.34
Attending conventions	60.20
Total	\$ 1,609.54

Agricultural Agent.

Salary	\$ 2,000.00
Salary, stenographer	765.00
Stationery, printing and other	137.65
Expenses	218.19
Auto service	900.00
Total	\$ 4,020.84

Home Demonstration Agent.

Salary	\$ 866.58
Expenses	439.89
Auto services	200.00
Total	\$ 1,506.47

Court House.

Salary, janitor	\$ 1,620.00
Light	516.16
Fuel	3,141.03
Insurance	615.62
Repairs to buildings	2,111.05
Water	125.50
Supplies	1,183.45
Labor	55.00
Miscellaneous	72.53
Total	\$ 9,440.34

Public Safety, Sheriffs Department.

Salary	\$ 2,000.00
Stationery and printing	38.00
Miscellaneous, sheriff's fees	609.46
Automobile service	600.00
Salary, deputy sheriff	1,500.00
Total	\$ 4,747.46

Jail

Salary, undersheriff	\$ 1,500.00
Salary, night watchman	1,500.00
Supplies	897.66
Heat, fuel	363.00
Salary, jail physician	420.00
Light	239.85
Subsistence of prisoners	5,076.20
Clothing for prisoners	11.85
Repairs and renewals to buildings	1,838.42

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Jail (continued)

Locks and unlocks	\$	175.00
Insurance		28.50
Miscellaneous		161.30
Water		<u>22.40</u>
Total	\$	12,234.18

Coroner's Fees.

Coroners' fees	\$	566.50
Jurors' fees at inquest		198.00
Witness' fees at inquest		41.35
Examination of dead		128.00
Stenographer, interpreter and other		<u>92.36</u>
Total	\$	<u>1,026.21</u>
Total public safety		\$18,007.85

Public Charges.

Examination of insane	\$	272.00
Conveying insane to asylum		131.40
All expenses preparatory to sentence		85.00
Examination and conveying adult afflicted		522.05
Examination epileptic and feeble minded and conveying feeble minded to asylum		68.72
Conveying delinquent children		105.45
Conveying U.M. patients, order probate court		<u>73.85</u>
Total	\$	1,258.47

Contagious Diseases.

Smallpox	\$	1,028.08
Scarlet fever		112.00
Diphtheria		147.87
Typhoid fever		438.98
Miscellaneous		291.62
Supplies; etc.		287.19
Salary, county physician		<u>900.00</u>
Total	\$	3,205.74

Poor House

Repairs to buildings and renewals	\$	690.84
Salaries of superintendents		270.00
Burial of old soldier		<u>314.00</u>
Total	\$	1,274.84

Public Education

Salary, county commissioner	\$	2,800.00
Stationery, printing and other		701.36
Expenses		353.36
Services; county examiners		67.35
Auto services		460.50
Salary, stenographer		<u>765.00</u>
Total	\$	5,147.57